

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Election of a County Councillor for Clacton East Division on Thursday 31 March 2016

I, Ian Davidson, being the Deputy 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*
BIRD, Christopher	Labour Party	387
BLEACH, Richard	The Conservative Party Candidate	628
SARGEANT, Colin David	The Holland-on-Sea Residents` Association	1781 Elected
SMITH, Benjamin James	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	961
WELHAM-COBB, Rain Otis	Liberal Democrats	49

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

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	Number of ballot papers
A want of an official mark	0
B voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	1
C writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	3
Total	4

Vacant Seats: 1

Electorate: 12,978

Ballot Papers Issued: 3806

Turnout: 29.3%

And I do hereby declare that, Colin David Sargeant is duly elected.

Dated 1st April 2016

Ian Davidson
Deputy Returning Officer