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PROPOSALS FOR REVISED ELECTORAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE
METROPOLITAN BOROUGH OF TAMESIDE

1. We, the Local Government Boundary Commission for England, having carried out our initial review of the electoral arrangements for the metropolitan borough of Tameside in accordance with the requirements of section 63 of, and Schedule 9 to, the Local Government Act 1972, present our proposals for the future electoral arrangements for that borough.

2. In accordance with the procedure laid down in section 60(1) and (2) of the 1972 Act, notice was given on 28 August 1975 that we were to undertake this review. This was incorporated in a consultation letter addressed to the Tameside Borough Council, copies of which were circulated to Greater Manchester County Council, the Members of Parliament for the constituencies concerned and the headquarters of the main political parties. Copies were also sent to the editors of local newspapers circulating in the area and of the local government press. Notices inserted in the local press announced the start of the review and invited comments from members of the public and from any interested bodies.

3. Tameside Borough Council were invited to prepare a draft scheme of representation for our consideration. In doing so, they were asked to observe the rules laid down in Schedule 11 to the Local Government Act 1972 and the guidelines which we set out in our Report No 6 about the proposed size of the council and the proposed number of councillors for each ward. They were asked

also to take into account any views expressed to them following their consultation with local interests. We therefore asked that they should publish details of their provisional proposals about a month before they submitted their draft scheme to us, thus allowing an opportunity for local comment.

4. Section 7(3) of the Local Government Act 1972 requires that in metropolitan districts there shall be elections by thirds. Section 6(2)(b) of the Act requires that every metropolitan district shall be divided into wards each returning a number of councillors which is divisible by three.

5. Tameside Borough Council presented their draft scheme of representation on 30 April 1976. They proposed to divide the area into 19 wards each returning 3 members to form a Council of 57, 3 more than at present.

6. We studied the Borough Council's draft scheme together with three comments which we had received. Two of the comments were from local political parties requesting the retention of the existing 3 wards in the Dukinfield and Stalybridge areas. We decided that the retention of the existing wards in these areas would result in an unacceptable standard of representation compared with the provision made in the draft scheme. The third comment was from a County Councillor proposing an alternative arrangement for the four wards in the Ashton-under-Lyne area. We noted that the arrangement was based on electorate figures which differed from those given by the Council, and that the proposed ward boundaries would overlap those of wards in the Council's scheme and adversely affect entitlements elsewhere. Accordingly we decided not to accept the proposal.

7. Subject to minor boundary alignments recommended by the Ordnance Survey and the shortening of five ward names, we decided that the Borough Council's draft scheme provided a reasonable basis for future electoral arrangements for the Borough in compliance with the rules in Schedule 11 to the 1972 Act and our guidelines, and we formulated our draft proposals accordingly.

8. On 12 November 1976 we issued our draft proposals and these were sent to all who had received our consultation letter and had commented on the Council's draft scheme. The Council were asked to make these draft proposals and the accompanying map, which defined the proposed ward boundaries, available for inspection at their main offices. Representations on our draft proposals were invited from those to whom they were circulated and, by public notices, from other members of the public and interested bodies. We asked that comments should reach us by 14 January 1977.

9. Tameside Borough Council informed us that they accepted our draft proposals.

10. One of the local political parties and the County Councillor mentioned in paragraph 6 above repeated their original proposals. We considered them again, and concluded that the grounds on which we had rejected them held good. In the absence of any other comments, we decided that our draft proposals should be confirmed and formulated our final proposals accordingly.

11. Details of these final proposals are set out in Schedules 1 and 2 to this report and on the attached map. Schedule 1 gives the names of the wards and the number of councillors to be returned by each. A detailed description of the boundaries of the proposed wards, as defined on the map, is set out in Schedule 2.

PUBLICATION

12. In accordance with Section 60(5)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972, a copy of this report and a copy of the map are being sent to the Tameside Metropolitan Borough Council and will be available for public inspection at the Council's main offices. Copies of this report (without the map) are being sent to those who received the consultation letter and to those who made comments.

