



PS 187 Anonymous Registration

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Statement of legislative compliance

This document has been drafted to comply with the general and specific duties in the Equality Act 2010; Data Protection Act; Freedom of Information Act; European Convention of Human Rights; Employment Act 2002; Employment Relations Act 1999, and other legislation relevant to policing.

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AIMS AND OBJECTIVES OF THE POLICY

This policy sets out the criteria required relating to the removal of an individual (and members of their immediate family) from the electoral register.

It gives guidance for the attestation in respect of vulnerable individuals and for employees of the police and partner agencies.

POLICY STATEMENT

Anyone who believes that the inclusion of their details on an electoral register would put them or members of their immediately family at risk can make an application to the Electoral Registration Officer to be registered anonymously. The Electoral Administration Act 2006 and the Representation of the People Regulations 2001 introduces the ability for persons at risk to register anonymously. This document gives advice to applicants about that process.

RELATED DOCUMENTS AND APPENDICES

PD 527 Anonymous Registration Procedure
 PD 473 Managing threats/risk to life and vulnerable witnesses. (Procedure)
 PS 126 Managing threats/risk to life and vulnerable witness policy (Policy)
 PD 589 Protected Persons (Procedure)
 PS 125 Protected Persons (Policy)

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