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1977

*Kenneth E. Stockman, r, Epsom	985
Frank S. Hillsgrove, d, Pittsfield	810
Paul E. Martell, d, Epsom	758
Dist. No. 9 (Canterbury, Chichester, Loudon)	
*John O. Cate, r, Loudon	1196
*Edwin L. Waters, r, Chichester	1090
Kathryn M. Cushman, d, Canterbury	759
Robert D. Scarponi, d, Canterbury	608
Dist. No. 10 (Boscawen, Northfield)	
*George R. Mullin, d, Boscawen	913
*Donna T. MacIvor, r, Boscawen	905
*Doris L. Thompson, r, Northfield	892
Elmer S. Wiggin, r, Boscawen	822
Paul E. Kelley, d, Northfield	806
Ruth R. Gorrell, d, Northfield	769
Dist. No. 11 (Andover, Salisbury)	
*James A. Humphrey, r, Andover	605
Michael P. Ottati, d, Andover	303
Howard L. Wilson, Jr., World Federalist, Andover	31
Dist. No. 12 (Franklin — Ward 1)	
*Arthur H. LaBonte, Sr., d, Franklin	566
Dist. No. 13 (Franklin — Wards 2, 3)	
*Stuart D. Trachy, r, Franklin	1251
*Katharine J. Ralph, d, Franklin	1122
*Eugene S. Daniell, Jr., d, Franklin	1092
Paul N. Estee, d, Franklin	1065
Dist. No. 14 (Concord — Ward 1)	
*Steven A. Stefanides, d, Concord	853
*Milton A. Cate, r, Concord	784
Robert A. Clarke, r, Concord	679
Loren N. Magee, d, Concord	603
David E. Martel, World Federalist, Concord	31
Dist. No. 15 (Concord — Ward 2)	
*Robert J. Watson, d, Concord	980
*Polly B. Johnson, r, Concord	867
Eva M. Sartwell, d, Concord	806
Eliot G. Clemons, r, Concord	802
Dist. No. 16 (Concord — Ward 3)	
*Susan N. McLane, r, Concord	859
*Max D. Wiviott, r, Concord	640
Paula T. Rogers, d, Concord	524
Cora H. Goble, d, Concord	210
Dist. No. 17 (Concord — Ward 4)	
*Kenneth M. Tarr, d, Concord	801
*G. Robertson Blakeney, Jr., d, Concord	724
H. Gwendolyn Jones, r, Concord	567
Charles H. Cheney, Sr., r, Concord	562
Dist. No. 18 (Concord — Ward 5)	
*Arthur W. Perkins, r, Concord	545

*Wayne S. Rich, r, Concord	529
Mark H. Stokes, d, Concord	462
Mary Strayer McGowan, d, Concord	454
Dist. No. 19 (Concord — Ward 6)	
*Maura Carroll, d, Concord	722
*Ernest J. Valliere, r, Concord	531
Linda B. Kenison, r, Concord	502
Esther M. McDonald, d, Concord	487
Dist. No. 20 (Concord — Ward 7)	
*Harold L. Rice, d, Concord	1036
*R. Peter Shapiro, r, Concord	1025
Edwin B. Christensen, r, Concord	995
Virginia K. Sullivan, d, Concord	890
Dist. No. 21 (Concord — Ward 8)	
*Gerald R. Smith, r, Concord	1043
*Charles E. Pratt, r, Concord	998
Katherine D. Rogers, d, Concord	868
Robert E. Wilson, d, Concord	743

