The Highland Council

Election Results

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Contest Name

Ward 5 - Wester Ross Strathpeffer and Lochalsh

I declare that the result of the election in the Ward 5 - Wester Ross Strathpeffer and Lochalsh is as follows.

There are 4 councillor(s) to be elected.

The percentage poll was 57.8%. There were 5,620 valid ballot papers and 75 rejected ballot papers.

The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 1,125.

The first preference votes received by each of the candidates and the stage at which any candidate was elected is as follows:

Candidate Name	Affiliation	Number of First Preference Votes	Stage at Which Candidate Has Been Elected
Christopher Alan BIRT	Scottish Labour Party	285	0
Biz CAMPBELL	Independent	796	5
Ian COCKBURN	Scottish National Party (SNP)	859	3
Topher DAWSON	Scottish Green Party	628	0
Richard GREENE	Independent	656	0
Alexander MACINNES	Scottish National Party (SNP)	608	0
Derek MACLEOD	Scottish Conservative and Unionist	1,036	5
Kate STEPHEN	Scottish Liberal Democrats	752	8
	Tota	al 5,620	

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Of the total ballot papers, the following were rejected and not counted on account of:

Adjudication Rejection Reason	Number
Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means	0
On which the figure "1" standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate	6
On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	66
On which anything is written or marked by which the voter can be identified except the printed number and other unique identifying mark on the back	
Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty	3
Total	75

Returning Officer Signature:	
Date:	