

No. 137/25

8th July 2025

**TO: ALL BRANCH SECRETARIES
FIELD OFFICIALS**

Dear Colleagues,

**SPECIAL RESTRUCTURING CONFERENCE/SPECIAL RULES REVISION CONFERENCE
2025 – DECISIONS AND CARD VOTE**

Please find attached copies of the decisions taken during the Special Restructuring and the Special Rules Revision Conferences and the results of the Card Vote that was taken.

Any enquiries regarding this Letter to Branches should be addressed to Angela Niven, Senior Deputy General Secretary's Department on telephone number 020 8971 7237, or email address conferences@cwu.org

Yours sincerely,

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Senior Deputy General Secretary**

COMMUNICATION WORKERS UNION – SPECIAL RESTRUCTURING CONFERENCE 2025**Report of Conference Proceedings on SATURDAY 28th June**

MOTION	BRANCH	DECISION
National Officer Roles		
Composite Motion 1	South West Regional Committee Plymouth and East Cornwall AMAL Western Counties	Not Carried
Composite Motion 2	National Executive Council	Carried
Conference and Delegations		
Composite Motion 3	Greater London Combined South London, Surrey and North Hampshire South Central Postal	Not Carried
Composite Motion 4	Essex and Central Counties Somerset, Devon and Cornwall	Not Carried
Composite Motion 5	South West Regional Committee Plymouth and East Cornwall Amal Western Counties	Not Carried
Composite Motion 6	Shropshire and Mid Wales London Postal Engineering	Not Carried
Motion 7	Kent Invicta	Not Carried
Motion 8	Essex Amal	Withdrawn
Motion 9	Greater Mersey Amal	Not Carried
Motion 10	Edinburgh, Dundee and Borders	Carried
Motion 11	Leeds No. 1 Amal	Withdrawn
Motion 12	National Executive Council	Carried
National and Branch Structure Reviews		
Motion 13	London Postal Engineering	Withdrawn
Motion 14	National Executive Council	Carried
Regions		
Motion 15	UTAW	Not Carried
Motion 16	Shropshire and Mid Wales	Withdrawn
Motion 17	Midland No. 1	Not Carried
Composite Motion 18	North Lancs and Cumbria North East Regional Committee West Yorkshire South East Regional Committee	Not Carried Card Vote 1
Motion 19	UTAW	Not Carried
Motion 20	Leeds No. 1 Amal	Not Carried
Composite Motion 21	South East Regional Committee Essex and Central Counties	Not Carried
Motion 22	London Regional Committee	Withdrawn
Motion 23	National Executive Council	Carried

COMMUNICATION WORKERS UNION – SPECIAL RULES REVISION CONFERENCE 2025**Report of Conference Proceedings on SUNDAY 29th June**

MOTION	BRANCH	DECISION
Rule 9 - Officers		
Rule Proposal 1	National Executive Council	Carried
Rule Proposal 2	National Executive Council	Carried
Rule Proposal 3	South West Regional Committee	Withdrawn
Rule Proposal 4	Western Counties	Withdrawn
Rule Proposal 5	National Executive Council	Carried
Rule 10 - Conferences		
Rule Proposal 6	National Executive Council	Carried
Rule Proposal 7	South London, Surrey and North Hampshire	Withdrawn
Composite Rule Proposal 8	South West Regional Committee Western Counties	Withdrawn
Rule Proposal 9	National Executive Council	Carried
Rule Proposal 10	National Executive Council	Carried
Rule 8 – National Organisation		
Rule Proposal 11	Greater Mersey Amal	Carried
Rule Proposal 12	Greater Mersey Amal	Withdrawn
Rule Proposal 13	National Executive Council	Carried
Rule Proposal 14	National Executive Council	Carried
Rule Proposal 15	Edinburgh, Dundee and Borders	Carried
Rule Proposal 16	North East Region	Carried
Rule 7 – Regional Structure		
Rule Proposal 17	National Executive Council	Carried
Rule Proposal 18	Northern Ireland Telecoms	Withdrawn
Rule Proposal 19	Mid Wales the Marches and North Staffs	Falls
Composite Rule Proposal 20	North East Regional Committee North Lancs and Cumbria	Withdrawn