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

Dist. No. 1 (Deerfield, Northwood, Nottingham)	
*Roger C. King, r, Deerfield	1346
*John H. Stimmell, r, Northwood	1260
John A. Perkins, d, Nottingham	802
Alexandra T. Breed, d, Nottingham	616
Dist. No. 2 (Auburn, Candia, Chester)	
*Roy W. Davis, r and d, Auburn	2605
*Helen F. Wilson, r and d, Candia	2558
*Richardson D. Benton, r and d, Chester	2529
Dist. No. 3 (Londonderry)	
*Robert H. Day, r and d, Londonderry	2816
*William P. Boucher, r, Londonderry	1991
*Peter C. Gaskill, r, Londonderry	1933
Edward Jeffrey Newcombe, d, Londonderry	1338
Joni J. Salvas, d, Londonderry	1026
Dist. No. 3-A (Windham)	
*Patricia M. Skinner, r, Windham	1352
*Juanita E. Kashulines, r, Windham	1014
M. Virginia Brady, d, Windham	869
Michael S. Wojcik, d, Windham	391
Dist. No. 4 (Derry)	
*Ernest P. Barka, r and d, Derry	4381
*Robert J. Stratton, r and d, Derry	3946
*Kenneth H. Gould, r, Derry	2781
*Kenneth M. Bisbee, r, Derry	2677
*Conrad L. Quimby, r, Derry	2665
*Virginia K. Lovejoy, r, Derry	2485
Barbara Gratton, d, Derry	2394
Paul A. Gibbons, d, Derry	2351

James O. Reinhardt, d, Derry	1666
Steven H. Banton, d, Derry	1431
Dist. No. 5 (Salem)	
*James W. Carpenito, d, Salem	4361
*Michael A. Collins, d, Salem	4281
*Beatrice M. Laycock, d, Salem	4258
*Elizabeth E. Goff, d, Salem	4138
*Grace L. DeCesare, d, Salem	4118
*Marilyn R. Campbell, r, Salem	3965
*Joseph L. Parolise, d, Salem	3835
*Alfreda A. Smith, d, Salem	3781
*Beverly A. Gage, r, Salem	3692
*Michael L. Grieco, d, Salem	3645
*Phyllis J. Pucci, d, Salem	3640
James A. Sayer, r, Salem	3608
Donald H. DeCesare, r, Salem	3539
John J. Sytek, r, Salem	3481
Donna P. Sytek, r, Salem	3450
Marilyn T. Rheault, d, Salem	3207
Stephen M. Kennedy, r, Salem	3015
Frederick M. Cunningham, d, Salem	2988
Margaret S. Lemay, r, Salem	2916
Marshall N. Decker, r, Salem	2824
Katherine E. Kelley, r, Salem	2616
Marianne H. Noyes, r, Salem	2428
Dist. No. 6 (Atkinson, Hampstead, Sandown)	
*Natalie S. Flanagan, r and d, Atkinson	2869
*Clarence L. Webster, r, Hampstead	2206
*D. Ronald Cutliffe, r, Sandown	2036
Barbara A. Goddard, d, Atkinson	1311
Delight Reese (write-in)	7
Dist. No. 7 (Brentwood, Danville, Fremont)	
*Charles Everett Cummings, r, Danville	1223
*Bonnie L. Danforth, r, Fremont	1172
Dist. No. 8 (Epping, Raymond)	
*Ralph L. Blake, r, Raymond	1705
*John Hoar, Jr., r, Epping	1566
*Robert C. Erler, r, Raymond	1484
Reginald V. Maisey, d, Raymond	1003
Wilfred Cloutier, d, Epping	917
Emma S. Gomez, d, Epping	740
Dist. No. 9 (Kingston, Plaistow)	
*Annie Mae Schwaner, r, Plaistow	2386
*K. Michael Tavitian, r, Plaistow	2348
*Leonard F. Sanborn, r, Kingston	2324
*Robert A. Vlack, r, Plaistow	2205
Dist. No. 10 (East Kingston, Kensington, Newton)	
*Myrtle B. Rogers, r, Newton	1127
*Ralph E. Nelson, r, Kensington	1042

