

2011 State General Election

Legislative Assembly

The Distribution of Preferences shown below identifies the candidate who has won the election after a full distribution of preferences.

There may be a small variation in the votes shown in the last two candidates in this count to that shown in the Two Candidate Preferred (TCP) count. The Electoral Commissioner accepts these variations as an outcome of a manual count process where the variation has no material impact on the outcome of the election.

Preferential Count explanation

The Preferential Count page displays a progressive count where a candidate with the fewest votes is eliminated and his/her ballot papers are distributed to the remaining candidates according to the next available preference shown on the ballot paper.

To be elected, a candidate must obtain more than 50% + 1 of the total formal votes in the count. First, all the number "1" votes are counted for each candidate. These are called First Preference Votes. If a candidate has more than half the total of First Preference Votes, that candidate is elected.

If no candidate has more than half of the first preferences, the candidate with the fewest votes is excluded. That candidate's votes are moved on to the other candidates according to the second preference (the 2's) shown by the voters on that candidate's ballot papers. Ballot papers which only show a first preference vote are excluded and are not considered as part of the count. This process progresses excluding the candidate with the fewest votes until one candidate has more than half the total votes remaining in the count and is declared elected.

Distribution of Preferences Countsheets

Electoral District	East Hills
Election Day:	26 March 2011

Current as at :
2/04/2011 21:06

Candidates	First Preference Votes	Count 1		Count 2		Count 3		Count 4		Count 5		Count 6		Votes	Votes
		ZALLOUA Boutros		HURLEY Stan		FALANGA Mark		BATCH Tony		ROBERTS Susan					
		Excluded	Votes	Excluded	Votes	Excluded	Votes	Excluded	Votes	Excluded	Votes				
		715		1001		1884		2207		2437					
		VOTES DISTRIBUTED	PROGRESSIVE TOTALS	VOTES DISTRIBUTED	PROGRESSIVE TOTALS	VOTES DISTRIBUTED	PROGRESSIVE TOTALS	VOTES DISTRIBUTED	PROGRESSIVE TOTALS	VOTES DISTRIBUTED	PROGRESSIVE TOTALS	VOTES DISTRIBUTED	PROGRESSIVE TOTALS	VOTES DISTRIBUTED	PROGRESSIVE TOTALS
ZALLOUA Boutros	715														
ASHTON Alan (Labor)	17,528	156	17,684	115	17,799	158	17,957	519	18,476	734	19,210				
BATCH Tony (Independent)	1,879	43	1,922	150	2,072	135	2,207								
BROOKES Glenn (Liberal)	17,929	58	17,987	84	18,071	784	18,855	467	19,322	382	19,704		ELECTED		
HURLEY Stan (Family First)	991	10	1,001												
ROBERTS Susan (The Greens)	2,105	13	2,118	61	2,179	67	2,246	191	2,437						
FALANGA Mark (Christian Democratic Party)	1,771	21	1,792	92	1,884										
Total Formal Votes	42,918	301	42,504	502	42,005	1,144	41,265	1,177	40,235	1,116	38,914				
Exhausted Votes		414	414	499	913	740	1,653	1,030	2,683	1,321	4,004				
Total Informal Votes	1,770		1,770		1,770		1,770		1,770		1,770				
Total Votes	44,688	715	44688	1001	44688	1884	44688	2207	44688	2437	44688				

Absolute Majority:	21,460	21,253	21,003	20,633	20,118	19,458		
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Congratulations, distribution complete.

BROOKES Glenn (Liberal) will be elected provided no recount required.

Returning Officer Signature	Date
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