

NORTH WEST

1. The Conservative Party supports the use of the Sainte-Laguë method to allocate seats to the English regions. We therefore support the allocation of 68 seats to the North West region, and the decision not to cross the regional boundary at any point.
2. The Conservative Party supports the Commission's decision to group various local authority areas into sub-regions. We support each of the Commission's groupings, and the proposed allocations to those sub-regions, as follows:

Sub-region	Proposed allocation
Cheshire, Greater Manchester, Lancashire, and Wirral	53
Cumbria	5
Merseyside (less Wirral)	10

Cheshire, Greater Manchester, Lancashire, and Wirral

1. In the sub-region of Cheshire, Greater Manchester, Lancashire, and Wirral, the Conservative Party supports the Commission's proposals, in their entirety, for the following seats:
 - a. Blackburn BC (76,468 electors)
 - b. Blackpool North and Fleetwood BC (80,400 electors)
 - c. Blackpool South BC (80,402 electors)
 - d. Bury North BC (76,764 electors)
 - e. Bury South BC (75,140 electors)
 - f. Cheadle BC (72,826 electors)
 - g. Chester CC (80,313 electors)
 - h. Chorley CC (79,612 electors)
 - i. Congleton CC (73,820 electors)
 - j. Crewe and Nantwich CC (78,845 electors)
 - k. Fylde CC (78,304 electors)
 - l. Hazel Grove and Poynton CC (73,091 electors)
 - m. Macclesfield CC (80,265 electors)
 - n. Manchester Withington BC (74,406 electors)
 - o. Morecambe and Lunesdale CC (72,905 electors)
 - p. South Ribble CC (78,375 electors)
 - q. Stalybridge and Hyde CC (80,177 electors)
 - r. West Lancashire CC (73,028 electors)
 - s. Wigan CC (76,779 electors)
2. In this sub-region, the Conservative Party supports the Commission's compositions of the following seats, but disagrees with the names of the seats:
 - a. Hoylake and Neston BC (77,236 electors)
 - b. Rochdale North and Rawtenstall CC (80,435 electors); and
 - c. Winsford CC (74,064 electors).The Party instead proposes that these seats be named:
 - a. Wirral Deeside BC
 - b. Rochdale North and Bacup CC; and
 - c. Eddisbury CC, respectively.
3. In this sub-region, the Conservative Party does not support the Commission's proposals for the following seats:
 - a. Altrincham and Sale BC (80,385 electors)
 - b. Ashton under Lyne BC (72,954 electors)
 - c. Birkenhead BC (76,650 electors)
 - d. Blackley and Broughton BC (80,297 electors)
 - e. Bolton North BC (78,643 electors)

- f. Bolton South BC (78,550 electors)
- g. Burnley North and Nelson BC (74,989 electors)
- h. Burnley South and Accrington BC (78,881 electors)
- i. Darwen and Haslingden CC (79,436 electors)
- j. Denton BC (72,964 electors)
- k. Lancaster CC (79,694 electors)
- l. Leigh CC (79,452 electors)
- m. Makerfield CC (74,873 electors)
- n. Manchester Central BC (79,576 electors)
- o. Manchester Gorton BC (76,099 electors)
- p. Mersey Banks CC (80,371 electors)
- q. Middleton BC (75,097 electors)
- r. Northwich CC (74,003 electors)
- s. Oldham and Saddleworth CC (72,810 electors)
- t. Preston BC (79,733 electors)
- u. Ribble Valley CC (73,653 electors)
- v. Rochdale South BC (78,347 electors)
- w. Stockport BC (72,917 electors)
- x. Stretford and Urmston BC (77,813 electors)
- y. Swinton BC (75,922 electors)
- z. Wallasey BC (75,519 electors)
- aa. Warrington North BC (79,689 electors)
- bb. Warrington South BC (79,363 electors)
- cc. Westhoughton CC (79,080 electors)
- dd. Widnes and Runcorn BC (79,581 electors); and
- ee. Wythenshawe BC (80,310 electors).

4. In their place, the Conservative Party proposes the following seats:

- a. Altrincham and Sale BC (79,916 electors)
- b. Ashton-under-Lyne and Denton BC (79,081 electors)
- c. Birkenhead BC (74,264 electors)
- d. Blackley and Middleton BC (80,012 electors)
- e. Bolton North BC (79,372 electors)
- f. Bolton South BC (77,651 electors)
- g. Burnley and Accrington BC (78,838 electors)
- h. Darwen and Haslingden CC (79,571 electors)
- i. Lancaster and Wyre CC (75,970 electors)
- j. Leigh CC (77,001 electors)
- k. Makerfield CC (74,856 electors)
- l. Manchester Central BC (79,087 electors)
- m. Manchester Gorton BC (75,021 electors)
- n. Manchester Wythenshawe BC (72,822 electors)
- o. Mersey Banks CC (78,071 electors)
- p. Oldham East and Saddleworth CC (73,221 electors)
- q. Oldham West BC (80,003 electors)
- r. Pendle and Burnley Rural CC (75,713 electors)
- s. Preston BC (77,987 electors)
- t. Ribble Valley CC (78,307 electors)
- u. Rochdale South BC (78,861 electors)
- v. Salford BC (78,045 electors)
- w. Stockport BC (73,205 electors)
- x. Stretford and Urmston BC (78,446 electors)
- y. Swinton and Eccles BC (75,109 electors)
- z. Tatton CC (77,371 electors)
- aa. Walkden and Westhoughton CC (74,380 electors)
- bb. Wallasey BC (77,905 electors)

- cc. Warrington North BC (79,915 electors)
- dd. Warrington South BC (78,317 electors); and
- ee. Widnes and Runcorn BC (79,333 electors).

Cumbria

1. In the sub-region of Cumbria, the Conservative Party supports the Commission's proposals, in their entirety, for the following seat:
 - a. Carlisle CC (79,030 electors).
2. In this sub-region, the Conservative Party does not support the Commission's proposals for the following seats:
 - a. Barrow-in-Furness CC (73,677 electors)
 - b. Copeland and Windermere CC (77,712 electors)
 - c. Kendal and Penrith CC (79,685 electors); and
 - d. Workington and Keswick CC (80,266 electors).
3. In their place, the Conservative Party proposes the following seats:
 - a. Barrow and Furness CC (80,457 electors)
 - b. Penrith and Solway CC (76,325 electors)
 - c. Westmorland and Lonsdale CC (76,274 electors); and
 - d. Workington and Whitehaven BC (78,284 electors).

Merseyside (less Wirral)

1. In the sub-region of Merseyside (less Wirral), the Conservative Party supports the Commission's proposals, in their entirety, for the following seats:
 - a. Huyton and Halewood BC (77,277 electors)
 - b. Liverpool Wavertree BC (74,983 electors)
 - c. Southport BC (77,555 electors)
 - d. St Helens North BC (75,688 electors); and
 - e. St Helens South and Whiston BC (78,612 electors).
2. In this sub-region, the Conservative Party does not support the Commission's proposals for the following seats:
 - a. Bootle BC (73,546 electors); and
 - b. Liverpool North BC (76,960 electors)
 - c. Liverpool Riverside BC (80,030 electors)
 - d. Liverpool West Derby BC (78,469 electors)
 - e. Maghull BC (78,223 electors).
3. In their place, the Conservative Party proposes the following seats:
 - a. Bootle BC (73,190 electors)
 - b. Liverpool North BC (79,128 electors)
 - c. Liverpool Riverside BC (73,105 electors)
 - d. Liverpool West Derby BC (76,094 electors); and
 - e. Maghull BC (78,579 electors).

