

## 2011 State General Election

### Legislative Assembly

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

Although a full distribution of preferences was not undertaken for this election, the final distribution of votes to the last two candidates in the count is as shown in the Two Candidate Preferred (TCP) count. The TCP count can be taken as a definitive distribution as the minor candidates have insufficient votes to change the TCP candidate selection.

#### **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 Countsheet

Electoral District	Lakemba
Election Day:	26 March 2011

Current as at :  
2/04/2011 22:44

Candidates	First Preference Votes	Count 1		Count 2		Count 3									
		QUIADER Omar		KAM Sungjae											
		Excluded		Excluded											
		1133	Votes	2038	Votes	Votes	Votes	Votes	Votes	Votes	Votes	Votes	Votes	Votes	Votes
		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
HAWATT Michael (Liberal)	16,333	184	16,517	438	16,955										
QUIADER Omar (Independent)	1,133														
KAM Sungjae (Christian Democratic Party)	1,998	40	2,038												
FUROLO Robert (Labor)	21,595	132	21,727	249	21,976		<b>ELECTED</b>								
EISLER Linda (The Greens)	3,374	91	3,465	107	3,572										
Total Formal Votes	44,433	447	43,747	794	42,503										
Exhausted Votes		686	686	1,244	1,930										
Total Informal Votes	2,419		2,419		2,419										
Total Votes	46,852	1133	46852	2038	46852										

Absolute Majority:	22,217	21,874	21,252												
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Congratulations, distribution complete.

FUROLO Robert (Labor) will be elected provided no recount required.

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