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In [Bulletin 380](#) we provided you with details of our out-of-hours telephone advice service to deal with urgent electoral administration queries in the run up to and immediately following the May 2024 polls. The following is a reminder of how you can contact us on polling day and over subsequent days:

Polling day (Thursday 2 May) – Between 6:30am and 8:30am – please call 0207 271 0504. Between 8:30am and 5:30pm – please call 0333 103 1928. From 5:30pm – please call 0207 271 0504. This number will be staffed throughout the night for urgent queries.

Friday 3 May – Between 8:30am and 5:30pm – please call 0333 103 1928. After 5:30pm – please call 0207 271 0504 for urgent queries.

Saturday 4 May to Monday 6 May – Between 10:00am and 4:00pm – please call 0207 271 0504 for urgent queries.

We also wanted to take this opportunity to wish you all good luck for the next week, and to thank you and your staff for your efforts in preparing for the polls. We recognise and appreciate the significant amount of work you have already undertaken in preparing for the range of polls taking place on 2 May. The important work you do remains vital to ensuring that voters are able to take part safely and confidently, and that those votes are then counted in a way which delivers results that are accurate and can be trusted.

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