

The Electoral Commission

Vote on Account 2023-24

for the year ending 31 March 2024

Supply Estimate

Presented to the House of Commons pursuant to Paragraph 14(5) of
Schedule 1 to the Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000

Ordered by the House of Commons to be printed on 28th February 2023

Vote on Account 2023-24

for the year ending 31 March 2024

Supply Estimate

The Electoral Commission

Presented to the House of Commons pursuant to Paragraph 14(5) of
Schedule 1 to the Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000

Ordered by the House of Commons to be printed
28th February 2023



© Crown copyright **2023**

This publication is licensed under the terms of the Open Government Licence v3.0 except where otherwise stated. To view this licence, visit nationalarchives.gov.uk/doc/open-government-licence/version/3.

Where we have identified any third party copyright information you will need to obtain permission from the copyright holders concerned.

This publication is available at www.gov.uk/official-documents.

Any enquiries regarding this publication should be sent to us at
3 Bunhill Row, London, EC1Y 8YZ

info@electoralcommission.org.uk

ISBN: 978-1-5286-3932-3

E02867609 02/23

Printed on paper containing 40% recycled fibre content minimum

Printed in the UK by HH Associates Ltd. on behalf of the Controller of His Majesty's Stationery Office

The Electoral Commission Vote on Account 2023-24

INTRODUCTION

Vote on Account for 2023-24

Schedule 1 paragraph 14 of the Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000 requires the Electoral Commission to submit to the Speaker's Committee each financial year an estimate of the Commission's income and expenditure. After concluding its examination and making modifications (if any) to the estimate the Speaker's Committee shall lay the estimate before the House of Commons.

The Vote on Account provides finance to allow existing services to continue during the early months of the coming financial year, pending Parliament's consideration of the Electoral Commission's Estimate for 2023-24.

The Vote on Account is presented in both resource and cash terms. The amounts are normally a standard 45% of the amounts already voted for the corresponding services in the current year, taking account of Main and Revised Estimates where appropriate. These should be sufficient to ensure that funding is not exhausted before the Supply and Appropriation Act is passed in the summer, but not so high as to prejudge Parliament's consideration of the main Supply Estimate.

This Vote on Account, together with those for the Local Government Boundary Commission for England, House of Commons: Administration, the Parliamentary Works Grant, National Audit Office, The Independent Parliamentary Standards Authority, and those for central government departments, will be incorporated in the Supply and Appropriation (Anticipation & Adjustments) Bill that follows presentation of the Supplementary Estimates 2022-23 - and the Vote on Account 2023-24, which will seek statutory authority for the issue from the Consolidated Fund of a sum equal to the Vote on Account.

The Electoral Commission Vote on Account 2023-24

**Vote on Account
2023-24**

The Electoral Commission

DEL resource	£12,611,000
DEL Capital	£712,000
Net cash requirement	£13,062,000

Amounts required for a VOTE ON ACCOUNT for the year ending 31 March 2024 for services in respect of the Electoral Commission.

	£	
	2022-23	2023-24
	Total to date on which provision on account is based	Required on Account
Departmental Expenditure Limit		
Resource	25,222,000	12,611,000
Capital	1,424,000	712,000
Annually Managed Expenditure		
Resource	50,000	-
Capital	100,000	-
Total Net Budget		
Resource	25,272,000	12,611,000
Capital	1,524,000	712,000
Non Budget Expenditure	-	-
Net Cash requirement	26,123,000	13,062,000

House of Commons

28 February 2023

Presented by The Speaker of the House of Commons

HC 1167

E02867609
978-1-5286-3932-3

HC 1167