Restructuring Conference 2025 - Card Vote 1(Motion 18) Version 2

Branch	Postal Constituency			TFS Constituency			Grand Total
	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	
01001 Essex Amal Branch		2339					2339
01002 Colchester & District Branch	593						593
01003 Eastern No 3 Branch		1199					1199
01004 Eastern No 4 Branch	1150						1150
01005 Eastern No 5 Branch	1553						1553
01006 Eastern No 6 Branch		1204					1204
01008 Suffolk Amal Branch		792					792
01009 South Central Postal Branch	1765						1765
02001 Birmingham Dist Amal Branch	2471						2471
02002 South Midlands Postal Branch		4887					4887
02003 Leicestershire Branch	1150						1150
02005 Wolverhampton & Dist Amal Branch		1680					1680
02006 Derbyshire Branch		862					862
02007 North Staffordshire Postal Branch		933					933
02008 Nottingham & Dist Amal Branch		2300					2300
03001 Doncaster & District Amal Branch		1357					1357
03002 South Yorkshire & District Amal Branch	2490						2490
03003 Bradford & District Amal Branch	981						981
03005 Leeds No 1 Amal Branch	2719						2719
03006 York & District Amal Branch	930						930
03007 Hull/East Ridings Amal Branch	495						495
03008 Newcastle Amal Branch		2289					2289
03010 Cleveland Amal Branch	787						787
03011 North East Central Branch	1134						1134
04001 Northern Ireland Postal Amal Branch		1632					1632
04003 Northern Ireland West Branch	700						700
05002 Isle Of Man Branch							0
05003 Cheshire No 1 Amal Branch	369						369
05004 North West Central Amal Branch	2055						2055
05006 Greater Manchester Branch		2220					2220
05007 North West No 1 Branch	1199						1199
05010 East Lancs Amal Branch	435						435
05011 North Lancs & Cumbria Branch	2606						2606
05012 Darwen Capita							0
05013 Warrington Mail Centre Branch	558						558
06001 Glasgow Dist Amal Branch		3290					3290
06002 Scotland No 2 Branch		2456					2456
06003 Grampian/Shetland Amal Branch		776					776
06005 Scotland No 5 Branch		685					685
06006 Clyde Valley Amal Branch		415					415
06007 Orkney Branch							0
06008 Highland Amal Branch		484					484
07002 Portsmouth & District Postal Branch	991						991
07003 Southdowns Weald & Rother Branch	2062						2062
07004 Kent Invicta Branch	2001						2001
07005 South East No 5 Branch		4587					4587
08001 Western Counties Branch		2337					2337
08002 Plymouth/East Cornwall Amal Branch		1310					1310
08003 Bournemouth & Dorset Amal Branch		1046					1046
08004 Wessex South Central Branch		1572					1572
08005 Bristol & Dist Amal Branch		2251					2251
08006 Gloucestershire Amal Branch		705					705
08007 South West No 7 Branch	1271						1271
08009 Jersey Branch		169					169
08010 Guernsey Branch		176					176
08011 Worcester & Hereford Amal Branch		671					671
08012 Cornwall Amal Branch		474					474
09001 North Wales & Marches Branch		1377					1377
09002 Shropshire & Mid Wales Branch		726					726
09003 South East Wales Amal Branch		1460					1460
09004 South West Wales Amal Branch		1137					1137
09005 Gwent Amal Branch		698					698
10002 Mount Pleasant Branch		897					897
10004 London Phoenix Branch		496					496
10009 Nhc Postal Branch	1207						1207
10011 London Parcels & Station Amal Branch	457						457
10012 Northern/North West London Branch	1752						1752

Branch	Postal Constituency			TFS Constituency			Grand Total
	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	
10013 East London Postal Branch		1137					1137
10015 West London Postal Branch	566						566
10016 South East Ldn Ptl & Ctr Branch	1314						1314
10017 London South West Branch							0
10018 Kingston Area Branch		590					590
10019 Romford Amal Branch		1441					1441
10020 Harrow & District Branch	1361						1361
10021 South & East Thames Amal Branch		1201					1201
10022 Croydon & Sutton Amal Branch		1066					1066
10023 S W Middlesex Amal Branch	1078						1078
21006 South Central Mt Branch							0
21827 Essex and Central Counties Branch	80			2227			2307
21831 North Anglia Branch		11			1385		1396
22032 Midland No 1 Branch		64			2788		2852
22239 Midlands Mt Branch							0
22601 Algu National Branch				1167			1167
22803 Midland Counties Branch		90			2240		2330
23404 South Yorkshire Branch	59			793			852
23669 Tyne & Wear Clerical Branch					2091		2091
23808 North East Branch		33			1352		1385
23817 Lincolnshire & South Yorks Branch				1217			1217
23830 West Yorkshire Branch	117			1771			1888
24024 Northern Ireland Telecoms Branch				1623			1623
25274 Manchester Combined Branch					1725		1725
25646 Mersey Branch				1063			1063
25730 Bootle Financial Services Branch							0
25801 Isle Of Man Branch							0
25821 Lancs & Cumbria Branch	31			1830			1861
25833 Preston Brook & Bury Branch				465			465
26156 Glasgow & Motherwell Branch		27			806		833
26157 Scotland Mt Branch		111					111
26825 Edinburgh Dundee & Borders Branch		27			1403		1430
26829 Scotland No 1 Branch				2139			2139
27049 South East Central Branch				724			724
27353 Ports W Sussex & I O W Branch				490			490
27805 Meridian Branch	54			524			578
28459 Somerset Devon & Cornwall Branch	22			1751			1773
28828 Great Western Branch		75			1994		2069
29807 Mid Wales, The Marches & N Staffs Branch		6			794		800
29816 North Wales & Chester Combined Branch					626		626
29823 South Wales Branch		31			2260		2291
30122 Ldn Regional Mt Branch		147					147
30252 Greater London Combined Branch				2467			2467
30255 London Postal Eng Branch	175						175
30810 Capital Branch				1843			1843
30834 South Ldn Surrey & North Hampshire Branch					1510		1510
45001 Greater Mersey Amal Branch	1614			869			2483
99002 UTAW National		9			4495		4504
TOTAL	42,352	59,955	0	22,963	25,469	0	150,739

YES	65,315	43.3%
NO	85,424	56.7%
ABSTAIN	0	0.0%
TURNOUT	98.1%	