

REPRESENTATIONS MADE IN RESPECT OF PROVISIONAL RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE PRESERVED COUNTY OF SOUTH GLAMORGAN

Summary of Representations

May 2004

The Commission welcome correspondence and telephone calls either in English or Welsh.

Summary of the Representations made in respect of the Commission's provisional recommendations for the Preserved County of South Glamorgan issued on 5th January 2004

APPROVAL

1	Pentrych Community Council	Has no objections to the proposal to move Pentyrch, Creigiau and Gwaelod y Garth into the Cardiff West constituency.
2	The Welsh Conservative Party	Supports proposals for South Glamorgan.
3	Welsh Labour	Fully supports provisional recommendations in all aspects.
4	Welsh Liberal Democrats	Supports proposals in respect of South Glamorgan
5	Bridgend Conservative Association	Considers transfer of communities of Ewenny and St. Brides Major to the Vale of Glamorgan constituency makes geographical and community interest sense.
6	Cardiff North Constituency Labour Party	In complete agreement with proposals for Cardiff North. Considers current boundaries are logical and justifiable.
7	Cardiff South & Penarth Labour Party	Broadly supports the proposals for South Glamorgan . Approves inclusion of Pentyrch and Creigiau/St. Fagans in Cardiff West and St. Brides Major and Llandow/Ewenny in the Vale of Glamorgan constituency.
8	Cardiff West Constituency Labour Party	Approves proposal to include Creigiau/St Fagans & Pentyrch electoral divisions in the Cardiff West constituency.
9	Ms Lorraine Barrett AM	Approves proposals for Cardiff South & Penarth constituency. Considers Pentyrch and Creigiau/St. Fagans must be included in Cardiff West and St. Brides Major and Llandow/Ewenny in the Vale of Glamorgan constituency.
10	Rt Hon Rhodri Morgan AM	Content with proposals for Cardiff West.

OBJECTION

11	Penarth Town Council	Opposes to the proposals to transfer Sully from the Vale of Glamorgan to Cardiff South as it has little in common with this area.
12	Sully Community Council	Objects to proposals for Sully due to size of the proposed electorate and for social, historic & logical reasons. Rural Sully considered part of the Vale not part of the city of Cardiff. Wants a sixth constituency based on the Vale.
13	Ewenny & Vale Branch Labour Party	Objects to transfer of Ewenny, Wick & St Brides Major from Bridgend to the Vale of Glamorgan for historical, cultural, geographic & community reasons. Suggests alternative where

		Penarth moves to the Vale and parts of western Vale to Bridgend.
14	Pontypridd CLP	Objects to the proposals that specifically affect Creigiau, Pentyrch and Gwaelod y Garth.
15	Dr Kim Howells MP	Concerns in respect of moving Creigiau and Pentyrch to Cardiff West constituency.
16	Ms Jane Hutt AM	Has reservations in respect of Sully Ward moving into Cardiff South and Penarth and moving St Brides Major into the Vale of Glamorgan, also believes that Vale of Glamorgan Constituency has reached its maximum electoral size.
17	Dr E A Bowers	Objects to transfer of St Brides Major from Bridgend to Vale of Glamorgan for geographic & cultural reasons. Would prefer to Include Kenfig Hill & Pyle within Aberavon, due to long-standing links.
18	Cllr. Anthony M Ernest	Objects to the proposals to move Sully from the Vale constituency to Cardiff South & Penarth as rural Sully has strong ties to the Vale and little in common with the city of Cardiff.

PART APPROVAL/PART OBJECTION

19	Vale of Glamorgan County Borough Council	Supports inclusion of St Brides Major and Llandow/Ewenny within Vale of Glamorgan, but opposes adding Sully to Cardiff South and Penarth.
20	Mr D Fox	Suggests the Vale of Glamorgan constituency is renamed the Glamorgan Vale constituency and approves Penarth being part of Cardiff constituency.

The main objection to the provisional recommendations is in respect of the transfer of the Sully electoral division from the Vale of Glamorgan Constituency to the Cardiff South and Penarth Constituency. The following table gives details of the representations made in respect of this issue and the representations that support the provisional recommendations for this area.

	Representations	Total
Objection	11,12,16,18,19	5
Approval	2, 3, 4, 7(with caveats), 9	5

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