



**REVIEW OF PARLIAMENTARY  
CONSTITUENCIES IN HAMPSHIRE,  
PORTSMOUTH AND SOUTHAMPTON**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC INQUIRIES**

**Review of Parliamentary Constituencies in the Counties of Hampshire, Portsmouth and Southampton**

Notice is given today, 9 May 2002, that there will be two inquiries under the Parliamentary Constituencies Act 1986 into the Parliamentary Boundary Commission's provisional recommendations for parliamentary constituency boundaries in Portsmouth, and Hampshire and Southampton, which were published on 14 February 2002.

The two inquiries are to be run independently of each other, and no representation will be considered at one inquiry which relates to the other inquiry. Although arrangements have been made for the two inquiries to be held independently of each other, they are to be conducted by the same Assistant Commissioner, Mr Roger Ellis QC. The inquiry relating to issues concerning Portsmouth will open on:-

**MONDAY 17 JUNE 2002 at 9.30am in the COUNCIL CHAMBER,  
PORTSMOUTH CITY COUNCIL, CIVIC OFFICES, PORTSMOUTH.**

The inquiry relating to issues concerning Hampshire and Southampton will open on:-

**TUESDAY 18 JUNE 2002 at 10.30am in the WALTON ROOM, THE  
GUILDHALL, WINCHESTER.**

Any interested person, whether a supporter of or objector to the Commission's proposals for that particular area may attend and be heard. The Commission would urge all interested parties to attend and make their views known at the relevant inquiry. It should not be assumed that the inquiries will only discuss matters raised in representations submitted within the representation period allowed nor that the Commission's provisional recommendations will remain unchanged. On many occasions, following consideration of the evidence submitted at an inquiry and the Assistant Commissioner's report, the Commission have revised their recommendations. While the Commission will always invite written representations in respect of any revised recommendations they might publish, all interested parties should be aware that they may not be able to state their case at a further inquiry, as a further inquiry will only rarely be held.

The provisional recommendations, copies of the representations made to the Commission for both areas (together with summaries), and separate statements by the Commission for each of the two areas, each of which will be introduced formally at the relevant inquiry, are open for public inspection at :-

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<b>ALTON</b>	Council Information Office, 7 Cross & Pillory Lane, Alton
<b>ANDOVER</b>	Council Offices, Beech Hurst, Weyhill Road, Andover
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<b>FAREHAM</b>	Civic Offices, Civic Way, Fareham
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<b>LYMINGTON</b>	Town Hall, Avenue Road, Lymington
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<b>NEW ALRESFORD</b>	New Alresford Library, 20 Broad Street, New Alresford
<b>OVERTON</b>	Overton Library, Community Centre, Winchester Street, Overton
<b>PETERSFIELD</b>	Council Offices, Penn Place, Petersfield
<b>PORTSMOUTH</b>	Cosham Branch Library, Spur Road, Cosham, Portsmouth Civic Offices, Guildhall Square, Portsmouth
<b>RINGWOOD</b>	Ringwood Library, Christchurch Road, Ringwood
<b>ROMSEY</b>	Council Offices, Dutton Road, Romsey
<b>SOUTHAMPTON</b>	Civic Centre, Southampton Eastern Branch Library, Bitterne Road East, Southampton Shirley Branch Library, Redcar Street, Southampton
<b>TADLEY</b>	Tadley Library, Mulfords Hill, Tadley
<b>TOTTON</b>	Totton Library, Library Road, Totton
<b>WATERLOOVILLE</b>	Council Information Office, Tyfield House, Blendworth Lane, Horndean, Waterlooville
<b>WINCHESTER</b>	City Office, Colebrook Street, Winchester

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