

**European Parliamentary Elections Act 2002
European Parliamentary Elections Regulations 2004**

European Parliamentary Election – 22 May 2014

**The East Midlands Region
Declaration of Return as a Member
of the European Parliament**

I, Graham Soulsby, being the Regional Returning Officer for the East Midlands Region hereby give notice that following:

- the resignation, with effect from 3rd October 2017, of Glenis Willmott who was elected on the Labour Party list as Member of the European Parliament for the East Midlands Region on 22nd May 2014.
- receipt by me in writing that Rory Palmer is willing and able to be returned as an MEP being the person whose name appears highest in the list submitted by the Labour Party for the election in May 2014 having disregarded the name of any person who was returned as an MEP at that time or has stated that they do not wish to be returned as an MEP.
- receipt by me of a certificate signed by the Nominating Officer of the Labour Party that Rory Palmer may be returned as the Party's MEP.

I therefore declare that Rory Palmer is returned as a Member of the European Parliament with effect from 3rd October 2017.



**Graham Soulsby
Regional Returning Officer East Midlands Region**