Cheshire – counter-proposal

Local authorities affected

Cheshire East
Cheshire West and Chester
Halton
Warrington
Wirral

Proposed constituencies affected (BCE’s proposed seats)

Mersey Banks
Northwich
Warrington North
Warrington South
Widnes and Runcorn

Counter-proposal

Ward	Boundary Commission’s seat	Counter-proposal	Electorate
Ditton	Mersey Banks	Widnes and Runcorn	5,404
Hale	Mersey Banks	Widnes and Runcorn	1,561
Halton View	Widnes and Runcorn	Warrington South	5,184
Penketh and Cuerdley	Widnes and Runcorn	Warrington South	6,892
Heath	Widnes and Runcorn	Mersey Banks	4,665
Daresbury	Warrington South	Tatton	3,368
Norton North	Warrington South	Widnes and Runcorn	4,917
Norton South	Warrington South	Widnes and Runcorn	4,611
Bewsey and Whitecross	Warrington South	Warrington North	8,079
Fairfield and Howley	Warrington South	Warrington North	8,891
Poulton South	Warrington South	Warrington North	5,282
Great Sankey North	Warrington North	Warrington South	5,072
Great Sankey South	Warrington North	Warrington South	8,246
Whittle Hall	Warrington North	Warrington South	8,708

Justification

We disagree with the principle of crossing the Mersey at a point with no transport links. The proposed Mersey Banks seat appears to be in conflict with the Commission’s own guidance, contained in the *Guide to the 2013 Review*, on detached parts. Our plan enables the Mersey Banks seat to extend eastwards towards Runcorn rather than crossing the Mersey at a point with no links.

Our plans place the borough of Warrington in two seats, with minimal change to the existing Warrington North and South seats, whereas the Commission’s plans involve major disruption and three seats in the borough of Warrington.

Our plans involve a core Halton seat entirely within the borough, whereas the Commission’s Widnes and Runcorn crosses into Warrington and there is no seat exclusively within the borough of Halton.

Number of electors retained in their existing constituencies

	Commission’s plan	Counter-proposal
Mersey Banks	30,678	30,678
Northwich	44,777	44,777
Warrington North	57,663	71,836
Warrington South	52,294	73,133

Widnes and Runcorn	63,357	65,657
Total electors unmoved	248,769	286,081
Total electorate in the affected seats	393,007	393,007
Percentage of electors unmoved	63.3%	72.8%

* All remaining wards in the Commission's Northwich are retained in our Tatton.

Therefore **37,312** fewer electors move under our counter-proposal.

Local authority links

First figure is "Number of seats within the local authority"

Second figure (in brackets) is "Number of seats entirely within the local authority"

	Commission's plan	Counter-proposal
Cheshire East:	6 (3)	6 (3)
Cheshire West and Chester:	5 (1)	5 (1)
Halton:	3 (0)	4 (1)
Warrington:	3 (1)	2 (1)
Wirral:	4 (2)	4 (2)

Therefore under our counter-proposal, Warrington has one fewer seat within the local authority than the Commission's proposal. Halton now has one seat entirely within the local authority.

	Commission's plan	Counter-proposal
Number of seats containing part of one local authority	1	2
Number of seats containing part of two local authorities	3	1
Number of seats containing part of three local authorities	1	2

Counter-proposal

Mersey Banks

5.	Central and Westminster	Cheshire West and Chester	10,161	Mersey Banks
8.	Frodsham and Helsby	Cheshire West and Chester	11,030	Mersey Banks
10.	Grange and Rossmere	Cheshire West and Chester	10,454	Mersey Banks
20.	Sutton and Manor	Cheshire West and Chester	10,063	Mersey Banks
22.	Weaver	Cheshire West and Chester	9,965	Mersey Banks
14.	Heath	Halton	4,665	Mersey Banks
4.	Bromborough	Wirral	10,730	Mersey Banks
7.	Eastham	Wirral	11,003	Mersey Banks
			<u>78,071</u>	

Tatton

1.	Alderley	Cheshire East	10,420	Tatton
5.	Bucklow	Cheshire East	10,057	Tatton
15.	Knutsford	Cheshire East	10,291	Tatton
1.	Abbey	Cheshire West and Chester	9,815	Tatton

14.	Marbury	Cheshire West and Chester	10,550	Tatton
17.	Northwich East and Shakerley	Cheshire West and Chester	10,275	Tatton
18.	Northwich West	Cheshire West and Chester	12,595	Tatton
6.	Daresbury	Halton	3,368	Tatton
			<u>77,371</u>	

Warrington North

2.	Bewsey and Whitecross	Warrington	8,079	Warrington North
3.	Birchwood	Warrington	8,179	Warrington North
4.	Burtonwood and Winwick	Warrington	4,998	Warrington North
5.	Culcheth, Glazebury and Croft	Warrington	8,523	Warrington North
6.	Fairfield and Howley	Warrington	8,891	Warrington North
14.	Orford	Warrington	7,790	Warrington North
16.	Poplars and Hulme	Warrington	7,606	Warrington North
17.	Poulton North	Warrington	8,101	Warrington North
18.	Poulton South	Warrington	5,282	Warrington North
19.	Rixton and Woolston	Warrington	7,428	Warrington North
21.	Westbrook	Warrington	5,038	Warrington North
			<u>79,915</u>	

Warrington South

13.	Halton View	Halton	5,184	Warrington South
1.	Appleton	Warrington	8,343	Warrington South
7.	Grappenhall and Thelwall	Warrington	7,749	Warrington South
8.	Great Sankey North	Warrington	5,072	Warrington South
9.	Great Sankey South	Warrington	8,246	Warrington South
10.	Hatton, Stretton and Walton	Warrington	2,448	Warrington South
11.	Latchford East	Warrington	5,886	Warrington South
12.	Latchford West	Warrington	5,291	Warrington South
13.	Lymm	Warrington	9,484	Warrington South
15.	Penketh and Cuerdley	Warrington	6,892	Warrington South
20.	Stockton Heath	Warrington	5,014	Warrington South
22.	Whittle Hall	Warrington	8,708	Warrington South
			<u>78,317</u>	

Widnes and Runcorn

1.	Appleton	Halton	4,773	Widnes and Runcorn
2.	Beechwood	Halton	3,083	Widnes and Runcorn
3.	Birchfield	Halton	4,983	Widnes and Runcorn
4.	Broadheath	Halton	4,867	Widnes and Runcorn

5.	Halton Castle	Halton	4,496	Widnes and Runcorn
7.	Ditton	Halton	5,404	Widnes and Runcorn
8.	Farnworth	Halton	5,663	Widnes and Runcorn
9.	Grange	Halton	4,971	Widnes and Runcorn
10.	Hale	Halton	1,561	Widnes and Runcorn
11.	Halton Brook	Halton	4,810	Widnes and Runcorn
12.	Halton Lea	Halton	4,628	Widnes and Runcorn
15.	Hough Green	Halton	5,304	Widnes and Runcorn
16.	Kingsway	Halton	4,973	Widnes and Runcorn
17.	Mersey	Halton	5,053	Widnes and Runcorn
18.	Norton North	Halton	4,917	Widnes and Runcorn
19.	Norton South	Halton	4,611	Widnes and Runcorn
20.	Riverside	Halton	3,615	Widnes and Runcorn
21.	Windmill Hill	Halton	1,621	Widnes and Runcorn
			<u>79,333</u>	

Wirral – counter-proposal

Local authorities affected

Wirral

Proposed constituencies affected (BCE’s proposed seats)

Birkenhead

Wallasey

Counter-proposal

Ward	Boundary Commission’s seat	Counter-proposal	Electorate
Bidston and St James	Wallasey	Birkenhead	9,787
Upton	Birkenhead	Wallasey	12,173

Justification

The Commission’s proposals place Bidston and St James into Wallasey. This ward is clearly part of Birkenhead, containing Birkenhead Park and Birkenhead North railway stations, and is separated from Wallasey by Bidston Moss and by the Birkenhead Docks. Our plans reverse this and place Bidston and St James back into Birkenhead, thus re-uniting the whole of the current Birkenhead seat in the new Birkenhead seat.

