

Absentee Return Comparison 2001, 2003 and 2005 General Elections

# Ballots Issued	229631			240294			277233		
days before/ after election	2001	01 Total	% returned	2003	03 Total	% returned	2005	05 Total	% returned
E-13				11285	11285	4.70%	17190	17190	6.21%
E-12	8225	8225	3.58%	5918	17203	7.16%	5556	22746	8.22%
E-11	7269	15494	6.75%	5185	22388	9.32%	5200	27946	10.10%
E-10	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat
E-9	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun
E-8	9706	25200	10.97%	8175	30563	12.72%	8936	36882	13.32%
E-7	12180	37380	16.28%	8574	39137	16.29%	12077	48959	17.68%
E-6	6492	43872	19.11%	5599	44736	18.62%	7242	56201	20.30%
E-5	6149	50021	21.78%	4882	49618	20.65%	6979	63180	22.72%
E-4	6132	56153	24.45%	5123	54741	22.78%	6602	69782	25.17%
E-3	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat
E-2	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun
E-1	16926	73079	31.82%	13067	67808	28.22%	18270	88052	31.76%
E day	24476	97555	42.48%	23598	91406	38.04%	26087	114139	41.17%
E+1	19163	116718	50.83%	26484	117890	49.06%	25530	139669	50.38%
E+2	11604	128322	55.88%	2344	120234	50.04%			
E+3	1583	129905	56.57%	1499	121733	50.66%			
E+4	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat			
E+5	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun			
E+6	36	129941	56.59%	129	121862	50.71%			
E+7	1054	130995	57.05%	152	122014	50.78%			
E+8	149	131144	57.11%	26	122040	50.79%			
E+9	100	131244	57.15%	9	122049	50.79%			
E+11	57	131301	57.18%	19	122068	50.80%			