Frank A. Briggs, d, East Kingston	912
Gladys M. Bradley, d, Kensington	663
Dist. No. 11 (Seabrook, South Hampton)	
*Charles H. Felch, Sr., r, Seabrook	1256
*Anthony T. Randall, r, Seabrook	1133
Elaine Barbara Enire, d, Seabrook	984
Leonard P. DiBartolomeo, d, Seabrook	874
John A. LeClair, Sr., ind., Seabrook	103
Dist. No. 12 (Hampton, Hampton Falls)	
*Ednapearl F. Parr, r, Hampton	2889
*Wilfred R. Cunningham, r, Hampton	2624
*Stephen C. Dunfey, d, Hampton	2527
*Oliver H. Akerman, r, Hampton Falls	2520
*Ashton J. Norton, r, Hampton	2436
Jane P. Kelley, d, Hampton	2400
Frederick N. Rice, r, Hampton	2327
Brian G. Doherty, d, Hampton	2073
Robert F. McNeil, d, Hampton	1823
Lynn Raleigh, d, Hampton	1591
Dist. No. 13 (Exeter)	
*Carl W. Gage, r, Exeter	2016
*Barbara T. Ganley, d, Exeter	2012
*John J. Kane, r, Exeter	1973
*Richard F. Niebling, d, Exeter	1947
*Douglas J. Aller, r, Exeter	1945
Mark H. Daniell, d, Exeter	1898
Lyman E. Collishaw, r, Exeter	1874
Benjamin A. Brown, r, Exeter	1531
Alan G. Greenwood, d, Exeter	1497
LaRu B. Lynch, d, Exeter	1485
Dist. No. 14 (Newmarket)	
*Edward J. Wojnowski, d, Newmarket	1286
*Patti Blanchette, d, Newmarket	1282
Dist. No. 15 (North Hampton, Stratham)	
*W. Douglas Scamman, Jr., r, Stratham	1599
*Franklin G. Wolfsen, r, North Hampton	1362
*Frederick A. Chapman, r, North Hampton	1339
Carol S. Seely, d, North Hampton	826
Paul F. Donohoe, d, North Hampton	813
William A. Grimes, d, North Hampton	808
Dist. No. 16 (Greenland, Newfields, Newington)	
*Frank F. Richards, r, Greenland	862
*Richard I. Ellis, r, Greenland	801
Margaret A. Lamson, d, Newington	773
Judy Heffernan, d, Greenland	620
Dist. No. 17 (New Castle, Rye)	
*Elizabeth A. Greene, r, Rye	1714
*Meliss A. Appel, r, Rye	1553
*Margaret M. Hartford, r, New Castle	1451

Marguerite C. Kelly, d, Rye	1262
Judith M. Hartwell, d, Rye	941
Carol A. Kenney, d, Rye	832
Dist. No. 18 (Portsmouth — Ward 1)	
*Ralph C. Maynard, d, Portsmouth	988
*Lea H. Aeschliman, d, Portsmouth	870
William Palfrey, r, Portsmouth	625
Vincent E. Stacy, r, Portsmouth	336
Dist. No. 19 (Portsmouth — Ward 2)	
*James R. Splaine, d, Portsmouth	1085
*Ruth L. Griffin, r, Portsmouth	971
John Camuso, d, Portsmouth	605
Shirley L. Hodgdon, r, Portsmouth	563
Dist. No. 20 (Portsmouth — Ward 3)	
*Mary E. Cotton, d, Portsmouth	582
*Joseph A. McEachern, d, Portsmouth	570
*Joseph A. MacDonald, d, Portsmouth	527
C. Cecil Dame, r, Portsmouth	488
Edward J. Welch, r, Portsmouth	399
Walter F. Beevers, r, Portsmouth	344
Dist. No. 21 (Portsmouth — Ward 4)	
*Thomas P. Connors, Sr., d, Portsmouth	1129
*Michael J. O'Keefe, d, Portsmouth	984
Nick Nola, r, Portsmouth	617
Irenee R. Lebel, r, Portsmouth	606
Dist. No. 22 (Portsmouth — Ward 5)	
*Elaine S. Krasker, d, Portsmouth	980
*Joyce R. Zabarsky, d, Portsmouth	759
Richard H. Jerauld, Sr., r, Portsmouth	492
Z. Sally Coussoule, r, Portsmouth	323
Dist. No. 23 (Portsmouth — Ward 6)	
*Bruce P. Rossley, d and r, Portsmouth	703
*Donna J. McEachern, d, Portsmouth	521
Frank W. Yeaw, r, Portsmouth	266