The Commission’s proposals place Upton into Birkenhead. There are no road links between this ward and the rest of the seat that are entirely contained within the new seat. Upton is essentially separated from Birkenhead by the M53. Our plans instead place Upton into the Wallasey seat, with which it has better links, particularly with the town of Moreton.

Number of electors retained in their existing constituencies

	Commission’s plan	Counter-proposal
Birkenhead	52,645	62,432
Wallasey	65,732	65,732
Total electors unmoved	118,377	128,164
Total electorate in the affected seats	152,169	152,169
Percentage of electors unmoved	77.8%	84.2%

Therefore **9,787** fewer electors move under our counter-proposal.

Counter-proposal

Birkenhead

1. Bebington	Wirral	11,832	Birkenhead
2. Bidston and St James	Wirral	9,787	Birkenhead
3. Birkenhead and Tranmere	Wirral	9,743	Birkenhead
6. Claughton	Wirral	11,294	Birkenhead
15. Oxtton	Wirral	11,092	Birkenhead
17. Prenton	Wirral	10,877	Birkenhead
18. Rock Ferry	Wirral	9,639	Birkenhead
		<u>74,264</u>	

Wallasey

11. Leasowe and Moreton East	Wirral	10,653	Wallasey
12. Liscard	Wirral	11,096	Wallasey
13. Moreton West and Saughall Massie	Wirral	10,794	Wallasey
14. New Brighton	Wirral	10,807	Wallasey
19. Seacombe	Wirral	10,425	Wallasey
20. Upton	Wirral	12,173	Wallasey
21. Wallasey	Wirral	<u>11,957</u>	Wallasey
		<u>77,905</u>	

Greater Manchester – counter-proposal

Local authorities affected

Bolton
Manchester
Oldham
Rochdale
Salford
Stockport
Tameside
Trafford
Wigan

Proposed constituencies affected (BCE's proposed seats)

Altrincham and Sale
Ashton-under-Lyne
Blackley and Broughton
Bolton North
Bolton South
Denton
Leigh
Makerfield
Manchester Central
Manchester Gorton
Middleton
Oldham and Saddleworth
Rochdale South
Stockport
Stretford and Urmston
Swinton
Westhoughton
Wythenshawe

Counter-proposal

Comprehensive within the Greater Manchester metropolitan county.

Justification

The Commission's plans split the town of Horwich between the Bolton North and Westhoughton seats. Our plans preserve the town in the Bolton North seat and avoid this split. Horwich enjoys good links to Bolton along the A673, a much greater link than it has with Westhoughton, and both towns are linked (at Blackrod and Horwich Parkway stations) to Lostock and then to Bolton, along the Manchester-Preston railway line.

The Commission's plans split the town of Leigh between the Leigh and Westhoughton seats. In the case of the part of Leigh contained in the Leigh seat, it is united in the north with Walkden, where there is only one road entirely within the seat connecting the two towns, and in the south with Irlam, from which it is divided by Chat Moss, and again there is only one (single-track) road entirely within the seat connecting the two towns.

Our plans avoid this entirely, leaving the existing Leigh and Makerfield seats unchanged, placing Walkden in a seat with Westhoughton and Atherton, noting that all three towns are well connected by the Manchester-Southport Line between Daisy Hill and Walkden stations, and by the A6.

Our plans then place the town of Irlam in the Swinton and Eccles seat, which is largely a re-creation of the Eccles seat that existed from 1997 to 2010.

Our plans avoid splitting the town of Sale into three seats, as the Commission propose, and instead divide it between two seats. This also means that the Wythenshawe seat becomes entirely contained within the city of Manchester.

Our plans place Reddish North ward of Stockport in the Manchester Gorton seat. We feel that this is justified as Reddish has strong links with Gorton, including the Hope Valley railway line between Belle Vue and Reddish North stations.

Our plans restore a core Salford seat, as opposed to the Commission's plans in which the centres of Salford and Manchester are united in the Manchester Central seat. Salford is distinct from Manchester and has enjoyed separate Parliamentary representation since 1832 and city status since 1926. We feel that it should be retained as a seat separate from central Manchester.

The Commission's plans divide the town of Heywood between the Rochdale South and Middleton seats. Our plans would re-unite the town in the Rochdale South seat.

Our plans unite the whole of Ashton town centre in one seat, by including the St Peter's ward of Tameside in the Ashton-under-Lyne seat, with the other Ashton wards, thus the whole of the Ashton seat is within the borough of Tameside.

Our plans reduce the number of seats which cross more than one metropolitan borough from nine to six, while increasing the number wholly contained within one metropolitan borough from nine to twelve.

Number of electors retained in their existing constituencies

	Commission's plan
Altrincham and Sale	64,715
Ashton-under-Lyne	41,741
Blackley and Broughton	59,002
Bolton North	48,285
Bolton South	69,088
Denton	35,309
Leigh	40,452
Makerfield	56,178
Manchester Central	45,678
Manchester Gorton	53,553
Middleton	48,959
Oldham and Saddleworth	55,890
Rochdale South	30,970
Stockport	52,028
Stretford and Urmston	70,520
Swinton	42,965
Westhoughton	41,096
Wythenshawe	59,932
Total electors unmoved	916,361
Total electorate in the affected seats	1,386,089
Percentage of electors unmoved	66.1%

	Counter-proposal
Altrincham and Sale	72,008
Ashton-under-Lyne and Denton	43,772
Blackley and Middleton	32,086
Bolton North	39,428
Bolton South	59,332

Leigh	77,001
Makerfield	74,856
Manchester Central	67,703
Manchester Gorton	53,553
Manchester Wythenshawe	52,444
Oldham East and Saddleworth	64,815
Oldham West	47,788
Rochdale South	39,756
Salford	42,049
Stockport	52,028
Stretford and Urmston	63,196
Swinton and Eccles	40,295
Walkden and Westhoughton	33,114
Total electors unmoved	950,484
Total electorate in the affected seats	1,386,089
Percentage of electors unmoved	68.5%

Therefore **38,863** fewer electors move under our counter-proposal.

Local authority links

First figure is “Number of seats within the local authority”

Second figure (in brackets) is “Number of seats entirely within the local authority”

	Commission’s plan	Counter-proposal
Bolton	4 (2)	4 (2)
Manchester	6 (2)	6 (3)
Oldham	4 (1)	4 (1)
Rochdale	3 (0)	3 (0)
Salford	4 (1)	3 (1)
Stockport	4 (2)	4 (2)
Tameside	3 (1)	3 (2)
Trafford	3 (2)	3 (2)
Wigan	4 (2)	4 (3)

Therefore under our counter-proposal, Salford has one fewer seat within the local authority than the Commission’s proposal. Manchester, Tameside, and Wigan all have one more seat entirely contained within the local authority.

