## **DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL**

## ELECTION OF A POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR THE STAFFORDSHIRE FORCE AREA

## 5<sup>th</sup> MAY 2016

I, Fiona Ledden being the Police Area Returning Officer for the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each candidate is as follows:

Candidate	Description	Total First Preference Votes	Total Second Preference Votes	Total Votes
*ADAMSON George	Labour Party	54,753	11,760	66,513
*ELLIS Matthew Clyde	The Conservative Party Candidate	63,123	11,877	75,000

<sup>\*(</sup>Candidates marked \* went through to the second preference count)

The total number of Ballot Papers rejected at the 1st count is as follows:

4,065

The total number of Ballot Papers rejected at the 2nd count is as follows:

6,973

## And I do hereby declare that the said Matthew Clyde ELLIS

is duly elected Police and Crime Commissioner for Staffordshire.

Fiona Ledden Police Area Returning Officer, Staffordshire

<sup>\*\*</sup>As the candidate polling the most votes in the First Preference Count received an overall majority of the First Preference votes, under Rule 59 (5) (a) of Schedule 3 of the Police and Crime Commissioner Elections Order 2012, there was no requirement to count the Second Preference Votes.