STRAFFORD COUNTY

Dist. No. 1 (Milton)	
*Victor J. Joos, Sr., d and r, Milton	807
Dist. No. 2 (Farmington, Middleton, New Durham, Strafford)	
*Wilfred B. Osgood, r, Farmington	1695
*Ethel M. Canney, r, Farmington	1517
*Walter T. Lafavour, r, Farmington	1478
Charles F. R. Gray, d, Farmington	883
J. Walter Lougee, d, Farmington	869
Dist. No. 3 (Barrington)	
*Donald H. Smith, r, Barrington	613
Patricia H. Blute, d, Barrington	472
Dist. No. 4 (Durham, Lee, Madbury)	
*Joan M. Schreiber, d, Madbury	2012

*Sarah P. Voll, d, Durham	1967
*James O. Horrigan, d, Durham	1941
*Everett B. Sackett, r, Lee	1903
Shirley M. Clark, r, Lee	1863
Linda L. Herbst, d, Durham	1846
Kathleen Irene Fleming, r, Durham	1562
Freeman W. Bowley, r, Durham	1436
Colleen A. O'Brien, Libertarian, Durham	130
Arne R. Erickson, Libertarian, Durham	109
Dist. No. 5 (Rollinsford)	
*Grace L. Joncas, d, Rollinsford	669
Dist. No. 6 (Somersworth — Ward 1)	
*Helen D. Maloomian, d, Somersworth	447
Arnold E. Hartling, r, Somersworth	337
Dist. No. 7 (Somersworth — Ward 2)	
*Richard D. Morrissette, d, Somersworth	556
Dist. No. 8 (Somersworth — Ward 3)	
*Shirley J. White, d, Somersworth	491
Dist. No. 9 (Somersworth — Ward 4)	
*Roland N. Hebert, d, Somersworth	687
Dist. No. 10 (Somersworth — Ward 5)	
*George A. Nadeau, d, Somersworth	415
Dist. No. 11 (Rochester — Ward 1)	
*Allen P. Wilson, d, Rochester	732
*James E. Appleby, r, Rochester	705
Thelma P. Tibbetts, r, Rochester	653
Edwinna C. Vanderzanden, d, Rochester	507
Dist. No. 12 (Rochester — Ward 2)	
*James A. Burchell, d, Rochester	877
*Charles W. Grassie, Jr., d, Rochester	788
John H. Ineson, r, Rochester	652
Herbert E. Kimball, r, Rochester	519
Dist. No. 13 (Rochester — Ward 3)	
*Dennis C. Ramsey, d and r, Rochester	1096
*Alfred J. Ruel, d, Rochester	697
Marguerite Allen, r, Rochester	508
Noreen Winkley, Rochester (write-in)	199
Dist. No. 14 (Rochester — Ward 4)	
*Walter J. Desmarais, d, Rochester	972
*Paul G. Meader, r, Rochester	917
Hazel F. Gordon, d, Rochester	879
Dist. No. 15 (Rochester — Ward 5)	
*Howell F. Preston, r, Rochester	867
*J. Thornton Tripp, r, Rochester	860
Elna I. Perkins, d, Rochester	591
Joseph J. Deely, Jr., d, Rochester	572
Dist. No. 16 (Dover — Ward 1)	
*Dianne L. Burns Herchek, d and r, Dover	1351
*James C. Herchek, d and r, Dover	1320

