**SCOTTISH PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION**

**Date of Election – 6 May 2021**

**LIMITATION ON CANDIDATES’ ELECTION EXPENSES**

The limits on the total amount that can be spent by or on behalf of a candidate are as follows:

If a candidate – or someone on a candidate’s behalf – has made it clear, before the Scottish Parliament was dissolved, that the candidate is standing for election, the maximum sum that can be spent during the period from 6 January to 25 March 2021 (inclusive) is £21,500 plus 4.2 pence per parliamentary elector in a burgh constituency or 6.3 pence per parliamentary elector in a county constituency.

For all candidates the maximum sum that can be spent during the period from 25 March 2021 until polling day on 6 May 2021 (inclusive) is £8,700 plus 6 pence per parliamentary elector in a burgh constituency and 9 pence per parliamentary elector in a county constituency.

Airdrie and Shotts, Coatbridge and Chryston, Motherwell and Wishaw and Uddingston and Bellshill Constituencies are burgh constituencies.

Cumbernauld and Kilsyth Constituency is a county constituency.

The electorate of each constituency is as follows:

Airdrie and Shotts 53,687

Coatbridge and Chryston 56,241

Cumbernauld and Kilsyth 50,921

Motherwell and Wishaw 58,338

Uddingston and Bellshill 60,303