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**COUNCIL - 25 FEBRUARY 2002** 

## BY-ELECTIONS FOR THE MILFORD, PENNINGTON AND RINGWOOD NORTH WARDS - 21 FEBRUARY 2002 - REPORT OF THE RETURNING OFFICER

- 1. Elections to fill the vacancies for the Milford, Pennington and Ringwood North Wards on the Council, caused by the resignations of Councillors Droogleever, Cummings and Waddington, were held on 21 February 2002.
- 2. The numbers of votes cast for each candidate, and the percentage polls at each, were:

| Milford Ward<br>Brian Michael Frankland Pemberton (Conservative)<br>Jacqueline Margaret Szwaczka (Liberal Democrat)                            |        | 781<br>275        |
|--|--------|-------------------|
| Percentage Poll:   | 25.6%  |                   |
| <b>Pennington Ward</b><br>Penelope Louise Beasley (Conservative)<br>Paul Eric Hickman (Liberal Democrat)                                       |        | 449<br>1079       |
| Percentage Poll:   | 34.8%  |                   |
| <b>Ringwood North Ward</b><br>Peter Chambers (Liberal Democrat)<br>Lorna Christine Ford (Conservative)<br>Stephen Charles Wright (Independent) |        | 169<br>337<br>203 |
| Percentage Poll:   | 18.18% |                   |

3. Brian Michael Frankland Pemberton, Paul Eric Hickman and Lorna Christine Ford have been declared elected to the District Council.

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