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Signed

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28 April 1977

SCHEDULE 1

METROPOLITAN BOROUGH OF TAMESIDE : NAMES OF PROPOSED WARDS
AND NUMBER OF COUNCILLORS

NAME OF WARD	NO OF COUNCILLORS
ASHTON HURST	3
ASHTON ST MICHAELS	3
ASHTON ST PETERS'	3
ASHTON WATERLOO	3
AUDENSHAW	3
DENTON NORTHEAST	3
DENTON SOUTH	3
DENTON WEST	3
DROYLSDEN EAST	3
DROYLSDEN WEST	3
DUKINFIELD	3
DUKINFIELD STALYBRIDGE	3
HYDE GODLEY	3
HYDE NEWTON	3
HYDE WERNETH	3
LONGDENDALE	3
MOSSLEY	3
STALYBRIDGE NORTH	3
STALYBRIDGE SOUTH	3

METROPOLITAN BOROUGH OF TAMESIDE - DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED WARD BOUNDARIES

Note: Where the boundary is described as following a road, railway, river canal or similar feature it should be deemed to follow the central line of the feature unless otherwise stated.

DROYLSDEN WEST WARD

Commencing at the point where Manchester Road meets the western boundary of the Borough, thence generally northwards along said Borough boundary and generally eastwards along the northern boundary of the Borough to the footpath that leads from Medlock Vale to Hampshire Road, thence southwards along said footpath to Hampshire Road, thence southeastwards along said road to Cypress Road, thence southwestwards along said road to Sunnyside Road, thence southeastwards along said road to a point opposite the southeastern boundary of St Stephen's RC School thence southwestwards to and along said boundary, the eastern boundary of the Works at the south of said school the western boundary of the Pharmaceutical Goods Factory and in prolongation thereof, (crossing Harrison's Bridge) to the rear boundary of No 43 Shelley Grove, thence southwards along said boundary and the rear boundaries of Nos 45 to 83 Shelley Grove to the eastern boundary of Fairfield Mills, thence southwards along said boundary to Manchester Road, thence westwards along said road to the point of commencement.

DROYLSDEN EAST WARD

Commencing at the point where the eastern boundary of Droylsden West Ward meets the northern boundary of the Borough, thence generally northwards along said Borough boundary to Lumb Lane, thence generally southwards along said lane to Back Lane, thence generally southwards along said lane to Moss Lane, thence southwestwards and southeastwards along said lane to Rayner Lane, thence southwestwards along said lane to the footpath, at NG Reference SJ 9195098641, that leads to Sandy Lane, thence northwards along said footpath to the footpath, adjacent to Nico Ditch, thence

southwestwards along said footpath, crossing Droylsden Road, to Williamson Lane, thence southwestwards and westwards along said lane to Ashton Hill Lane, thence generally southwards along said lane to Manchester Road (A635), thence southwestwards along said road to the western boundary of the Borough, thence northwestwards along said boundary to the southern boundary of Droylsden West Ward, thence eastwards along said boundary and generally northwards along the eastern boundary of said ward to the point of commencement.

ASHTON WATERLOO WARD

Commencing at the point where the eastern boundary of Droylsden East Ward meets the northern boundary of the Borough, thence generally northeastwards along said Borough boundary to Oldham Road, thence southwards along said road to the River Medlock at Bardsley Bridge, thence southeastwards and northeastwards along said river to the stream which flows through Holden Clough, thence eastwards along said stream to the Dismantled Railway, thence southwards along said dismantled railway to the Ashton-Under-Lyne to Droylsden railway, thence westwards along said railway to the eastern boundary of Droylsden East Ward, thence generally northwards along said boundary to the point of commencement.

ASHTON HURST WARD

Commencing at the point where the northern boundary of Ashton Waterloo Ward meets the northern boundary of the Borough, thence northeastwards and eastwards along said Borough boundary to Back Lane, thence generally southwards along said lane to the footpath, at NG Ref SD 9600002574, that leads to the road known as Lily Lanes, thence southwards along said footpath to Lily Lanes, thence westwards along said road to the footpath east of Lane End Farm, thence southwards along said footpath to the footpath that leads to Mossley Cross at NG Ref SD 9596201835 thence eastwards along said footpath to