Dist. No. 17 (Dover — Ward 2)
*Helene R. Donnelly, d and r, Dover 1198
*George Maglaras, Jr., d and r, Dover 1144
Dist. No. 18 (Dover — Ward 3)
*Roderick H. O'Connor, d and r, Dover 1249
*William K. Kincaid, d, Dover 819
Anthony A. McManus, r, Dover 770
Dist. No. 19 (Dover — Ward 4)
*Janet B. Torrey, r, Dover 831
*George M. Kelly, d, Dover 759
Aram Parnagian, r, Dover 713
Francis J. Menez, d, Dover 621
Dist. No. 20 (Dover — Ward 5)
*Leo E. Lessard, d and r, Dover 1535
*Iris Valley, r, Dover 1082
Edward M. Shepard III, d, Dover 466
Dist. No. 21 (Dover — Ward 6)
*Roland E. Belhumeur, d, Dover 620
*Bruce R. French, d, Dover 616
Harry H. Pray, r, Dover 466
Ralph W. Kimball, r, Dover 461

SULLIVAN COUNTY

Dist. No. 1 (Grantham, Plainfield)
*Sara M. Townsend, r and d, Plainfield 840
Dist. No. 2 (Cornish, Croydon)
*George A. Barrus, r, Cornish 442
Kevin L. Farley, d, Cornish 291
Dist. No. 3 (Claremont — Ward 1)
*Donald H. LeBrun, d, Claremont 782
*Sim R. Gray, d, Claremont 736
Dist. No. 4 (Claremont — Ward 2)
*John B. Tucker, r, Claremont 1510
*Roma A. Spaulding, r, Claremont 1377
*Alton G. Desnoyer, d, Claremont 1073
Lorraine J. Boardman, d, Claremont 1044
Tucker L. Stoodley, d, Claremont 985
Randy D. Norton, r, Claremont 951
Dist. No. 5 (Claremont — Ward 3)
*Adolph J. Burrows, d and r, Claremont 1286
*Carmine F. D'Amante, d, Claremont 1112
*Robert J. Brodeur, d, Claremont 993
Dist. No. 6 (Newport)
*Jay S. Lucas, r, Newport 1595
*Jesse W. Scott, r, Newport 1368
*Alexander P. Lewko, r, Newport 1344
Henry E. Mahoney, d, Newport 1120
Stanley J. Rastallis, d, Newport 935
Michael W. Harrigan, d, Newport 641

Dist. No. 7 (Charlestown, Unity)	
*Walter H. Palmer, r, Charlestown	984
*Martha McD. Frizzell, r, Charlestown	970
Scott F. Innes, d, Charlestown	858
Susan Loiselle, d, Unity	660
Dist. No. 8 (Springfield, Sunapee)	
*George I. Wiggins, r, Sunapee	910
Stanley W. Colby, d, Sunapee	480
Dist. No. 9 (Acworth, Goshen, Langdon, Lempster, Washington)	
*Mildred S. Ingram, r, Acworth	532
Stanley H. Williamson, ind., Goshen	373
Christopher S. Dorr, d, Goshen	244

RECOUNTS AFTER THE GENERAL ELECTION

In this chapter may be found a brief description of the recounts of ballots held by the Secretary of State after the General Election of November 2, 1976.

In all, eighteen recounts were conducted: — one for State Senator District No. 16, fifteen for Representatives, one for Supervisor of the Checklist, and one for Moderator. The recounts were held November 15, 16, 17, and 18, 1976, in the Drill Hall at the National Guard Armory, Concord. As a result of the recounts, there were no changes of candidates.

Below, in the first column are the figures as officially returned to the Secretary of State following the election. The second column contains the recount figures. The names of the persons elected are designated by asterisks.

