Royal College of Nursing

Election of Congress Agenda Committee 2019-2021

22nd May 2019

STV Count Explanation

Stage 1

The candidates first preference votes are totalled and the Quota required for election is calculated. The Quota is 110.6 (calculated by dividing the number of valid votes, 553, by the number of candidates to elect plus 1, so \( \frac{553}{5} = 110.6 \)).

SPENCE with 189.0 and WHITE with 157.0 are both over the Quota and so are both elected.

Stage 2

SPENCE has a surplus of 78.4 available for transfer, which is taken and re-distributed according to the subsequent preferences on the voting papers she received at Stage 1.

KEIR with 120.44 and NOYES with 117.76 are now both over the quota and so both are elected.

There have now been four candidates elected for four places and the count has been completed.