the footpath that leads to Tongue Bottom Farm, thence southwestwards and southeastwards along said path and continuing southeastwards along the access road from said farm to Mossley Road, thence southeastwards across said road to the unnamed road that leads to Luzley Road, thence eastwards along said unnamed road to Luzley Road, thence southwards along said road and the eastern branch of said road to Arlies Lane, thence southwestwards along said lane to the access road to Hopkins Farm, thence northwards and westwards along said road to the path from said farm to Mossley Road, thence westwards along said footpath to the stream known as Cock Brook, thence southwestwards along said stream to the path, from Mere Side to Mossley Road, thence northwards along said path to Mossley Road, thence southwestwards along said road to a point opposite the eastern boundary of No 2 Mossley Road, thence northwards to and along said boundary and the rear boundaries of Nos 42 to 84 Rose Hill Road, thence westwards along the northern boundary of the last mentioned property to Rose Hill Road, thence southwards along said road to Rose Hill Crescent, thence northwestwards along said crescent to the footpath that leads to Prospect Road, thence northwestwards along said footpath and said road to King's Road, thence westwards and southwestwards along said road to Ladbrooke Road, thence northwestwards along said road to Cranbourne Road, thence southwestwards along said road to the eastern boundary of Ashton Waterloo Ward, thence northwards along said boundary and generally westwards along the northern boundary of said ward to the point of commencement.

MOSSLEY WARD

Commencing at the point where the eastern boundary of Ashton Hurst Ward meets the northern boundary of the Borough, thence generally eastwards along said Borough boundary to NG Ref SE 01030220, thence due southwestwards to the stream known as Far Harehill Clough, thence generally southwestwards along said stream and Carr Brook to a point opposite the path, commencing at NG Ref SD 9931801082, that leads to Carr, thence northwestwards to and

along said path to the path, at the east of Carr Cottages, that leads to Castle, thence northwestwards along said path to the access road to Buckton Quarry, thence southwestwards along said road to Castle Lane, thence northwestwards along said lane to the unnamed road, south of the Cricket Ground, that leads to Huddersfield Road, thence generally westwards along said unnamed road to Huddersfield Road thence generally southwards along said road to Staley Road, thence westwards in a straight line, across said road to the path, northwestwards of Boundary Cottages, that leads to the property known as Kershaw Hey, thence southwestwards along said path to Kershaw Hey, thence westwards along the access road between said property and Manchester Road to Manchester Road, thence northeastwards along said road to a point opposite the path that leads to Scout House, thence northwestwards to and generally northwards and westwards along said path to the path that leads to Chamberlain Road, thence generally westwards and southwards along said path to the path, at NG Reference SD 9712700797, that leads to Luzley Road, thence northwestwards along said path to the eastern boundary of Ashton Hurst Ward, thence generally northwestwards along said boundary to the point of commencement.

STALYBRIDGE SOUTH WARD

Commencing at the point where the southern boundary of Mossley Ward meets the northern boundary of the Borough, thence southeastwards along said Borough boundary and southwestwards along the eastern boundary of the Borough to Devil's Bridge, thence generally westwards along the footpath that leads to the area known as Lower Bank to the northern boundary of Parcel No 6733 on Ordnance Survey 1:2500 Plan SK 00-0198 Edition of 1972, thence eastwards, southwards, generally westwards and southwestwards along the northern, eastern and southern boundaries of said Parcel to the path that leads to Hollingworth Hall, thence southwestwards along said path to the unnamed access road adjacent to said hall, thence northwestwards along said road to a point opposite the northwestern boundary of

Hollingworth Hall, thence generally southwestwards and southwards along the northwestern and southwestern boundaries of said hall to Hobson Moor Road, thence southwestwards along said road to a point opposite the path that leads to the property known as Moorside, thence northwestwards to and northwestwards and westwards along said path to the eastern boundary of said property, thence generally northeastwards; northwestwards, southwestwards and southeastwards along the southeastern, northeastern, northwestern and southwestern boundaries of said property to the path that leads across the north of Hobson Moor to Shaw Moor, thence westwards along said path to the path at the eastern side of Hobson Moor, that leads to Hobson Moor Road, thence southwards along said path to said road, thence southwestwards and westwards along said road to Mottram Road, thence northwestwards along said road to Matley Lane, thence southwestwards along said lane to a point opposite the southwestern boundary of the Garage, thence southeastwards to and along said boundary, the northeastern boundary of Parcel No 3956 on Ordnance Survey 1:2500 Plan SJ 98-9996 Edition of 1972, and southwestwards along the southeastern boundary of said parcel and the southeastern boundaries of Parcel Nos 4644, 4337 and 3930 and the southern boundary of last mentioned parcel to the track being the continuation of the access way from Harrop Edge Road to Paddock Farm, thence southwestwards along said track and said access way to Harrop Edge Road, thence northwards along said road to a point opposite the path which crosses Parcel No 0085 on Ordnance Survey 1:2500 Plan SJ 98-9995 Edition of 1971 and Parcel Nos 0085 and 8886 on Ordnance Survey 1:2500 Plan SJ 96-9795 Edition of 1971, thence northwestwards to and along said path, crossing the access way to the property known as Raglands to the path which leads to Matley Lane crossing Parcel No 8800 on last mentioned plan and Parcel Nos 8800, 7213, 5616, 3517, 0005, 1525, 1029, 1231, 1642, 0544, 0462 and 9042 on Ordnance Survey 1:2500 Plan SJ 96-9796 Edition of 1971, thence northwestwards along said path, crossing Matley Lane to Early Bank Road, thence northwestwards and northeastwards along said road to the path at NG Reference SJ 9701597414, thence eastwards along said path