		Recount
STATE SENATOR District No. 16		
Norman A. Packard, r	7153	7235
Walter F. Healy, d	7230	7319*
REPRESENTATIVES		
CHESHIRE COUNTY District No. 1 (Alstead, Surry, Walpole, Westmoreland)		
Robert L. Galloway, r	1673	1669*
James B. Hogan, r	1702	1724*
Robert W. Moore, Jr., r	1502	1517*
Duncan Burr, d	901	887
John Burrows, d	740	744
Anthony Stevens, d	1486	1481
CHESHIRE COUNTY District No. 3 (Hinsdale, Winchester)		
William H. Faucher, r	544	1035
William H. Faucher, d	1169	631
	1713	1666*
Elmer L. Johnson, r	1276	1256*
Elizabeth R. Ladd, r	1182	1164*
James M. Davis, d	1041	1036
Gordon P. Jacques, d	996	993
CHESHIRE COUNTY District No. 10 (Dublin, Harrisville, Nelson)		
Peter Parker, Jr., r	543	547*
Jonathan J. Perron, d	517	526

CHESHIRE COUNTY District No. 13 (Keene — Ward 2)		
H. Robie Ames, r	660	667
Francis A. Dostilio, d	671	684*
Patricia T. Russell, d	735	747*

COOS COUNTY District No. 5 (Bean's Grant, Bean's Purchase, Cambridge, Chandler's Purchase, Crawford's Purchase, Cutt's Grant, Dummer, Gorham, Green's Grant, Hadley's Purchase, Martin's Location, Pinkham's Grant, Sargent's Purchase, Shelburne, Success, Thompson and Meserve's Purchase)		
George H. Keough, r	726	717*
Victor L. Kidder, r	721	715
Lawrence J. Guay, d	701	697
Otto H. Oleson, d	935	932*

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY District No. 8 (Goffstown)		
William E. Charte, r	1914	1904
Alice Tirrell Knight, r	2055	2054*
Roland H. Lariviere, r	1835	1835
Aime H. Paradis, r	2073	2068*
Arnold B. Perkins, r	2044	2035*
Armand A. Archambault, d	1723	1716
Claire E. Goulette, d	1645	1639
Sylvio A. Jodoin, Jr., d	1551	1554
Jo Ellen Orcutt, d	1957	1957*
Robert W. Wheeler, d	2075	2017*

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY District No. 14 (Hudson)		
Susan B. Baird, r	1785	1777
Richard E. Dolbec, r	2224	2211
Gail C. Morrison, r	2236	2333*
Stanley N. Searles, r	1948	1940
Leonard A. Smith, r	2512	2511*
George H. Baker, Sr., d	2576	2574*
John M. Bednar, d	2532	2547*
Adolph M. Chaplick, d	1664	1658
Raymond E. Lefebvre, d	2086	2081
Andrew J. Polak, d	2830	2841*
John P. Quigley, d	2272	2272*

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY District No. 16 (Nashua — Ward 1)		
Frederick J. Alter, r	1365	1365*
Doris A. Bailey, r	1351	1350
Lawrence G. McLaughlin, r	1469	1468*
Janet Durocher, d	1283	1283
Ernestine R. Morrill, d	1249	1249
Jean R. Wallin, d	1363	1364*

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY District No. 26 (Manchester — Ward 2)		
Elmer R. Ackerson, Sr., r	1124	1159

Robert J. Favreau, r	1231	1268
John Mazur, r	1194	1236
Paul J. Riley, r	1234	1278*
Richard F. Ahern, d	1420	1467*
Catherine-Ann Day, d	1509	1560*
James P. Shea, d	1267	1309*
Robert P. Shea, d	1103	1140

MERRIMACK COUNTY District No. 7 (Allenstown, Pembroke)

Patricia Bonenfant, r	1592	1586
Bonnie B. Brady, r	1382	1374
Erwin A. Chase, r	1604	1586
Phyllis Kimball Lavallee, r	1481	1462
Edgar G. Bellerose, d	1972	1940*
Mark M. Bodi, d	2124	2095*
Ovila Gamache, d	1665	1642*
Robert E. Plourde, d	1980	1963*

