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Opposition wins Hungarian seat

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Hungary's Democratic Forum, one of the larger opposition groups, won a fourth seat in by-elections at the weekend, *writes Susan Viets in Budapest.*

The Forum candidate, Mr Gyula Marx, won 60 per cent of the vote in the western district of Zalaegerszeg. Electoral turnout, at 65 per cent, reversed the trend of low voter participation which forced the repeat of by-elections held earlier in the summer.

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