Statement of rejected ballot papers at the first count

Police and Crime Commissioner election, 15 November 2012

As the local Returning Officer appointed for the voting area of
BROMSGROVE
at the election for the Police and Crime Commissioner for the
WEST MERCIA
police area on 15 November 2012, I hereby give notice that I have certified the following to the Police Area Returning Officer:

The number of ballot papers rejected at the first count was as follows:					
а	Want of an official mark	* O			
b	Voting for more than one candidate as to the first preference vote	75			
С	Writing or mark by which the voter could be identified	2			
d	Unmarked as to the first preference vote	183			
е	Void for uncertainty as to the first preference vote	16			
Total rejected		276			

Signed:	MIS		
Name:	K.DICKS		
Local Returning Officer			
Dated:	16/11/12		

Police & Crime Commissioner Election STATEMENT OF FIRST COUNT TOTALS

As the Local Returning Officer appointed for the voting area of Bromsgrove at the elections for the Police & Crime Commissioner for the West Mercia Area on 15 November 2012, I hereby certify that:

1. THE TOTAL NUMBER OF BALLOT PAPERS VERIFIED IS:		777			
2. THE TOTAL NUMBER OF VALID FIRST PREFERENCE VOTES CAST FOR EACH OF THE CANDIDATES IS AS FOLLOWS:					
BLACKSHAW, Adrian James Michael	The Conservative Party Candidate		3631		
LONGMORE, Bill	Independent		3626		
MURPHY, Simon Labour Party Candidate		2244			
3. TOTAL NUMBER OF VALID FIRST PREFERENCE VOTES IS:			9501		
Rejected Votes (PCC Elections Order 2012 Rule 53(1))					
Want of an official mark					
Voting for more than one candidate as to the first preference vote			75		
Writing or mark by which voter could be identified			2		
Unmarked as to the first preference vote			183		
Void for uncertainty as to the first preference vote			16		
4. THE TOTAL NUMBER OF REJECT	TED BALLO	T PAPERS IS:	276		
TOTAL NUMBER OF VALID FIRST PREFERENCE VOTES PLUS REJECTED			9777		

Signed:	Local Returning Officer	Date: _	16/11/12	
Name:	K DI CHU			