

**PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION  
ASHFORD CONSTITUENCY**

**DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL**

**Date of Election : 5th May 2005**

I, DAVID HILL, being the Acting Returning Officer at the Parliamentary Election for the Ashford Constituency held on 5th May 2005, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows :-

Name of Candidate	Description	Number of Votes. If Elected the word 'ELECTED' appears against the number of votes
BODEN Richard Thomas	The Green Party	1753
GREEN Damian Howard	The Conservative Candidate	26651 ELECTED
STROUD Bernard George	UK Independence Party	1620
TOOK Christopher James	Liberal Democrat	8308
WHITAKER Valerie Rose	The Labour Party Candidate	13353

And I do hereby declare that the said Damian Howard GREEN is duly elected.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows :-	Number
(A) want of an official mark	0
(B) voting for more than one candidate	12
(C) writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
(D) being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	67
(E) rejected in part	0
<b>TOTAL REJECTED</b>	<b>79</b>

**Electorate :78816    Ballot Papers Issued :51764    Turnout :65.68%**

Dated 6th May 2005

**DAVID HILL**  
Acting Returning Officer