DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL

Borough of Darlington

Election of Borough Councillors for

Northgate on Thursday 4 May 2023

I, Luke Swinhoe, being the Returning Officer at the above election, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate at the said election is as follows:

Name of Candidate	Description (if any)	Number of Votes*
AYNIYEDATH SAJU Eldhose	Local Conservatives	188
BEGUM ALI Syeda Sajna	Labour Party	373 Elected
COLLINGE David James Lewis	Liberal Democrats	80
KANE Sonia Elizabeth	Labour Party	380 Elected
KANG-SCARTH Neil Philip	Green Party	50
MADDISON Louise Anne	Green Party	72
RICHARDSON Yvonne Dilys	Local Conservatives	207

* If elected the word 'Elected' appears against the number of votes.

The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:	
want of an official mark	0
voting for more Candidates than voter was entitled to	0
writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
peing unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	5
rejected in part	0
Total	5
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Vacant Seats: 2 Electorate: 2574

Ballot Papers Issued: 751

Turnout: 29.18%

And I do hereby declare that, Syeda Sajna Begum Ali, Sonia Elizabeth Kane are duly elected.