

NOTES FOR APPLICATION AS AN OVERSEAS VOTER

DID YOU KNOW?

- **2.5 million British citizens are eligible to register to vote from overseas.**
- **At the end of 2007, just 14,000 expatriates were registered to vote.**
- **Last year 198,000 Britons left the UK to live overseas, all of whom are eligible to vote in the upcoming UK Parliamentary Election.**

COMPLETING THE FORM

You will need:

- The address of where you were last registered in the UK
- The date you were last registered in the UK
- Your Passport number

You will have to find someone to support what you say in your declaration. He or she can be anyone who:

- Is aged 18 or over;
- Has a British passport which describes his or her status as a “British Citizen” and lives overseas;
- Knows you but is not a close relative (husband, wife, parent, grandparent, brother, sister, child, or grandchild).

If you left the UK before you were old enough to register, you will have to provide a copy of your full birth certificate and information about the parent or guardian whose registration you are relying on.

NOMINATING A PROXY VOTE

If you are unable to nominate a close family member or friend to vote on your behalf the Conservative Party can help. For help appointing a proxy vote

please contact Lesley Taylor;
lesley.taylor@conservatives.com;
0044 (0)20 7984 8015, or contact your former local Conservative Party Association Office - contact details can be found on www.conservatives.com

RETURNING THE FORM

Send to the Electoral Registration Officer covering the constituency where you were last registered. To find the address of your Electoral Office visit www.aboutmyvote.co.uk/overseas and insert your postcode from your last address in the UK.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

If you require further information or assistance in registering as an overseas elector you can contact:

Lesley Taylor

Or visit: www.conservativesabroad.org or
www.dontleaveyourvoteathome.com or
www.aboutmyvote.co.uk/overseas

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