	Commission’s plan	Counter-proposal
Number of seats containing part of one local authority	9	12
Number of seats containing part of two local authorities	8	3
Number of seats containing part of three local authorities	1	3

Counter-proposal

Altrincham and Sale

1.	Altrincham	Trafford	8,242	Altrincham and Sale
2.	Ashton upon Mersey	Trafford	7,293	Altrincham and Sale
3.	Bowdon	Trafford	7,244	Altrincham and Sale
4.	Broadheath	Trafford	9,313	Altrincham and Sale

5.	Brooklands	Trafford	7,908	Altrincham and Sale
12.	Hale Barns	Trafford	7,582	Altrincham and Sale
13.	Hale Central	Trafford	7,373	Altrincham and Sale
16.	St Mary's	Trafford	8,732	Altrincham and Sale
19.	Timperley	Trafford	8,392	Altrincham and Sale
21.	Village	Trafford	7,837	Altrincham and Sale
			<u>79,916</u>	

Ashton-under-Lyne and Denton

1.	Ashton Hurst	Tameside	8,853	Ashton-under-Lyne and Denton
2.	Ashton St Michael's	Tameside	8,566	Ashton-under-Lyne and Denton
3.	Ashton Waterloo	Tameside	8,604	Ashton-under-Lyne and Denton
4.	Audenshaw	Tameside	8,794	Ashton-under-Lyne and Denton
5.	Denton North East	Tameside	8,604	Ashton-under-Lyne and Denton
6.	Denton South	Tameside	8,582	Ashton-under-Lyne and Denton
7.	Denton West	Tameside	9,329	Ashton-under-Lyne and Denton
8.	Droylsden East	Tameside	8,962	Ashton-under-Lyne and Denton
17.	St Peter's	Tameside	8,787	Ashton-under-Lyne and Denton
			<u>79,081</u>	

Blackley and Middleton

7.	Charlestown	Manchester	10,004	Blackley and Middleton
12.	Crumpsall	Manchester	9,869	Blackley and Middleton
19.	Higher Blackley	Manchester	9,077	Blackley and Middleton
25.	Moston	Manchester	10,903	Blackley and Middleton
4.	Chadderton South	Oldham	8,073	Blackley and Middleton
5.	East Middleton	Rochdale	7,975	Blackley and Middleton
14.	North Middleton	Rochdale	7,949	Blackley and Middleton
16.	South Middleton	Rochdale	7,771	Blackley and Middleton
20.	West Middleton	Rochdale	8,391	Blackley and Middleton
			<u>80,012</u>	

Bolton North

1.	Astley Bridge	Bolton	10,109	Bolton North
4.	Bromley Cross	Bolton	10,587	Bolton North
5.	Crompton	Bolton	9,921	Bolton North
8.	Halliwell	Bolton	8,811	Bolton North
10.	Heaton and Lostock	Bolton	10,683	Bolton North
11.	Horwich and Blackrod	Bolton	9,586	Bolton North
12.	Horwich North East	Bolton	9,772	Bolton North
17.	Smithills	Bolton	9,903	Bolton North
			<u>79,372</u>	

Bolton South

3.	Brightmet	Bolton	9,462	Bolton South
6.	Farnworth	Bolton	10,657	Bolton South
7.	Great Lever	Bolton	9,318	Bolton South
9.	Harper Green	Bolton	9,503	Bolton South
14.	Kearsley	Bolton	10,398	Bolton South
15.	Little Lever and Darcy Lever	Bolton	9,702	Bolton South

16.	Rumworth	Bolton	9,754	Bolton South
18.	Tonge with the Haulgh	Bolton	8,857	Bolton South
			<u>77,651</u>	

Leigh

4.	Astley Mosley Common	Wigan	9,357	Leigh
5.	Atherleigh	Wigan	8,535	Leigh
9.	Golborne and Lowton West	Wigan	8,990	Leigh
13.	Leigh East	Wigan	9,184	Leigh
14.	Leigh South	Wigan	10,298	Leigh
15.	Leigh West	Wigan	10,771	Leigh
16.	Lowton East	Wigan	9,705	Leigh
21.	Tyldesley	Wigan	10,161	Leigh
			<u>77,001</u>	

Makerfield

1.	Abram	Wigan	10,587	Makerfield
2.	Ashton	Wigan	9,144	Makerfield
7.	Bryn	Wigan	9,236	Makerfield
10.	Hindley	Wigan	10,059	Makerfield
11.	Hindley Green	Wigan	8,619	Makerfield
17.	Orrell	Wigan	9,305	Makerfield
24.	Winstanley	Wigan	8,871	Makerfield
25.	Worsley Mesnes	Wigan	9,035	Makerfield
			<u>74,856</u>	

Manchester Central

1.	Ancoats and Clayton	Manchester	11,219	Manchester Central
2.	Ardwick	Manchester	11,633	Manchester Central
4.	Bradford	Manchester	10,381	Manchester Central
11.	City Centre	Manchester	12,731	Manchester Central
18.	Harpurhey	Manchester	11,384	Manchester Central
20.	Hulme	Manchester	11,347	Manchester Central
23.	Miles Platting and Newton Heath	Manchester	10,392	Manchester Central
			<u>79,087</u>	

Manchester Gorton

16.	Gorton North	Manchester	10,574	Manchester Gorton
17.	Gorton South	Manchester	11,753	Manchester Gorton
21.	Levenshulme	Manchester	10,733	Manchester Gorton
22.	Longsight	Manchester	10,451	Manchester Gorton
24.	Moss Side	Manchester	10,913	Manchester Gorton
28.	Rusholme	Manchester	10,042	Manchester Gorton
19.	Reddish North	Stockport	10,555	Manchester Gorton
			<u>75,021</u>	

Manchester Wythenshawe

3.	Baguley	Manchester	10,608	Manchester Wythenshawe
5.	Brooklands	Manchester	10,300	Manchester Wythenshawe

13.	Didsbury East	Manchester	10,402	Manchester Wythenshawe
14.	Didsbury West	Manchester	9,976	Manchester Wythenshawe
26.	Northenden	Manchester	10,733	Manchester Wythenshawe
29.	Sharston	Manchester	11,209	Manchester Wythenshawe
32.	Woodhouse Park	Manchester	9,594	Manchester Wythenshawe
			<u>72,822</u>	

Oldham East and Saddleworth

6.	Crompton	Oldham	8,397	Oldham East and Saddleworth
12.	Royton South	Oldham	8,406	Oldham East and Saddleworth
13.	Saddleworth North	Oldham	7,638	Oldham East and Saddleworth
14.	Saddleworth South	Oldham	7,900	Oldham East and Saddleworth
15.	Saddleworth West and Lees	Oldham	8,385	Oldham East and Saddleworth
16.	St James'	Oldham	7,775	Oldham East and Saddleworth
17.	St Mary's	Oldham	8,544	Oldham East and Saddleworth
18.	Shaw	Oldham	7,962	Oldham East and Saddleworth
19.	Waterhead	Oldham	8,214	Oldham East and Saddleworth
			<u>73,221</u>	

Oldham West

1.	Alexandra	Oldham	7,434	Oldham West
2.	Chadderton Central	Oldham	7,921	Oldham West
3.	Chadderton North	Oldham	8,213	Oldham West
5.	Coldhurst	Oldham	8,514	Oldham West
7.	Failsworth East	Oldham	7,941	Oldham West
8.	Failsworth West	Oldham	7,777	Oldham West
9.	Hollinwood	Oldham	7,503	Oldham West
10.	Medlock Vale	Oldham	8,110	Oldham West
20.	Werneth	Oldham	7,527	Oldham West
9.	Droylsden West	Tameside	9,063	Oldham West
			<u>80,003</u>	

Rochdale South

11.	Royton North	Oldham	8,135	Rochdale South
1.	Balderstone and Kirkholt	Rochdale	7,234	Rochdale South
2.	Bamford	Rochdale	7,805	Rochdale South
3.	Castleton	Rochdale	7,668	Rochdale South
7.	Hopwood Hall	Rochdale	8,314	Rochdale South
8.	Kingsway	Rochdale	8,161	Rochdale South
10.	Milkstone and Deeplish	Rochdale	7,594	Rochdale South
11.	Milnrow and Newhey	Rochdale	7,981	Rochdale South
13.	North Heywood	Rochdale	7,410	Rochdale South
19.	West Heywood	Rochdale	8,559	Rochdale South
			<u>78,861</u>	

Salford

8.	Cheetham	Manchester	13,255	Salford
3.	Broughton	Salford	7,599	Salford
5.	Claremont	Salford	8,151	Salford
8.	Irwell Riverside	Salford	8,525	Salford

9.	Kersal	Salford	7,818	Salford
10.	Langworthy	Salford	8,995	Salford
12.	Ordsall	Salford	8,197	Salford
18.	Weaste and Seedley	Salford	8,181	Salford
7.	Clifford	Trafford	7,324	Salford
			<u>78,045</u>	

