



ADVISORY FOR CONTESTING POLITICAL PARTIES

GENERAL & REGIONAL ELECTIONS

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FOREWORD

In the vibrant democratic landscape of Guyana, the conduct of elections stands as a foundation of governance and civic engagement. The principles enshrined in the Constitution of Guyana and the Representation of the People Act, Cap. 1:03 underscore the necessity for elections that are not only free and transparent but also credible to both our nation and the international community. This publication, "*Advisory for Contesting Political Parties*", is crafted with these fundamental doctrines in mind.

Elections are more than mere procedural events. They represent a profound exercise of the electorate's fundamental human rights. It is within this context that we emphasize the importance of conducting elections in an environment characterised by peace and respect. Such an atmosphere empowers citizens to freely express their will, thereby enabling them to elect a government that reflects their aspirations and choices.

The Secretariat of the Elections Commission is committed to managing electoral processes with integrity, adhering strictly to constitutional mandates, statutory provisions and policy decisions of the Commission. This commitment ensures that every election cycle is conducted with fairness, impartiality, and respect for democratic norms. As we approach the 2025 General and Regional Elections, it becomes imperative for all stakeholders - contestants, political parties, observers, and voters, civil society organisations at the citizenry at large, to be well-informed about their roles and responsibilities within this framework.

This Advisory serves as a comprehensive guide designed to assist contestants and observers alike in navigating the complexities of the electoral process. It outlines essential guidelines, best practices, and critical information necessary for fostering a competitive yet respectful electoral environment. By equipping contestants with knowledge and clarity regarding electoral procedures, we aim to enhance the overall quality of our democratic processes.

As you engage with this publication, I encourage you to reflect on your role in shaping Guyana's democratic future. Together, let us uphold the values of transparency, accountability, and respect as we embark on this pivotal journey towards electing our leaders.



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Justice of Appeal (Ret'd) Claudette Singh
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INTRODUCTION

The conduct of elections is a cornerstone of democracy, serving as a vital mechanism through which citizens exercise their fundamental rights. In Guyana, the principles of free, transparent, and credible elections are enshrined in the Constitution and reinforced by election laws that guide the electoral process. These principles not only reflect the aspirations of the nation but also resonate with the expectations of the international community regarding democratic governance.

Elections in Guyana are conducted within an environment that prioritizes peace and stability, ensuring that all members of the electorate can freely participate in choosing their government. This empowerment is essential for fostering a sense of ownership among citizens over their political landscape and reinforcing their commitment to democratic values.

In alignment with these guiding tenets, the Secretariat of the Elections Commission is dedicated to managing electoral processes in accordance with constitutional mandates and statutory provisions. The Commission's role is pivotal in ensuring that elections are not only fair but also perceived as legitimate by all stakeholders involved.

This Advisory for Contesting Political Parties aims to provide comprehensive guidance for candidates and observers participating in the upcoming 2025 General and Regional Elections. It serves as a resource to navigate the electoral landscape effectively while adhering to established legal frameworks and promoting best practices in electoral conduct.

This document seeks to enhance understanding among contestants about their rights and responsibilities, thereby contributing to a more informed and engaged electorate.

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1 ELECTORAL SYSTEM

The Electoral System used in Guyana for the conduct of General and Regional elections is Proportional Representation with elements of Geographical and Gender Representation.

Under the Representation of the People Act, Cap. 1:03 and the Local Democratic Organs Act No. 12 of 1980, the new system provides for the National Assembly to comprise at least sixty-five (65) elected members – twenty-five (25) from the 10 geographical constituencies and forty (40) from the National Top-Up List. One third of the Candidates validly nominated must be female.

The Guyana Elections Commission is Constitutionally responsible for the conduct of Elections for: -

1. The President and Members of the National Assembly on the basis of: -
 - a. Geographical Constituencies
 - b. National Top-up mechanism
2. Members of Regional Democratic Councils.

Guyana is divided into ten Electoral or Polling Districts. A Returning Officer is appointed to each Electoral or Polling District.

Electoral / Polling Districts 3,4 & 6 are sub-divided into three (3), four (4) and three (3) sub-districts respectively. A Supernumerary Returning Officer will be appointed to each sub-district.

The address of Offices of the Returning Officers and Supernumerary Returning Officers will be *gazetted* and published.

2 ELECTIONS COMMISSION

The Constitution provides for an Elections Commission consisting of a full time Chairman and six other members of the Commission.