to the path that leads to the Football Ground, thence northwards and eastwards along said path to Acres Brook, thence generally northwestwards along said brook and the reservoir to a point being the prolongation southwestwards of Grey Street, thence northeastwards along said prolongation to Mottram Road, thence generally northwestwards along said road and Stamford Street to Wakefield Road, thence eastwards along said road to a point opposite the northeastern boundary of No 94 Wakefield Road, thence southeastwards to and along said boundary and in prolongation thereof to the River Tame, thence generally northeastwards along said river to Spring Bank Lane, thence southeastwards along said lane and Grove Road to the unnamed road that leads to Buckton Vale Road, thence northeastwards along said unnamed road and Buckton Vale Road to the path at NG Reference SJ 9767299951 that leads to Huddersfield Road, thence eastwards along said path to said road, thence northwards along said road to the access road to the property known as Wood, thence eastwards along said access road to the path at the north of said property that leads to the western access road to the property known as Hilltop, thence eastwards along said path and said access road to said path and said access road to said property, thence eastwards along the eastern access road of said property to the unnamed road between Higher Little Bank and Lower Hyde Green Farm, thence southwards along said road to the track that crosses the north of Parcel Nos 5300 and 6600 on Ordnance Survey 1:2500 Plan SD 98-9900 Edition of 1969, thence eastwards along said track to the unnamed road that leads in a southerly direction, to Higher Hydegreen, thence southwards along said unnamed road to the unnamed road that leads in a northerly direction to the property known as Winterhill, thence northwards along said unnamed road to the track at NG Reference SD 9882000238, thence northeastwards and eastwards along said track to the path, at NG Reference SD 9912800457, that leads to the stream known as Shire Clough, thence southeastwards along said path to said stream thence northwestwards and northeastwards along said stream to the access road to the disused quarries to the east of Buckton Vale Works, thence northeastwards along said access road to the track

that leads to the access road from Carr Lane to Buckton Grange, thence northeastwards and generally westwards along said track to said access road, thence northwestwards along said road to said brook, thence northeastwards along said brook to the southern boundary of Mossley Ward, thence generally northeastwards along said boundary to the point of commencement.

STALYBRIDGE NORTH WARD

Commencing at the point where the southern boundary of Mossley Ward meets the northwestern boundary of Stalybridge South Ward, thence generally southwestwards along said northwestern boundary to the River Tame at Staly Bridge, thence generally westwards along said river to a point being the prolongation southwestwards of Hully Street, thence northeastwards along said prolongation and said street to Market Street, thence northwestwards along said street and Rassbottom Street to Stamford Street, thence westwards along said street to Mellor Road, thence northeastwards along said road to Darnton Road, thence southeastwards along said road to a point opposite the eastern boundary of the Boating Lake in Stamford Park, thence northeastwards to and generally northwards along said boundary, thence northwards in a straight line to the eastern boundary of the Fishing Lake, thence generally northwards along said boundary to Cock Brook, thence generally northwards and northeastwards along said brook to the southeastern boundary of Ashton Hurst Ward, thence northeastwards along said boundary to the southern boundary of Mossley Ward, thence generally eastwards along said boundary to the point of commencement.