Stockport

3.	Bredbury and Woodley	Stockport	10,843	Stockport
5.	Brinnington and Central	Stockport	9,934	Stockport
10.	Edgeley and Cheadle Heath	Stockport	10,478	Stockport
13.	Heatons North	Stockport	10,401	Stockport
14.	Heatons South	Stockport	10,755	Stockport
15.	Manor	Stockport	10,460	Stockport
20.	Reddish South	Stockport	10,334	Stockport
			<u>73,205</u>	

Stretford and Urmston

6.	Bucklow-St Martins	Trafford	7,182	Stretford and Urmston
8.	Davyhulme East	Trafford	7,737	Stretford and Urmston
9.	Davyhulme West	Trafford	7,574	Stretford and Urmston
10.	Flixton	Trafford	8,410	Stretford and Urmston
11.	Gorse Hill	Trafford	7,921	Stretford and Urmston
14.	Longford	Trafford	8,551	Stretford and Urmston
15.	Priory	Trafford	7,762	Stretford and Urmston
17.	Sale Moor	Trafford	7,488	Stretford and Urmston
18.	Stretford	Trafford	7,758	Stretford and Urmston
20.	Urmston	Trafford	8,063	Stretford and Urmston
			<u>78,446</u>	

Swinton and Eccles

1.	Barton	Salford	8,498	Swinton and Eccles
4.	Cadishead	Salford	7,758	Swinton and Eccles
6.	Eccles	Salford	8,804	Swinton and Eccles
7.	Irlam	Salford	7,218	Swinton and Eccles
13.	Pendlebury	Salford	9,055	Swinton and Eccles
14.	Swinton North	Salford	8,654	Swinton and Eccles
15.	Swinton South	Salford	8,301	Swinton and Eccles
19.	Winton	Salford	8,576	Swinton and Eccles
20.	Worsley	Salford	8,245	Swinton and Eccles
			<u>75,109</u>	

Walkden and Westhoughton

13.	Hulton Westhoughton North and Chew	Bolton	9,756	Walkden and Westhoughton
19.	Moor	Bolton	10,956	Walkden and Westhoughton
20.	Westhoughton South	Bolton	9,592	Walkden and Westhoughton
2.	Boothstown and Ellenbrook	Salford	7,638	Walkden and Westhoughton
11.	Little Hulton	Salford	8,857	Walkden and Westhoughton
16.	Walkden North	Salford	8,445	Walkden and Westhoughton

17.	Walkden South	Salford	8,174	Walkden and Westhoughton
6.	Atherton	Wigan	<u>10,962</u>	Walkden and Westhoughton
			<u>74,380</u>	

Lancashire – counter-proposal

Local authorities affected

Blackburn with Darwen
Burnley
Hyndburn
Lancaster
Pendle
Preston
Ribble Valley
Rossendale
South Ribble
Wyre

Proposed constituencies affected (BCE's proposed seats)

Burnley North and Nelson
Burnley South and Accrington
Darwen and Haslingden
Lancaster
Preston
Ribble Valley

Counter-proposal

Ward	Boundary Commission's seat	Counter-proposal	Electorate
Bank Hall	Burnley North and Nelson	Burnley and Accrington	4,339
Daneshouse with Stoneyholme	Burnley North and Nelson	Burnley and Accrington	3,801
Lanehead	Burnley North and Nelson	Burnley and Accrington	4,510
Queensgate	Burnley North and Nelson	Burnley and Accrington	4,233
Cliviger with Worsthorne	Burnley South and Accrington	Pendle and Burnley Rural	4,383
Clayton-le-Moors	Burnley South and Accrington	Darwen and Haslingden	3,688
Altham	Burnley South and Accrington	Ribble Valley	4,055
Netherton	Burnley South and Accrington	Ribble Valley	3,365
Overton	Burnley South and Accrington	Ribble Valley	4,988
Coates	Ribble Valley	Pendle and Burnley Rural	4,165
Craven	Ribble Valley	Pendle and Burnley Rural	4,246
Earby	Ribble Valley	Pendle and Burnley Rural	4,813
Fishwick	Ribble Valley	Preston	3,530
Greyfriars	Preston	Lancaster and Wyre	5,276
Alston and Hothersall	Lancaster	Ribble Valley	2,092
Chipping	Lancaster	Ribble Valley	1,109
Derby and Thornley	Lancaster	Ribble Valley	2,463

Dilworth	Lancaster	Ribble Valley	1,998
Ribchester	Lancaster	Ribble Valley	1,338
Spring Hill	Darwen and Haslingden	Burnley and Accrington	3,553

* All remaining wards in the Commission's Burnley South and Accrington are retained in our Burnley and Accrington.

* All remaining wards in the Commission's Burnley North and Nelson are retained in our Pendle and Burnley Rural.

* All remaining wards in the Commission's Lancaster are retained in our Lancaster and Wyre.

Justification

The Commission's plans unnecessarily split the borough of Pendle between two seats, our plans re-unite the borough in one seat. The plan therefore also retains the whole of the current Pendle seat, which is coterminous with the borough, in the new Pendle and Burnley Rural seat.

The Commission's plans divide the town of Burnley. Our plans largely put the town and borough of Burnley into a single seat, except for the Briercliffe and Cliviger with Worsthorne wards which are predominantly villages outside the town itself.

The Commission's plans unnecessarily split the borough of Ribble Valley between two seats, our plans re-unite the borough in one seat.

The Commission's plans place the single ward of Fishwick in Ribble Valley with which it has no transport links which are entirely within the proposed seat. Our plans reverse this, place the ward back in the Preston seat where it abuts the town centre, and in doing so reduces the number of seats within the Preston borough from four to three.

Our plans reduce the number of local authorities covered by the Commission's proposed Lancaster and Ribble Valley seats from four to three.

Number of electors retained in their existing constituencies

	Commission's plan	Counter-proposal
Burnley North and Nelson/Pendle and Burnley Rural	53,511	66,735
Burnley South and Accrington/Burnley and Accrington	45,525	58,025
Darwen and Haslingden	43,175	43,175
Lancaster/Lancaster and Wyre	44,289	44,289
Preston	57,293	60,823
Ribble Valley	56,899	65,899
Total electors unmoved	300,692	338,946
Total electorate in the affected seats	466,386	466,386
Percentage of electors unmoved	64.5%	72.7%

Therefore **38,254** fewer electors move under our counter-proposal.

Local authority links

	Commission's plan	Counter-proposal
Burnley:	2 (0)	2 (0)
Hyndburn:	2 (0)	3 (0)
Lancaster:	2 (1)	2 (1)
Pendle:	2 (0)	1 (0)

Preston:	4 (1)	3 (1)
Ribble Valley:	2 (0)	1 (0)
South Ribble:	2 (0)	2 (0)
Wyre:	3 (0)	3 (0)

Therefore under our counter-proposal, Pendle, Preston, and Ribble Valley all consequently have one fewer seat within the local authority than the Commission's proposal.