The Commission provides direction and supervision over the registration of persons fourteen (14) years and over and the conduct of elections of members of the National Assembly and the Local Democratic Organs.

The Commission has a Permanent Secretariat which is headed by the Chief Election Officer.

3 LAWS GOVERNING ELECTIONS

The Constitution of Guyana provides for the conduct of elections and, subject to the Constitution, Parliament may make additional provision for the general conduct of elections.

The Representation of the People Act, Cap. 1:03, is the Principal Act that makes provision for the election of members of the National Assembly under a system of Proportional Representation and for purposes connected therewith.

The Local Democratic Organs Act No. 12 of 1980 makes provision for the institution of a country wide system of local government through the establishment of Organs of Local Democratic Power. The election of members of the Regional Democratic Councils is provided for in this Act.

4 REPRESENTATIVES OF CONTESTING PARTIES

**1. REPRESENTATIVES
AND DEPUTY
REPRESENTATIVES OF
LIST**

The Representatives and the Deputy representatives of the National Top-up List may serve as Representatives and Deputy Representatives of –

- a. Each list for the ten Geographical Constituencies; and
- b. Each of the lists for the ten Regional Democratic Councils.

2. ELECTION AGENT

One (1) Election Agent must be appointed by the Representative of the List of Candidates for each party contesting the elections.

NB. The Representative of the List may appoint himself as the Election Agent.

3. ASSISTANT AGENT

The Election Agent for each List of Candidates must appoint One (1) Assistant Agent for each Polling District and one (1) Assistant Agent for Each Polling Sub-District.

**4. POLLING
AGENT/ALTERNATE
POLLING AGENT**

The Election Agent may appoint One (1) Polling Agent and one Alternate Polling Agent for each Polling Place/Station.

5. COUNTING AGENT

One (1) Counting Agent for each Polling District can be appointed to more than one Polling District.

Notwithstanding the appointment as stated, the election agent can appoint a person as assistant agent for two or more districts or Sub-Districts, or as polling agent for two or more polling places, or as both assistant agent and counting agent, or as both assistant agent and polling agent, or as both counting assistant or as assistant agent, or as counting agent and polling agent.

**6. DULY APPOINTED
CANDIDATE**

One (1) duly appointed candidate for each contesting party's list of Candidates for any one district.

5 RESPONSIBILITIES OF OFFICERS OF CONTESTING PARTIES

5.1 REPRESENTATIVE/DEPUTY REPRESENTATIVE

The Representative/Deputy Representative is required:

- a) Submit two (2) copies of a List of Candidates for the contesting political party to the Chief Election Officer on the 49th day before Elections Day on the appointed day, hours and place as prescribed;
- b) Ensure that the List of Candidates is submitted in the prescribed form (Form 2) – the list must reflect the title, name, address, occupation and identification number of each person listed and also of those persons submitting the list;
- c) Ensure that the list is accompanied by a statutory declaration (Form 3) for each candidate listed and (Form 3A) of the President named in the National Top-Up List.
- d) Ensure that no person on his/her List of Candidates has consented to his/her name being included on another List of Candidates;
- e) Ensure that the necessary corrections are made and submitted to the Chief Election Officer not later than the 46th day before election day if the List of Candidates is in anyway defective;
- f) Make an application in writing to the Chief Election Officer for the allocation of a symbol by the 71st day before Election Day. This symbol must be pre-approved by the Elections Commission;
- g) Notify the Chief Election Officer on the 49th day before Election Day of the person to be appointed Election Agent.

5.2 ELECTION AGENTS AND ASSISTANT ELECTION AGENTS

The Election Agent will:

- a) Ensure that the Polling Agents/Alternate Polling Agents and the Counting Agents possess the necessary credentials;
- b) Work toward ensuring that the Polling Agents/Alternate Polling Agents and the Counting Agents have received the necessary training to make them effective and efficient functionaries within the electoral process;
- c) Inform the Returning Officer/Supernumerary Returning Officer of any changes with respect to the appointment for Counting Agents or Polling Agents/Alternate Polling Agents, stating the reasons for the changes together with the names and particulars of the persons who will assume the position; and

- d) Provide relevant stationery and other materials for the Counting Agents and Polling Agents/Alternate Polling Agents on Election Day.