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY District No. 5 (Salem)

Marilyn R. Campbell, r	3965	3963*
Donald H. DeCesare, r	3539	3550
Marshall N. Decker, r	2824	2745
Beverly A. Gage, r	3692	3662*
Katherine E. Kelley, r	2616	2600
Stephen M. Kennedy, r	3015	3003
Margaret S. Lemay, r	2916	2896
Marianne H. Noyes, r	2428	2440
James A. Sayer, r	3608	3581
Donna P. Sytek, r	3450	3429
John J. Sytek, r	3481	3447
James W. Carpenito, d	4361	4338*
Michael A. Collins, d	4281	4283*
Frederick M. Cunningham, d	2988	2985
Grace L. DeCesare, d	4118	4116*
Elizabeth E. Goff, d	4138	4136*
Michael L. Grieco, d	3645	3630*
Beatrice M. Laycock, d	4258	4259*
Joseph L. Parolise, d	3835	3815*
Phyllis J. Pucci, d	3640	3654*
Marilyn T. Rheault, d	3207	3180
Alfreda A. Smith, d	3781	3758*

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY District No. 20 (Portsmouth — Ward 3)

Walter F. Beevers, r	344	344
C. Cecil Dame, r	488	488
Edward J. Welch, r	399	385
Mary E. Cotton, d	582	582*
Joseph A. MacDonald, d	527	527*
Joseph A. McEachern, d	570	574*

STRAFFORD COUNTY District No. 14 (Rochester — Ward 4)		
Paul G. Meader, r	917	954*
Walter J. Desmarais, d	972	1006*
Hazel F. Gordon, d	879	911
STRAFFORD COUNTY District No. 19 (Dover — Ward 4)		
Aram Parnagian, r	713	719
Janet B. Torrey, r	831	834*
George M. Kelley, d	759	845*
Francis J. Menez, d	621	638
SULLIVAN COUNTY District No. 4 (Claremont — Ward 2)		
Randy D. Norton, r	951	948
Roma A. Spaulding, r	1377	1373*
John B. Tucker, r	1510	1511*
Lorraine J. Boardman, d	1044	1039
Alton G. Desnoyer, d	1073	1073*
Tucker L. Stoodley, d	985	985

SUPERVISORS OF CHECK-LIST

Claremont — Ward 2		
Mabel G. Cutting, r	974	1422*
Patricia Kwiatek, r	744	993
Roma A. Spaulding, r	936	1339*
Lorraine J. Boardman, d	715	1002
Bradley E. Dubreuil, d	745	1061*
Tucker L. Stoodley, d	733	1048

MODERATOR

Jaffrey		
Bernard J. Hampsey, Jr., r	922	925*
Philip J. Cournoyer, d,	905	904

RECOUNTS

On November 26, 1976, the Governor and Council voted to accept petitions to recount the ballots cast on Question No. 3, the proposed amendment relative to annual sessions of the Legislature, submitted by Aileen G. Katz, President, League of Women Voters, et al.; and Question No. 5, the proposed amendment to provide that a town, ward, or unincorporated place may be divided into two or more representative districts, submitted by Norwood Keeney, of Hudson, et al.; which questions were proposed to the voters of New Hampshire at the November 2, 1976 election, and ordered the Secretary of State to recount said ballots.

The recounts were held January 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, and 27, 1977, in the Drill Hall at the National Guard Amory, Concord. Neither question received the required two-third votes of the qualified voters present and voting upon the said questions.*

Question No. 3

Are you in favor of amending the Constitution to provide for annual sessions of the legislature and to allow mileage payments for actual attendance for a maximum of ninety legislative days per biennium?

					Recount		
Yes	188,567	No	95,632	Yes	188,922	No	96,801

Question No. 5

Are you in favor of amending the Constitution to provide that a town, ward, or unincorporated place may be divided into two or more representative districts if requested by a referendum in such town, ward, or place?