	Commission's plan	Counter-proposal
Number of seats containing part of one local authority	1	1
Number of seats containing part of two local authorities	2	2
Number of seats containing part of three local authorities	1	3
Number of seats containing part of four local authorities	2	0

Counter-proposal

Burnley and Accrington

1.	Bank Hall	Burnley	4,339	Burnley and Accrington
3.	Brunshaw	Burnley	4,986	Burnley and Accrington
5.	Coal Clough with Deerplay Daneshouse with	Burnley	4,126	Burnley and Accrington
6.	Stoneyholme	Burnley	3,801	Burnley and Accrington
7.	Gannow	Burnley	4,381	Burnley and Accrington
8.	Gawthorpe	Burnley	4,751	Burnley and Accrington
9.	Hapton with Park	Burnley	4,727	Burnley and Accrington
10.	Lanehead	Burnley	4,510	Burnley and Accrington
11.	Queensgate	Burnley	4,233	Burnley and Accrington
12.	Rosegrove with Lowerhouse	Burnley	4,836	Burnley and Accrington
13.	Rosehill with Burnley Wood	Burnley	4,521	Burnley and Accrington
14.	Trinity	Burnley	3,968	Burnley and Accrington
15.	Whittlefield with Ightenhill	Burnley	4,846	Burnley and Accrington
2.	Barnfield	Hyndburn	3,360	Burnley and Accrington
4.	Central	Hyndburn	3,713	Burnley and Accrington
7.	Huncoat	Hyndburn	3,499	Burnley and Accrington
9.	Milnshaw	Hyndburn	3,506	Burnley and Accrington
12.	Peel	Hyndburn	3,182	Burnley and Accrington
16.	Spring Hill	Hyndburn	3,553	Burnley and Accrington
			<u>78,838</u>	

Darwen and Haslingden

5.	Earcroft	Blackburn with Darwen	3,281	Darwen and Haslingden
6.	East Rural	Blackburn with Darwen	1,581	Darwen and Haslingden
12.	Marsh House	Blackburn with Darwen	4,661	Darwen and Haslingden

15.	North Turton with Tockholes	Blackburn with Darwen	3,518	Darwen and Haslingden
20.	Sudell	Blackburn with Darwen	4,753	Darwen and Haslingden
21.	Sunnyhurst	Blackburn with Darwen	4,464	Darwen and Haslingden
23.	Whitehall	Blackburn with Darwen	3,083	Darwen and Haslingden
3.	Baxenden	Hyndburn	3,288	Darwen and Haslingden
5.	Church	Hyndburn	3,228	Darwen and Haslingden
6.	Clayton-le-Moors	Hyndburn	3,688	Darwen and Haslingden
8.	Immanuel	Hyndburn	3,550	Darwen and Haslingden
13.	Rishton	Hyndburn	5,143	Darwen and Haslingden
14.	St Andrew's	Hyndburn	3,408	Darwen and Haslingden
15.	St Oswald's	Hyndburn	5,145	Darwen and Haslingden
1.	Cribden	Rossendale	2,842	Darwen and Haslingden
2.	Eden	Rossendale	2,868	Darwen and Haslingden
4.	Goodshaw	Rossendale	3,218	Darwen and Haslingden
5.	Greenfield	Rossendale	4,510	Darwen and Haslingden
9.	Helmshore	Rossendale	4,686	Darwen and Haslingden
11.	Longholme	Rossendale	4,220	Darwen and Haslingden
14.	Worsley	Rossendale	4,436	Darwen and Haslingden
			<u>79,571</u>	

Lancaster and Wyre

3.	Bulk	Lancaster	4,993	Lancaster and Wyre
5.	Castle	Lancaster	5,394	Lancaster and Wyre
6.	Duke's	Lancaster	2,286	Lancaster and Wyre
7.	Ellel	Lancaster	5,249	Lancaster and Wyre
13.	John O'Gaunt	Lancaster	5,808	Lancaster and Wyre
18.	Scotforth East	Lancaster	3,471	Lancaster and Wyre
19.	Scotforth West	Lancaster	5,196	Lancaster and Wyre
25.	University	Lancaster	3,842	Lancaster and Wyre
8.	Greyfriars	Preston	5,276	Lancaster and Wyre
13.	Preston Rural East	Preston	3,658	Lancaster and Wyre
14.	Preston Rural North	Preston	5,417	Lancaster and Wyre
3.	Brock	Wyre	1,934	Lancaster and Wyre
4.	Cabus	Wyre	1,316	Lancaster and Wyre
5.	Calder	Wyre	1,672	Lancaster and Wyre
7.	Catterall	Wyre	2,033	Lancaster and Wyre
9.	Garstang	Wyre	4,012	Lancaster and Wyre
10.	Great Ecclestone	Wyre	2,903	Lancaster and Wyre
11.	Hambleton and Stalmine- with-Staynall	Wyre	3,460	Lancaster and Wyre
19.	Pilling	Wyre	1,766	Lancaster and Wyre

20.	Preesall	Wyre	4,666	Lancaster and Wyre
26.	Wyresdale	Wyre	<u>1,618</u>	Lancaster and Wyre
			<u>75,970</u>	

Pendle and Burnley Rural

2.	Briercliffe	Burnley	4,595	Pendle and Burnley Rural
4.	Cliviger with Worsthorne	Burnley	4,383	Pendle and Burnley Rural
1.	Barrowford	Pendle	4,092	Pendle and Burnley Rural
2.	Blacko and Higherford	Pendle	1,476	Pendle and Burnley Rural
3.	Boulsworth	Pendle	4,228	Pendle and Burnley Rural
4.	Bradley	Pendle	4,390	Pendle and Burnley Rural
5.	Brierfield	Pendle	3,677	Pendle and Burnley Rural
6.	Clover Hill	Pendle	3,693	Pendle and Burnley Rural
7.	Coates	Pendle	4,165	Pendle and Burnley Rural
8.	Craven	Pendle	4,246	Pendle and Burnley Rural
9.	Earby	Pendle	4,813	Pendle and Burnley Rural
10.	Foulridge	Pendle	1,373	Pendle and Burnley Rural
11.	Higham and Pendleside	Pendle	1,406	Pendle and Burnley Rural
12.	Horsfield	Pendle	4,004	Pendle and Burnley Rural
13.	Marsden	Pendle	2,577	Pendle and Burnley Rural
14.	Old Laund Booth	Pendle	1,233	Pendle and Burnley Rural
15.	Reedley	Pendle	4,217	Pendle and Burnley Rural
16.	Southfield	Pendle	3,929	Pendle and Burnley Rural
17.	Vivary Bridge	Pendle	4,118	Pendle and Burnley Rural
18.	Walverden	Pendle	2,672	Pendle and Burnley Rural
19.	Waterside	Pendle	3,866	Pendle and Burnley Rural
20.	Whitefield	Pendle	<u>2,560</u>	Pendle and Burnley Rural
			<u>75,713</u>	

Preston

1.	Ashton	Preston	3,224	Preston
2.	Brookfield	Preston	5,348	Preston
3.	Cadley	Preston	3,730	Preston
4.	College	Preston	2,796	Preston
5.	Deepdale	Preston	3,839	Preston
6.	Fishwick	Preston	3,530	Preston
7.	Garrison	Preston	5,555	Preston
9.	Ingol	Preston	5,500	Preston
10.	Larches	Preston	5,499	Preston
12.	Moor Park	Preston	3,499	Preston
15.	Ribbleton	Preston	5,546	Preston

16.	Riversway	Preston	4,169	Preston
17.	St George's	Preston	3,120	Preston
18.	St Matthew's	Preston	4,757	Preston
19.	Sharoe Green	Preston	5,083	Preston
20.	Town Centre	Preston	5,196	Preston
21.	Tulketh	Preston	5,041	Preston
22.	University	Preston	2,555	Preston
			<u>77,987</u>	