ASHTON ST MICHAEL'S WARD

Commencing at the point where the southern boundary of Ashton Hurst Ward meets the western boundary of Stalybridge North Ward, thence generally southwestwards along said western boundary to Clarence Street, thence southwards along said street to the River Tame at Clarence Bridge, thence northwards,

generally westwards and northwards along said river to the road known as Whitelands at Dukinfield Bridge, thence northwards along said road to Bedford Street, thence northeastwards along said street, crossing Stamford Street and Lees Square to Mossley Road, thence northeastwards along said road to the Stalybridge to Ashton-under-Lyne railway, thence northwestwards along said railway to Cowhill Lane, thence northwards along said lane, crossing the junction of Canterbury Street and Union Road to the southeastern boundary of King George V Playing Fields, thence generally northeastwards along said boundary to the southern boundary of Ashton Hurst Ward, thence generally eastwards along said boundary to the point of commencement.

ASHTON ST PETERS' WARD

Commencing at the point where the southern boundary of Ashton Hurst Ward meets the western boundary of Ashton St Michael's Ward, thence generally southwards along said western boundary to the River Tame at Dukinfield Bridge, thence generally southwestwards along said river to the Newton to Fairfield railway, thence westwards along said railway to Guide Lane, thence northwards along said lane to Audenshaw Road, thence eastwards along said road to the Manchester and Ashton under Lyne Canal, thence generally westwards along said canal to the dismantled Denton to Droylsden railway, thence northwestwards along said dismantled railway to Manchester Road, thence northeastwards along said road to the unnamed road, adjacent to the Snipe Inn, that leads to Rayner Lane, thence northeastwards and westwards along said unnamed road to Rayner Lane, thence northeastwards along said lane to the eastern boundary of Droylsden East Ward, thence northeastwards and northwestwards along said boundary to the southern boundary of Ashton Waterloo Ward, thence eastwards and northwards along the southern and eastern boundaries of said ward to the southern boundary of Ashton Hurst Ward, thence eastwards along said boundary to the point of commencement.

AUDENSHAW WARD

Commencing at the point where the western boundary of the Borough meets the southeastern boundary of Droylsden East Ward, thence generally northeastwards along said ward boundary to the western boundary of Ashton St Peters' Ward, thence generally southwards and eastwards along the western and southern boundaries of said ward to the River Tame, thence generally southwards along said river to a point being the prolongation northeastwards of the southern boundary of Audenshaw Cemetery, thence southwestwards along said prolongation and said boundary to the eastern boundary of Cemetery Road, thence southwards along said boundary to the northern boundary of Parcel No 8831 on Ordnance Survey 1:2500 Plan SJ 92-9396 Edition of 1970, thence westwards along said boundary, and westwards in a straight line to the southern boundary of Haughton Street, thence westwards along said boundary and the southern boundary of No 1 Haughton Street to the rear boundary of said property, thence northwards and westwards along the rear boundaries of Nos 1, 3 and 9-23 Haughton Street to the access path of Nos 23-36 Pennine View, thence southwards and westwards along said path and westwards in a straight line to the access path at the rear of Nos 1-12 Pennine View, thence westwards along said path to the access way at the north of No 17 Howard Street and No 222 Ashton Road, thence generally westwards along said access way to Ashton Road, thence southeastwards along said road to Egerton Street, thence southwestwards along said street to Corporation Road, thence northeastwards along said road to a point opposite the southern boundary of the works situated to the north of Mansfield Avenue, thence northwestwards to and along said boundary and in prolongation thereof to the Denton to Guide Bridge railway, thence northeastwards along said railway to a point being the prolongation southeastwards of the service road between Audenshaw Reservoir No 1 and Audenshaw Reservoir No 2, thence northwestwards along said prolongation and said service road to the service road between Audenshaw Reservoir No 2 and Audenshaw Reservoir No 3, thence southwestwards along said service road to the access road that leads to the reservoirs from

Corn Hill Lane thence southwestwards and northwestwards along said access road to Corn Hill Lane, thence westwards along said lane to King's Road, thence southwards along said road to the western boundary of the Borough, thence generally northwards along said Borough boundary to the point of commencement.

