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Musicians' Union Executive & Regional Committee Elections 2024-2025

LONDON

FOR THE OFFICE OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE - London (2 vacancies)

Term of office 2024 – 2025

Name of Candidates	Number of Votes	
Alice ANGLISS	Elected	360
Richard FINLAY	Elected	424
Pauline HENRY		253
Jacquelyn HYNES		218
Maxim ROWLANDS		327

The election was conducted using the First Past the Post system. The candidates indicated above have been elected to the Executive Committee - London.

Number of ballot papers distributed in the election:	9036
Number of ballot papers returned in the election:	830
Turnout for this contest:	9.19%
Number of ballot papers found to be invalid in this contest:	2
Number of ballot papers found to be counted in this contest:	828

Summary of Rejected Votes

Unique identifier removed	1	2
Voting for more than 4 candidates	0	
Writing or other identifying mark	0	
Void for uncertainty (including blank)	1	

LONDON – Continued

FOR THE OFFICE OF REGIONAL COMMITTEE - London (13 vacancies)

Term of office 2024 - 2025

The following candidates are elected unopposed:

**Richard Finlay
Allan Cox
Luke Strevens
Hugh Burns
Emiliano Bonanomi
Peggy-Ann Fraser
Sandra-Mae Lux
Nick Laughlin
Ursula Monberg
Alice Angliss
Fiona Branson
Kit Packham
Hailey Willington**

MIDLANDS

FOR THE OFFICE OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE - Midlands (1 vacancy)

Term of office 2024 - 2025

The following candidate is elected unopposed:

Nigel Braithwaite

FOR THE OFFICE OF REGIONAL COMMITTEE - Midlands (13 vacancies)

Term of office 2024 - 2025

The following candidates are elected unopposed:

**Jim Simpson
John Ruddick
Jo Ruddick
Fay Goodman
Andy Derrick
Louise Braithwaite
Jason Hill**

NORTH OF ENGLAND

FOR THE OFFICE OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE - North of England (2 vacancies)

Term of office 2024 – 2025

Name of Candidates	Number of Votes	
Christopher COATES		136
Mark CONCAR	Elected	229
Vernon FULLER		124
Katie MANASSE	Elected	198
Balraj SAMRAI		156
Robert SCOTT		134

The election was conducted using the First Past the Post system. The candidate indicated above has been elected to the Executive Committee – North of England.

Number of ballot papers distributed in the election:	5,564
Number of ballot papers returned in the election:	531
Turnout for this contest:	9.54%
Number of ballot papers found to be invalid in this contest:	1
Number of ballot papers found to be counted in this contest:	530

Summary of Rejected Votes

Unique identifier removed	0	1
Voting for more than 1 candidate	1	
Writing or other identifying mark	0	
Void for uncertainty (including blank)	0	

FOR THE OFFICE OF REGIONAL COMMITTEE - North of England (14 vacancies)

Term of office 2024 - 2025

The following candidates are elected unopposed:

Peter Piper
Vernon Fuller
Balraj Samrai
Wayne Ellington
Robert Walker
Paulette Constable
Robert Scott
Gary Hammond
Steve Hoggart
Steve Jinski
Katie Manasse
Bethan Roberts
Kenneth Martin
Christopher Coates

SCOTLAND & NORTHERN IRELAND

FOR THE OFFICE OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE - Scotland & Northern Ireland (1 vacancy)

Term of office 2024 – 2025

The following candidate is elected unopposed:

Alex Gascoine

FOR THE OFFICE OF REGIONAL COMMITTEE - Scotland & Northern Ireland (10 vacancies)

Term of office 2024 – 2025

Name of Candidates		Number of Votes	
Calum BAIRD	Elected	123	
Jonathan BUCHAN		39	
Andrew COLLINGS		90	
Christine COOPER	Elected	128	
Andrew CRUICKSHANK	Elected	116	
Jonathan GRIFFIN	Elected	104	
Joel HARKIN		73	
Maggie HOLLAND	Elected	105	
Katrina LEE	Elected	132	
Ben LUNN	Elected	123	
Ronnie MacNIVEN	Elected	108	
Kerieva McCORMICK	Elected	98	
Helen NEALE	Elected	149	

The election was conducted using the First Past the Post system. The candidates indicated above have been elected to the Regional Committee - Scotland & Northern Ireland.

Number of ballot papers distributed in the election:	2,797
Number of ballot papers returned in the election:	227
Turnout for this contest:	8.12%
Number of ballot papers found to be invalid in this contest:	0
Number of ballot papers found to be counted in this contest:	227

Summary of Rejected Votes

Unique identifier removed	0	0
Voting for more than 11 candidates	0	
Writing or other identifying mark	0	
Void for uncertainty (including blank)	0	

East & South East England

FOR THE OFFICE OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE – East & South East England (2 vacancies)

Term of office 2024 – 2025

Ballot to be re-run between 14 November 2023 & 5 December 2023

FOR THE OFFICE OF REGIONAL COMMITTEE – East & South East England (13 vacancies)

Term of office 2024 – 2025

Ballot to be re-run between 14 November 2023 & 5 December 2023

Wales & South West England

FOR THE OFFICE OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE – Wales & South West England (1 vacancy)

Term of office 2024 – 2025

Ballot to be re-run between 14 November 2023 & 5 December 2023

FOR THE OFFICE OF REGIONAL COMMITTEE – Wales & South West England (15 vacancies)

Term of office 2024 – 2025

The following candidates are elected unopposed:

Andrew Gleadhill

Huw Williams

Daniel Trodden

Dewi Ellis Jones

Elizabeth Owens

Mike Dell

John Wesley-Barker

Steve Hawker

Peter Bayliss

Angus West

Independent Scrutineers Report

This report is issued in accordance with the Trades Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 as amended.

In accordance with Section 53 and MU Rules, 'Nothing in this Chapter shall be taken to require a ballot to be held at an uncontested election'. Where the number of candidates nominated in each of the above elections does not exceed the number to be elected a ballot is not required.

We are satisfied that there are no reasonable grounds to believe that there was any contravention of a requirement imposed by or under any enactment in relation to the election.

We are satisfied that the arrangements made in respect to the production, storage, distribution, return or other handling of the voting papers used in the election, and the arrangements for the counting of the votes, including all security arrangements as were reasonably practicable for the purpose of minimising the risk that any unfairness or malpractice might occur.

We have been able to carry out our functions without such interference as would make it reasonable for any person to call my independence in relation to union into question.

A copy of the register of voters (as at the relevant date) was not examined nor were we requested by any member or candidate to inspect or examine a copy of the candidateship register.

We would draw your attention to Section 52 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992, which requires that a copy of this report be published and made available to all members of the Union within a three-month period from today, or take all such other steps for notifying the contents of the report to the members of the Union whether by publishing the report or otherwise as it is the practice of the Union to take when matters of general interest to all its members need to be brought to their attention.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Craig Poyser', written in a cursive style.

Craig Poyser
Associate Director
On behalf of UK Engage