

Proposed Changes to Standing Orders for the Old Bexley & Sidcup Constituency Labour Party – to be considered at AGM 25th February 2021.

Change of Quorum.

To carry out decisions our meetings must have enough attendees (a quorum), the Executive propose that this number is reduced to 15 members from the model standing order recommendation of 5% of membership, which currently stands at around 25 attendees. It's possible that Virtual meetings put some members off e.g. home workers with Zoom/Teams fatigue; or easily missed with a plethora of on-line offerings; or with a relatively senior member base, there are now even more barriers to attending meetings.

Reason for Proposal – OBS value peoples' time and those that might take the trouble to attend meetings or present business can be assured that decisions can be made without the uncertainty of attending a future inquorate meeting.