DUKINFIELD WARD

Commencing at the point where the eastern boundary of Audenshaw Ward meets the southeastern boundary of Ashton St Peters' Ward thence generally north-eastwards along said southeastern boundary to the southern boundary of Ashton St Michael's Ward, thence southwards, eastwards and southwards along said boundary to Clarence Street thence southwards along said street and Sandy Lane to Belvedere Drive, thence eastwards along said drive to a point opposite the path between Nos 4 and 6 Belvedere Drive that leads to James Close, thence southeastwards to and along said path and southwards across James Close to the path adjacent to No 7 James Close that leads to Oxford Road, thence southeastwards along said path to Oxford Road, thence eastwards along said road to St John Street, thence southeastwards along said street to Vicarage Drive, thence southwestwards along said drive to Lodge Lane, thence southeastwards along said lane to Cheetham Hill Road, thence southwestwards along said road to Ashton Road, thence northwards along said road to Johnsonbrook Road, thence southwestwards along said road to Junction Street, thence westwards along said street, crossing Dukinfield Road to the southern boundary of Newtonwood House, thence westwards along said boundary to its westernmost point, thence southwestwards in a straight line to the northern boundary of Parcel No 0043 on Ordnance Survey 1:2500 Plan SJ 94-9596 Edition of 1968, thence westwards and northwards along said boundary to the eastern boundary of Parcel No 0051, thence northwards and westwards along the eastern and northern boundaries of said parcel and continuing westwards along the northern boundary of Parcel No 0051 on Ordnance Survey 1:2500 Plan SJ 92-9396 Edition of 1970 to its westernmost point, thence southwestwards

in a straight line to NG Reference SJ 9359796368 being the northernmost point of Parcel No 7600, thence southwestwards along the northwestern boundary of said parcel and in prolongation thereof to the River Tame, thence generally northwestwards along said river to the eastern boundary of Audenshaw Ward, thence generally northwards along said boundary to the point of commencement.

DUKINFIELD STALYBRIDGE WARD

Commencing at the point where the eastern boundary of Ashton St Michael's Ward meets the southern boundary of Stalybridge North Ward, thence generally eastwards along said southern boundary to the western boundary of Stalybridge South Ward, thence generally southwards along said boundary to Yew Tree Lane, thence northwestwards along said lane to a point opposite the western boundary of Dukinfield Golf Course Club House, thence southwards and eastwards along the western and southern boundaries of said Club House to the path which crosses the golf course and leads southwards to Bowers Street, thence southwards along said path to NG Reference SJ 9609696693, thence due west to Johnson Brook, thence generally westwards along said brook to where it meets the Reservoir, thence southwestwards in a straight line across said reservoir and in prolongation thereof to the junction of the southern and eastern boundaries ^{of} Dukinfield Ward in Ashton Road thence generally northwards along said eastern boundary and the eastern boundary of Ashton St Michael's Ward to the point of commencement.

HYDE NEWTON WARD

Commencing at the point where the southern boundary of Dukinfield Stalybridge Ward meets the western boundary of Stalybridge South Ward, thence southeastwards along said western boundary to the track at NG Reference SJ 9716796213 that leads to Mottram Road, thence generally southwards and southwestwards along said track to the proposed M67 motorway, thence generally westwards along said motorway to the River Tame, thence generally northwards along

said river to the southern boundary of Dukinfield Ward, thence generally eastwards along said boundary to the southern boundary of Dukinfield Stalybridge Ward, thence eastwards, northwards and southeastwards along said boundary to the point of commencement.

DENTON NORTH EAST WARD

Commencing at the point where the southern boundary of Audenshaw Ward meets the southwestern boundary of Dukinfield Ward, thence generally southeastwards along said southwestern boundary to the western boundary of Hyde Newton Ward, thence generally southwards along said boundary and continuing southwards along the River Tame to a point due north of the northernmost point of the northwestern boundary of No 21 Northstead Avenue, thence due south to said boundary and southwestwards along said boundary and continuing southwestwards along the rear boundaries of Nos 20 and 19 Northstead Avenue, Nos 5 to 1 Brookdale Avenue and Nos 211 to 189 Moorfield Avenue to a point opposite the rear boundary of No 177 said avenue thence northwestwards to and along said rear boundary and the rear boundaries of Nos 175 to 135 Moorfield Avenue and the northeastern boundary of the Electricity Sub Station to the unnamed road that leads to Vaudrey Lane, thence southwestwards along said unnamed road and Vaudrey Lane to Whittles Walk, thence northwards along said walk to Tib Street, thence southwestwards along said street to Stockport Road, thence northwestwards along said road to Pendle Road, thence southwestwards along said road to a point opposite the rear boundaries of Nos 2-8 Pendle Road, thence northwards to and along said boundaries to the northeastern boundary of Pendle House, thence northwestwards and southwestwards along the northeastern and northwestern boundaries of said house to the rear boundaries of Nos 12-22 Pendle Road, thence southwestwards along said boundaries and southwards along the rear boundaries of Nos 22-78 Pendle Road and in prolongation thereof to Circular Road, thence generally southwards and westwards along said road to a point opposite the northeastern end of Wollaton Walk, thence southwestwards to and along said walk and westwards along

