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or in bold black capitals

288a

APPOINTMENT of director or secretary (NOT for resignation (use Form 288b) or change of particulars (use Form 288c))

CHFP029

Company Number 471941

Company Name in full WH SMITH PLC

Appointment form

Date of appointment
Day Month Year
0 1 0 1 2 0 0 5

†Date of Birth
Day Month Year
0 3 0 2 1 9 4 5

Appointment as director

X

as secretary

Please mark the appropriate box. If appointment is
as a director and secretary mark both boxes.

Notes on completion
appear on reverse.

*Style / Title

MR

*Honours etc

Forename(s)

ROBERT MALCOLM

Surname

WALKER

Previous
Forename(s)

Previous
Surname(s)

†† Tick this box if the
address shown is a
service address for
the beneficiary of a
Confidentiality Order
granted under the
provisions of section
723B of the
Companies Act 1985

†† Usual residential
address



Post town

130 WILTON ROAD

LONDON

Postcode

SW1V 1LQ

County / Region

Country

ENGLAND

†Nationality

BRITISH

†Business occupation

COMPANY DIRECTOR

†Other directorships
(additional space overleaf)

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I consent to act as ** director / secretary of the above named company

Consent signature

Date

28/2/05

* Voluntary details.
† Directors only.
**Delete as appropriate

A director, secretary etc must sign the form below.

Signed

Date

28/2/05

You do not have to give any contact
information in the box opposite but if you
do, it will help Companies House to
contact you if there is a query on the
form. The contact information that you
give will be visible to searchers of the
public record.

(** a director / secretary / administrator / administrative receiver / receiver-manager / receiver)

MISS AMANDA LAM, ASSISTANT SECRETARY, WH SMITH PLC, GREENBRIDGE ROAD, SWINDON,

WILTSHIRE, SN3 3LD

Tel

DX number

DX exchange

When you have completed and signed the form please send it to the
Registrar of Companies at:

Companies House, Crown Way, Cardiff, CF14 3UZ

DX 33050 Cardiff

for companies registered in England and Wales or

Companies House, 37 Castle Terrace, Edinburgh, EH1 2EB

for companies registered in Scotland

DX 235 Edinburgh



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COMPANIES HOUSE

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Company Number**471941**

† Directors only.

† Other directorships

BAA PLC

BIFFA PLC

EAST WORCESTER WATER PLC

SEVERN TRENT CORPORATE HOLDINGS PLC

SEVERN TRENT PLC

SEVERN TRENT SERVICES HOLDINGS PLC

SEVERN TRENT SYSTEMS LTD

SEVERN TRENT WATER INTERNATIONAL LTD

SEVERN TRENT WATER LTD

SEVERN TRENT WATER PURIFICATION LTD

SEVERN TRENT WATER SERVICES PLC

SEVERN TRENT WATER UTILITIES FINANCE PLC

SIGNET GROUP PLC

THOMSON TRAVEL GROUP PLC (15/09/2000)

WOLSELEY PLC

NOTES

Show the full forenames, NOT INITIALS. If the director or secretary is a corporation or Scottish firm, show the name on surname line and registered or principal office on the usual residential line.

Give previous forenames or surname(s) except:
- for a married woman, the name by which she was known before marriage need not be given.

- for names not used since the age of 18 or for at least 20 years

A peer or individual known by a title may state the title instead of or in addition to the forenames and surname and need not give the name by which that person was known before he or she adopted the title or succeeded to it.

Other directorships.

Give the name of every company incorporated in Great Britain of which the person concerned is a director or has been a director at any time in the past five years.

You may exclude a company which either is, or at all times during the past five years when the person concerned was a director, was

- dormant

- a parent company which wholly owned the company making the return, or

- another wholly owned subsidiary of the same parent company.