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TOTAL VOTES CAST FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION 2023

The overseas votes cast for Presidential Election 2023 were counted on 12 September 2023 at the counting centre at Elections Department, 11 Novena Rise.

- 2 Of the 6,649 registered overseas voters:
- a. 2,454 out of 3,217 overseas voters cast their votes at the ten overseas polling stations; and
 - b. 2,997 out of 3,432 postal voters downloaded the postal ballots and 1,345 were received by the deadline of 11 September 2023 and accepted for counting.

3 Adding to the votes cast in Singapore on 1 September 2023, the total number of votes cast at the Presidential Election 2023 (i.e. local and overseas votes) is 2,534,711 (inclusive of 50,230 rejected votes). This is 93.55% of the 2,709,407 registered electors for this election. The breakdown of valid votes by candidates is shown below:

*Local and overseas votes

Candidate	*Total Valid Votes Cast (Number)	Total Valid Votes Cast (%)
Ng Kok Song	390,636	15.72
Tharman Shanmugaratnam	1,749,261	70.41
Tan Kin Lian	344,584	13.87

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