STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 3206

The Representation of the People (Scotland) (Description of Electoral Registers and Amendment) Regulations 2013

Amendments in relation to the closing date for applications

- **25.**—(1) After regulation 56(3A)(a) insert—
 - "(aa) on grounds relating to the applicant's occupation, service or employment and the applicant became aware of those grounds after 5 p.m. on the sixth day before the date of poll at the election for which it is made; or".
- (2) After regulation 56(5) insert—
 - "(5A) Any application or notice mentioned in this regulation shall be disregarded for the purposes of a particular parliamentary or local government election if, before the application or notice is considered by the registration officer, the elector or proxy has returned a postal ballot paper to the returning officer (except where it has been returned in accordance with regulation 77 or 78 (spoilt and lost postal ballot papers))."