Chillington Walk to the proposed path that leads to Speke Walk, thence northwards along said path to the path which leads from the rear of Nos 16-2 Speke Walk to Percy Road, thence eastwards and northwestwards along said path to Percy Road, thence northwestwards along said road to Town Lane, thence north-eastwards along said lane to Acre Street, thence northwestwards along said street to Manchester Road, thence westwards along said road to Taylor Lane, thence northwestwards along said lane to the proposed M67 motorway, thence westwards along said motorway to the Reddish to Guide Bridge railway, thence northeastwards along said railway to the southern boundary of Audenshaw Ward, thence generally eastwards along said boundary to the point of commencement.

DENTON WEST WARD

Commencing at the point where the western boundary of the Borough meets the southern boundary of Audenshaw Ward, thence generally eastwards along said ward boundary to the western boundary of Denton North East Ward, thence southwestwards, eastwards and generally southwards along said ward boundary to Chillington Walk, thence southwestwards and southeastwards along said walk to Yew Tree Road, thence southwestwards along said road to the path that leads to the southern end of Horse Close Wood, thence southwards and southwestwards along said path to NG Reference SJ 9188493841, thence due southeastwards to the southern boundary of the Borough, thence generally westwards along said boundary and generally northwards along the western boundary of the Borough to the point of commencement.

DENTON SOUTH WARD

Commencing at the point where the southern boundary of the Borough meets the eastern boundary of Denton West Ward, thence generally northwards along said ward boundary to the southern boundary of Denton North East Ward, thence generally eastwards along said boundary to the River Tame, thence generally eastwards and southwards along said river to the southern boundary of the Borough, thence generally westwards along said boundary to the point of

commencement.

HYDE WERNETH WARD

Commencing at the point where the southern boundary of the Borough meets the eastern boundary of Denton South Ward, thence generally northwards and westwards along said ward boundary to the eastern boundary of Denton North East Ward, thence northwards along said boundary to the southern boundary of Hyde Newton Ward, thence generally southeastwards along said boundary to Newton Street, thence southwards along said street to Manchester Road, thence eastwards along said road to Market Street, thence southeastwards along said street and Stockport Road to the path known as Treacle Brow thence eastwards along said path to Mottram Old Road, thence generally eastwards along said road to the path, to the west of Hattersley Viaduct, that leads to Botham's Hall, thence southeastwards along said path to the western boundary of Botham's Hall, thence generally southwards and southeastwards along said boundary and in prolongation thereof to the River Etherow, thence southwards along said river to the southern boundary of the Borough, thence generally westwards and northwestwards along said Borough boundary to the point of commencement.

HYDE GODLEY WARD

Commencing at the point where the northern boundary of Hyde Werneth Ward meets the southern boundary of Hyde Newton Ward, thence generally eastwards and northwards along said southern boundary to the southern boundary of Stalybridge South Ward, thence southeastwards along said ward boundary and continuing southeastwards along Harrop Edge Road to Hyde Road, thence southwestwards along said road and Mottram Road to a point due north of the northernmost point of Fentewan Walk, thence due south to and southeastwards along said walk to the access road to the garages to the northeast of No 61 Camborne Road, thence continuing southeastwards along said access road to

Camborne Road, thence southeastwards and southwards along said road to Underwood Road, thence westwards along said road to Hattersley Road East, thence southwards and southwestwards along said road to Chapman Road, thence southeastwards along said road to Stockport Road, thence southwestwards along said road to the northern boundary of Hyde Werneth Ward, thence generally westwards and northwestwards along said boundary to the point of commencement.

LONGDENDALE WARD

Commencing at the point where the southeastern boundary of Stalybridge South Ward meets the eastern boundary of the Borough, thence generally southwards along said borough boundary and generally southwestwards along the southern boundary of the borough to the eastern boundary of Hyde Werneth Ward, thence northwards along said boundary and the eastern boundary of Hyde Godley Ward to the southeastern boundary of Stalybridge South Ward, thence generally northeastwards along said boundary to the point of commencement.

