Election Results

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Contest Name

Ward 5 - Haddington and Lammermuir

I declare that the result of the election in the Ward 5 - Haddington and Lammermuir is as follows.

There are 4 councillor(s) to be elected.

The percentage poll was 56.0%. There were 7,790 valid ballot papers and 108 rejected ballot papers.

The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 1,559.

The first preference votes received by each of the candidates and the stage at which any candidate was elected is as follows:

| Candidate Name | Affiliation | Number of First Preference Votes | Stage at Which Candidate Has Been Elected |
|-------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| Shamin AKHTAR | Scottish Labour Party | 1,169 | 5 |
| Ruth CURRIE | Scottish National Party (SNP) | 889 | 0 |
| John MCMILLAN | Scottish Labour Party | 1,458 | 2 |
| Kelvin Logan PATE | Scottish Liberal Democrats | 568 | 0 |
| Brian SMALL | Scottish Conservative and Unionist | 2,262 | 1 |
| Cris THACKER | Scottish Green Party | 302 | 0 |
| Tom TROTTER | Scottish National Party (SNP) | 1,142 | 7 |
| | Total | 7,790 | |

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Of the total ballot papers, the following were rejected and not counted on account of:

| Adjudication Rejection Reason | Number |
|---|--------|
| Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means | |
| On which the figure "1" standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate | |
| On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate | 101 |
| On which anything is written or marked by which the voter can be identified except the printed number and other unique identifying mark on the back | |
| Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty | 3 |
| Total | 108 |
| Returning Officer Signature: Date: | |