Ribble Valley

1.	Altham	Hyndburn	4,055	Ribble Valley
10.	Netherton	Hyndburn	3,365	Ribble Valley
11.	Overton	Hyndburn	4,988	Ribble Valley
1.	Aighton, Bailey and Chaigley	Ribble Valley	1,166	Ribble Valley
2.	Alston and Hothersall	Ribble Valley	2,092	Ribble Valley
3.	Billington and Old Langho Bowland, Newton and	Ribble Valley	2,374	Ribble Valley
4.	Slaidburn	Ribble Valley	1,074	Ribble Valley
5.	Chatburn	Ribble Valley	1,113	Ribble Valley
6.	Chipping Clayton-le-Dale with	Ribble Valley	1,109	Ribble Valley
7.	Ramsgreave	Ribble Valley	2,127	Ribble Valley
8.	Derby and Thornley	Ribble Valley	2,463	Ribble Valley
9.	Dilworth	Ribble Valley	1,998	Ribble Valley
10.	Edisford and Low Moor	Ribble Valley	2,269	Ribble Valley
11.	Gisburn, Rimington	Ribble Valley	1,135	Ribble Valley
12.	Langho	Ribble Valley	1,924	Ribble Valley
13.	Littlemoor	Ribble Valley	2,398	Ribble Valley
14.	Mellor	Ribble Valley	2,242	Ribble Valley
15.	Primrose	Ribble Valley	2,442	Ribble Valley
16.	Read and Simonstone	Ribble Valley	2,134	Ribble Valley
17.	Ribchester	Ribble Valley	1,338	Ribble Valley
18.	Sabden	Ribble Valley	1,110	Ribble Valley
19.	St Mary's	Ribble Valley	2,328	Ribble Valley
20.	Salthill Waddington and West	Ribble Valley	2,526	Ribble Valley
21.	Bradford	Ribble Valley	2,558	Ribble Valley
22.	Whalley	Ribble Valley	2,927	Ribble Valley
23.	Wilpshire	Ribble Valley	2,113	Ribble Valley
24.	Wiswell and Pendleton	Ribble Valley	1,098	Ribble Valley
1.	Bamber Bridge East	South Ribble	3,678	Ribble Valley
2.	Bamber Bridge North	South Ribble	3,609	Ribble Valley

3.	Bamber Bridge West Coupe Green and Gregson	South Ribble	3,429	Ribble Valley
6.	Lane	South Ribble	2,869	Ribble Valley
23.	Samlesbury and Walton	South Ribble	3,251	Ribble Valley
26.	Walton-le-Dale	South Ribble	<u>3,005</u>	Ribble Valley
			<u>78,307</u>	

Cumbria – counter-proposal

Local authorities affected

Allerdale
Barrow-in-Furness
Carlisle
Copeland
Eden
South Lakeland

Proposed constituencies affected (BCE’s proposed seats)

Barrow-in-Furness
Copeland and Windermere
Kendal and Penrith
Workington and Keswick

Counter-proposal

Comprehensive. A change of thirty-nine wards compared with the Commission’s proposals.

Justification

Our proposals unite the whole of the current Barrow and Furness seat (apart from a small part of the currently split Coniston and Crake Valley ward) in the Barrow seat.

Our proposals unite the whole of the current Westmorland and Lonsdale seat in the Westmorland and Lonsdale seat.

Our proposals unite the homogeneous communities of Workington, Whitehaven, Egremont and Maryport in a single seat. They are all linked by the Cumbrian Coast railway line.

Our proposals avoid the Commission’s linking of Copeland, with its centre of population at Whitehaven in the north-west of the seat, along with part of Workington (Harrington), with the Windermere area to the south-east, across two sets of mountains and fells, to the edge of Kendal.

Our plan places South Lakeland in two different seats. The Commission’s plans divide it between three seats.

Local authority links

First figure is “Number of seats within the local authority”

Second figure (in brackets) is “Number of seats entirely within the local authority”

	Commission’s plan	Counter-proposal
Allerdale	2 (0)	2 (0)
Barrow-in-Furness	1 (0)	1 (0)
Carlisle	2 (1)	2 (1)
Copeland	1 (0)	2 (0)
Eden	2 (0)	2 (0)
South Lakeland	3 (0)	2 (0)

Therefore under our counter-proposal, South Lakeland has one fewer seat within the local authority than the Commission’s proposal.

Counter-proposal

Barrow and Furness

Barrow-in-Furness	Barrow Island	1,797	Barrow and Furness
Barrow-in-Furness	Central	3,037	Barrow and Furness
Barrow-in-Furness	Dalton North	4,873	Barrow and Furness
Barrow-in-Furness	Dalton South	4,789	Barrow and Furness
Barrow-in-Furness	Hawcoat	4,240	Barrow and Furness
Barrow-in-Furness	Hindpool	4,325	Barrow and Furness
Barrow-in-Furness	Newbarns	4,329	Barrow and Furness
Barrow-in-Furness	Ormsgill	4,374	Barrow and Furness
Barrow-in-Furness	Parkside	4,328	Barrow and Furness
Barrow-in-Furness	Risedale	4,669	Barrow and Furness
Barrow-in-Furness	Roosecote	3,946	Barrow and Furness
Barrow-in-Furness	Walney North	4,280	Barrow and Furness
Barrow-in-Furness	Walney South	4,238	Barrow and Furness
Copeland	Bootle	1,063	Barrow and Furness
Copeland	Gosforth	1,187	Barrow and Furness
Copeland	Haverigg	1,076	Barrow and Furness
Copeland	Holborn Hill	1,910	Barrow and Furness
Copeland	Millom Without	1,188	Barrow and Furness
Copeland	Newtown	2,796	Barrow and Furness
Copeland	Seascale	2,295	Barrow and Furness
South Lakeland	Broughton	1,868	Barrow and Furness
South Lakeland	Low Furness	1,465	Barrow and Furness
South Lakeland	Mid Furness	3,196	Barrow and Furness
South Lakeland	Ulverston Central	1,549	Barrow and Furness
South Lakeland	Ulverston East	1,600	Barrow and Furness
South Lakeland	Ulverston North	1,549	Barrow and Furness
South Lakeland	Ulverston South	1,485	Barrow and Furness
South Lakeland	Ulverston Town	1,473	Barrow and Furness
South Lakeland	Ulverston West	1,532	Barrow and Furness
		<u>80,457</u>	

Penrith and Solway

Allerdale	All Saints	3,712	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Aspatria	2,626	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Boltons	1,427	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Broughton St Bridget's	3,025	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Christchurch	2,884	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Crummock	1,266	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Derwent Valley	1,232	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Ellen	2,479	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Holme	1,296	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Keswick	4,036	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Marsh	1,296	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Silloth	2,568	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Solway	1,298	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Wampool	1,369	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Warnell	1,572	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Waver	1,479	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Wharrels	1,265	Penrith and Solway
Allerdale	Wigton	4,492	Penrith and Solway

Carlisle	Dalston	4,824	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Alston Moor	1,710	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Askham	1,125	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Crosby Ravensworth	1,151	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Dacre	1,163	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Eamont	1,177	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Greystoke	1,151	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Hartside	1,025	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Hesket	2,450	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Kirkby Thore	1,205	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Kirkoswald	1,183	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Langwathby	1,273	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Lazonby	1,147	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Morland	1,043	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Penrith Carleton	1,251	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Penrith East	2,090	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Penrith North	3,313	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Penrith Pategill	1,113	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Penrith South	1,913	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Penrith West	2,333	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Shap	1,101	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Skelton	1,229	Penrith and Solway
Eden	Ullswater	1,033	Penrith and Solway
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		76,325	

Westmorland and Lonsdale

Eden	Appleby (Appleby)	1,084	Westmorland and Lonsdale
Eden	Appleby (Bongate)	1,370	Westmorland and Lonsdale
Eden	Brough	1,031	Westmorland and Lonsdale
Eden	Kirkby Stephen	2,030	Westmorland and Lonsdale
Eden	Long Marton	988	Westmorland and Lonsdale
Eden	Orton with Tebay	1,103	Westmorland and Lonsdale
Eden	Ravenstonedale	763	Westmorland and Lonsdale
Eden	Warcop	1,090	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Ambleside and Grasmere	3,206	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Arnside and Beetham	3,571	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Burneside	1,589	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Burton and Holme	3,056	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Cartmel and Grange West	1,580	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Coniston and Crake Valley	1,315	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Crooklands	1,783	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Grange North	1,848	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Grange South	1,549	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Hawkshead	1,452	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Holker	1,626	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Oxenholme and Natland	1,688	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Levens	1,712	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Lyth Valley	1,878	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Milnthorpe	1,682	Westmorland and Lonsdale

