DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Election of Councillors for the Cheriton West Ward of Folkestone Town Council on Thursday 4 May 2023

I, Susan Priest, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

| Name of Candidate | Description (if any) | Number of Votes* |
|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| BINGHAM, Paul | Labour Party | 580 |
| COGHILL, Leonard | Labour Party | 524 |
| GANE, Peter | Liberal Democrats | 736 Elected |
| GURUNG, Dhan Bahadur | Local Conservatives | 509 |
| JONES, Paul | Local Conservatives | 421 |
| LE FANU, Edward | Labour Party | 454 |
| RENSHAW, John | Liberal Democrats | 594 Elected |
| WEST, Roger Charles | Liberal Democrats | 617 Elected |

* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

| The number of ba | llot papers rejected wa | as as follows: | Number of ballot papers |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| A want of | an official mark | | 0 |
| B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to | | | 4 |
| C writing or mark by which voter could be identified | | | 0 |
| D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty | | | 31 |
| E rejected in part | | 0 | |
| | | Total | 35 |
| Vacant Seats: 3 | Electorate: 6227 | Ballot papers issued: 1746 | Turnout: 28.04% |

And I do hereby declare that, Peter Gane, John Renshaw and Roger Charles West are duly elected.

Dated Friday 5 May 2023

Susan Priest Returning Officer

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