

NOTICE OF VACANCY IN OFFICE OF COUNCILLOR

RUGELEY TOWN COUNCIL

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1972 (SEC. 87(2))

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a **casual vacancy** is deemed to have occurred in the office of Councillor for the Parish of Rugeley Town, Etching Hill and the Heath Ward, following the resignation of Councillor Sarah Rose.

Rule 8(1) of The Local Elections (Parishes and Communities) (Amendment) Rules, 1986, provides that on a casual vacancy occurring in the office of Councillor of a Parish, an election to fill the vacancy shall be held if, within 14 days (i.e. by no later than 25 April, 2018, computed as stated below) after public notice of the vacancy has been given in accordance with Section 87(2) of the Local Government Act, 1972, notice in writing of a request for such an election has been given to the Proper Officer of the Council of the District within which the Parish is situate by **TEN** electors for the electoral area.

The Proper Officer is:

The Returning Officer, Cannock Chase District Council, Civic Centre, P.O. Box 28, Beecroft Road, Cannock WS11 1BG.

Hilary Goodrich

Clerk to the Council

Dated: 5 April, 2018

In computing any period of time for the purposes of this notice a Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, Good Friday or a Bank Holiday or day appointed for public thanksgiving or mourning, shall be disregarded.