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Bahá'í Councils

## Results of Elections to Bahá'í Councils

November 19, 2002

DEAR BAHÁ'Í FRIENDS,

The Day of the Covenant, November 26, 2002, marks the new term of service for the Bahá'í Councils. The Councils have, once again, made great strides in their work, as is shown by the excellence of the meetings in each country of the UK between the Council, the Counsellor, representatives of the National Spiritual Assembly, and the Auxiliary Board members for the areas concerned. These "Institutional Meetings" are an integral part of the administration of the Five Year Plan and are proving to be inspiring and fruitful. The National Assembly is greatly impressed by the rapid maturation and growing experience of these administrative institutions.

The National Spiritual Assembly is delighted to share with the friends the new membership of the Bahá'í Councils in the United Kingdom:

### ENGLAND

Assemblies voting 89  
Ballots cast 605

Those elected:

Dr Tiffani Razavi 232  
Dr Babak Javid 218  
Dr Vafa Ram 210  
Ms Kay Hughes 210  
Mr Adam Thorne 205  
Mr Inder Manocha 203  
Dr Naghme Adab 202  
Mrs Mitra Murray 193  
Mrs Zarin Hainsworth-Fadaie 127

### SCOTLAND

Assemblies voting 8  
Ballots cast 56

Those elected:

Mr Allan Forsyth 49  
Mr Andrew Goodwin 40  
Mrs Anwen Shahim 40  
Mrs Venus Carew 36  
Mrs Maggie Manvell \* 36  
Mr Alan McKay 32  
Mrs Nahid Donald 28  
Mr Hari Docherty 26  
Mr Rolf Schmidt 25

### NORTHERN IRELAND

Assemblies voting 7  
Ballots cast 48

Those elected:

Mrs Patricia Jamshidi 34  
Mr Edwin Graham 34  
Mrs Marion Khosravi 32  
Mrs Patricia Irvine 31  
Mr Colin Rodgers 30  
  
Dr Keith Munro 29  
Mr Edward Whiteside 28  
Mrs Patricia Craig 22  
Mrs Viny Robinson 20

### WALES

Assemblies voting 4  
Ballots cast 32

Those elected:

Mr Tim Melville 24  
Mrs Christine Abbas 20  
Mr Vivian Bartlett 20  
Mrs Roya Azordegan 19  
Mrs Kathryn Delpak 18  
  
Mr Soheyl Azordegan 15  
Mr Hosmand Kalami 13  
Mr Denver Morgan 13  
Dr Habib Behi 10

The National Spiritual Assembly wishes the newly elected members of the Bahá'í Councils

THE NATIONAL SPIRITUAL ASSEMBLY WISHES THE NEWLY-ELECTED MEMBERS OF THE BAHÁ'Í COUNCILS WELL IN THEIR NEW TERM OF SERVICE AND ASSURES THEM OF ITS PRAYERS FOR THE CONFIRMATIONS OF THE BLESSED BEAUTY TO SUSTAIN THEM IN THEIR IMPORTANT SERVICES TO THE CAUSE OF GOD.

With loving Bahá'í greetings,  
National Spiritual Assembly

\* Due to ill-health Mrs Maggie Manvell has been relieved of her service and Mrs Maureen Sier has replaced her on the Council for Scotland.

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