Yes	179,515	No	93,219	Yes	177,965	No	93,700

*The ballots from Mason, Newmarket, and Nottingham, totaling 2730, could not be located for recount purposes, and during the recount the original figures as reported to this office were used, in accordance with the Supreme Court opinion.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Executive Department

Concord

November 24, 1976

Be it known that I, Meldrim Thomson, Jr., Governor of the State of New Hampshire, in obedience to the request of the Constitutional Convention holden, at Concord, the second Wednesday of May, 1974, and the 1975 General Court, do hereby proclaim to the people of this State that the Constitution of New Hampshire is amended as provided for in Questions No. 2, 6, 7, and 8, which were submitted by said Constitutional Convention and the 1975 General Court to the qualified voters of the State at the meetings held in the several towns, city wards, and places in this State, on the Tuesday next following the first Monday in November, 1976.

The alteration and amendments in said Constitution covered by these questions have been approved and adopted, and the Constitution is thus amended by the suffrages of more than two-thirds of the qualified voters present at the said meetings, and voting upon the said questions.

Given under my hand and the seal of said State, at the Council Chambers, this 24th day of November, A.D., 1976, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the two hundred and first.

/s/ Meldrim Thomson, Jr.
Governor

By the Governor
Acting Secretary of State
/s/ Edward C. Kelley

AUTHORIZED POLITICAL EXPENDITURES PERMITTED

1978

(Based on 15 cents per qualified voter)

Below is a list indicating the number of qualified voters at the biennial election of 1976 for the following offices:

Office	*Qualified Voters*
Governor	478,188
U. S. Senator	478,188
Representative in Congress — First District	243,464
Representative in Congress — Second Distrit	234,724
Councilor — 1st District	103,980
Councilor — 2nd District	94,006
Councilor — 3rd District	97,215
Councilor — 4th District	90,633
Councilor — 5th District	92,354
Senator — 1st District	19,831
Senator — 2nd District	22,553
Senator — 3rd District	24,235
Senator — 4th District	21,151
Senator — 5th District	21,653
Senator — 6th District	18,852
Senator — 7th District	20,335
Senator — 8th District	17,352
Senator — 9th District	23,478
Senator — 10th District	18,872
Senator — 11th District	19,569
Senator — 12th District	22,038
Senator — 13th District	18,278
Senator — 14th District	16,998
Senator — 15th District	16,948
Senator — 16th District	21,694
Senator — 17th District	20,638
Senator — 18th District	15,305
Senator — 19th District	22,800
Senator — 20th District	15,826
Senator — 21st District	19,442
Senator — 22nd District	21,204
Senator — 23rd District	22,336
Senator — 24th District	16,800

County Offices

Sheriffs, County Attorneys, County Treasurers, Registers of Deeds, Registers of Probate:

Belknap	22,963
Carroll	17,734

Cheshire	31,795
Coos	23,048
Grafton	35,058
Hillsborough	137,532
Merrimack	52,441
Rockingham	95,686
Strafford	43,340
Sullivan	18,591

Below is a list indicating the number of qualified voters at the biennial election of 1976 for county commissioners in the commisioner districts:

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

County	*Qualified Voters*
Belknap	22,963
Carroll	
District No. 1	5,816
District No. 2	6,147
District No. 3	5,771
Cheshire	
District No. 1	8,174
District No. 2	11,994
District No. 3	11,627
Coos	
District No. 1	13,988
District No. 2	5,825
District No. 3	3,235
Grafton	
District No. 1	14,965
District No. 2	9,565
District No. 3	10,528
Hillsborough	
District No. 1	49,243
District No. 2	31,886
District No. 3	56,403
Merrimack	
District No. 1	16,948
District No. 2	14,580
District No. 3	20,913
Rockingham	
District No. 1	27,360
District No. 2	35,091
District No. 3	33,235
Strafford	43,340
Sullivan	18,591