South Lakeland	Sedbergh and Kirkby Lonsdale	4,866	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Staveley-in-Cartmel	1,562	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Staveley-in-Westmorland	1,712	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Whinfell	1,532	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Windermere Applethwaite and Troutbeck	1,628	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Windermere Bowness North	1,638	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Windermere Bowness South	1,578	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Windermere Town	1,620	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Castle	1,483	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Far Cross	1,669	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Fell	1,651	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Heron Hill	1,528	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Highgate	1,652	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Kirkland	1,631	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Mintsfeet	1,622	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Nether	1,655	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Parks	1,722	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Romney	1,722	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Stonecross	1,623	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Strickland	1,518	Westmorland and Lonsdale
South Lakeland	Kendal Underley	1,668	Westmorland and Lonsdale
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		76,274	

Workington and Whitehaven

Allerdale	Clifton	1,244	Workington and Whitehaven
Allerdale	Dalton	1,452	Workington and Whitehaven
Allerdale	Ellenborough	2,778	Workington and Whitehaven
Allerdale	Ewanrigg	2,517	Workington and Whitehaven
Allerdale	Flimby	1,244	Workington and Whitehaven
Allerdale	Harrington	2,545	Workington and Whitehaven
Allerdale	Moorclose	3,484	Workington and Whitehaven
Allerdale	Moss Bay	3,278	Workington and Whitehaven
Allerdale	Netherhall	2,308	Workington and Whitehaven
Allerdale	St John's	4,075	Workington and Whitehaven
Allerdale	St Michael's	3,806	Workington and Whitehaven
Allerdale	Seaton	3,958	Workington and Whitehaven
Allerdale	Stainburn	1,400	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Arlecdon	1,242	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Beckermet	2,413	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Bransty	3,963	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Cleator Moor North	3,232	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Cleator Moor South	2,199	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Distington	3,220	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Egremont North	3,417	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Egremont South	3,054	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Ennerdale	838	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Frizington	2,046	Workington and Whitehaven

Copeland	Harbour	3,491	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Hensingham	3,245	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Hillcrest	2,108	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Kells	1,991	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Mirehouse	3,463	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Moresby	1,082	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	St Bees	1,356	Workington and Whitehaven
Copeland	Sandwith	1,835	Workington and Whitehaven
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		78,284	

Merseyside – counter-proposal

Local authorities affected

Knowsley
Liverpool
Sefton

Proposed constituencies affected (BCE’s proposed seats)

Bootle
Liverpool North
Liverpool Riverside
Liverpool West Derby
Maghull

Counter-proposal

Ward	Boundary Commission’s seat	Counter-proposal	Electorate
Blundellsands	Bootle	Maghull	8,910
St Oswald	Maghull	Bootle	8,554
Netherton and Orrell	Liverpool North	Bootle	8,807
County	Liverpool North	Bootle	9,498
Kirkdale	Bootle	Liverpool Riverside	11,173
Anfield	Liverpool West Derby	Liverpool North	9,381
Clubmoor	Liverpool West Derby	Liverpool North	11,092
Everton	Liverpool Riverside	Liverpool West Derby	9,644
Kensington and Fairfield	Liverpool Riverside	Liverpool West Derby	8,454

Justification

The boundary between the Sefton Central and Bootle seats was set at the last review as that between the Blundellsands, Manor and Park wards and the Church, St Oswald and Victoria wards. We feel that this is appropriate as Blundellsands forms the town of Crosby, while St Oswald is a part of Litherland and the wider town of Bootle.

Our proposals bring the Netherton and Orrell ward of Sefton back into the Bootle seat, therefore avoiding the Commission’s proposed Liverpool North seat having to cover parts of three local authorities.

Our proposals show greater respect to the existing constituencies than the Commission’s plans.

Number of electors retained in their existing constituencies

	Commission’s plan	Counter-proposal
Bootle	53,463	62,017
Liverpool North	31,857	42,832
Liverpool Riverside	51,743	62,916
Liverpool West Derby	42,282	42,282
Maghull	49,034	57,944
Total electors unmoved	228,379	276,798
Total electorate in the affected seats	387,228	387,228
Percentage of electors unmoved	59.0%	71.5%

Therefore **48,419** fewer electors move under our counter-proposal.

Local authority links

	Commission's plan	Counter-proposal
Knowsley	5 (0)	5 (0)
Liverpool	6 (2)	6 (2)
Sefton	4 (1)	3 (1)

Therefore under our counter-proposal, Sefton has one fewer seat within the local authority than the Commission's proposal.

	Commission's plan	Counter-proposal
Number of seats containing part of one local authority	1	1
Number of seats containing part of two local authorities	3	4
Number of seats containing part of three local authorities	1	0

Counter-proposal

Bootle

8.	County	Liverpool	9,498	Bootle
5.	Church	Sefton	8,897	Bootle
6.	Derby	Sefton	9,125	Bootle
8.	Ford	Sefton	8,985	Bootle
11.	Linacre	Sefton	7,897	Bootle
12.	Litherland	Sefton	8,307	Bootle
22.	Victoria	Sefton	10,252	Bootle
16.	Netherton and Orrell	Sefton	8,807	Bootle
20.	St Oswald	Sefton	8,554	Bootle
			<u>80,322</u>	

Liverpool North

1.	Cherryfield	Knowsley	5,617	Liverpool North
5.	Kirkby Central	Knowsley	5,008	Liverpool North
11.	Prescot West	Knowsley	5,244	Liverpool North
10.	Croxteth	Liverpool	10,458	Liverpool North
12.	Fazakerley	Liverpool	11,161	Liverpool North
18.	Norris Green	Liverpool	9,969	Liverpool North
26.	Warbreck	Liverpool	11,198	Liverpool North
2.	Anfield	Liverpool	9,381	Liverpool North
7.	Clubmoor	Liverpool	11,092	Liverpool North
			<u>79,128</u>	

Liverpool Riverside

15.	Kirkdale	Liverpool	11,173	Liverpool Riverside
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4.	Central	Liverpool	11,785	Liverpool Riverside
13.	Greenbank	Liverpool	10,043	Liverpool Riverside
20.	Picton	Liverpool	10,189	Liverpool Riverside
21.	Princes Park	Liverpool	9,289	Liverpool Riverside
22.	Riverside	Liverpool	11,047	Liverpool Riverside
23.	St Michael's	Liverpool	9,579	Liverpool Riverside
			<u>73,105</u>	

Liverpool West Derby

17.	Stockbridge	Knowsley	4,590	Liverpool West Derby
11.	Everton	Liverpool	9,644	Liverpool West Derby
14.	Kensington and Fairfield	Liverpool	8,454	Liverpool West Derby
16.	Knotty Ash	Liverpool	9,756	Liverpool West Derby
19.	Old Swan	Liverpool	11,124	Liverpool West Derby
25.	Tuebrook and Stonecroft	Liverpool	10,262	Liverpool West Derby
28.	West Derby	Liverpool	11,033	Liverpool West Derby
30.	Yew Tree	Liverpool	11,231	Liverpool West Derby
			<u>76,094</u>	

Maghull

7.	Northwood	Knowsley	5,381	Maghull
9.	Park	Knowsley	4,999	Maghull
16.	Shevington	Knowsley	5,305	Maghull
21.	Whitefield	Knowsley	4,950	Maghull
3.	Blundellsands	Sefton	8,910	Maghull
13.	Manor	Sefton	9,825	Maghull
15.	Molyneux	Sefton	10,061	Maghull
18.	Park	Sefton	9,702	Maghull
19.	Ravenmeols	Sefton	9,412	Maghull
21.	Sudell	Sefton	10,034	Maghull
			<u>78,579</u>	

Conclusion

Our proposals for the North West mean that 171,040 fewer electors are moved from their existing constituencies than the Commission's plan.

We increase from seven to nine the number of unchanged constituencies in the region.

Our links with local authorities are much better, and no constituency contains more than three local authorities.

We restore a number of community links and therefore break far fewer local ties than the Commission.