If the appointment of an Election Agent is revoked and no further appointment is made, the Representative of the List of Candidates shall be deemed to have been appointed to be the Election Agent of the List of Candidates presented to the CEO.

The Election Agent relates to the Chief Election Officer.

The Assistant Agent relates to the Returning Officer/Supernumerary Returning Officer.

The Assistant Agent represents the Election Agent and performs duties similar to those of the Election Agent in their respective Districts/Sub-Districts.

5.3 POLLING AGENTS/ALTERNATE POLLING AGENTS

Polling Agents/Alternate Polling Agents are appointed to each Polling Station.

- a) Either (not both) the Polling Agent or Alternate Polling Agent is permitted to be present during the entire polling process at the polling station to which he/she is appointed.
- b) Upon entering the polling station, he/she must present his/her credentials to the Presiding Officer who will verify same, supply him/her with a copy of the Official List of Electors together with identification badge and direct him/her to a suitable seat.
- c) The Polling Agent/Alternate Polling Agent is permitted to inspect the empty ballot box and to affix his/her seal/signature on the ballot box, provided that he/she is present to do so before the box has been officially sealed by the Presiding Officer prior to the opening of Poll.
- d) The Polling Agent/Alternate Polling Agent is entitled to be shown the photograph of each elector affixed on the Identification Card and be satisfied that the photograph represents each elector before him/her.
- e) The Polling Agent/Alternate Polling Agent can cast his/her ballot at the polling station if his/her particulars are listed on the List of Electors for that polling station.
- f) For the sake of clarity, the Polling Agent/Alternate Polling Agent can request that the Poll Clerk, Presiding Officer or Assistant Presiding Officer repeat information announced by either of them.
- g) The Polling Agent/Alternate Polling Agent must regard himself/herself as part of the process and strive to enhance, rather than attempt to hamper or obstruct it.
- h) The Polling Agent/Alternate Polling Agent can affix his/her signature or the seal of his/her political party on the ballot box after the Count.
- i) The Polling Agent/Alternate Polling Agent may sign entries in the Poll Book attesting the commencement and closure of Poll.
- j) The Polling Agent OR Alternate Polling Agent may remain and witness the counting of the ballots on behalf of the contesting political party.

- k) The Polling Agent//Alternate Polling Agent/Counting Agent or Duly Appointed Candidate present at the conclusion of count, must be given a copy of the Statement of Poll, Ballot Paper Account and Statement of Poll Account from the Presiding Officer after the counting is completed.
- l) Where necessary, he/she may object to the Presiding Officer/Counting Assistant awarding a ballot to a list of candidates which, in his/her view, is questionable. (If the Presiding officer awards that ballot to a list of candidates the letter “Q” will be marked on the back of the ballot paper).
- m) The Polling Agent/Alternate Polling Agent shall sign the Statement of Poll and witness the Statement of Poll being posted at a conspicuous place on the outside of the Polling Station.
- n) The Polling Agent/Alternate Polling Agent may accompany the ballot box after the count to the place identified for safe custody, providing there is space in the vehicle which is used for transporting the ballot box.
- o) Folios with photographs printed in colour will be given to Polling Agents, which shall be returned to the Presiding Officer at the Close of Poll.

THE POLLING AGENT/ALTERNATE POLLING AGENT SHOULD NOT:

- a) Attempt to influence any elector in the casting of his/her ballot;
- b) Interfere with the electoral process so as to cause disruption or frustration;
- c) Seek to determine for which list of candidates any elector has cast his/her ballot;
- d) Take possession of the marked list of electors with him whenever he/she is leaving the Polling Station/Place during the poll;
- e) Cause information to be given outside of the polling station/place and identifying electors who have voted and those who have not done so;
- f) Seek to create unrest if he/she is told that he/she cannot be accommodated in the vehicle transporting the ballot box because of the unavailability of space.

5.4 COUNTING AGENTS

One Counting Agent is appointed for District.

The Counting Agent can:

- a) Visit polling places within the area to which he/she is appointed during the counting of ballots;
- b) Witness the entire counting process or part of it if he/she so desires;
- c) Request from the Presiding Officer, a copy of the statement of poll if his/her contesting party is not already represented;
- d) Accompany ballot boxes after the count if his/her contesting party is not already represented; provided that space is available in the vehicle transporting the ballot boxes;

The Counting Agent Must Not:

Seek to influence the Presiding Officer/Counting Assistant in anyway so as to obtain favour for his/her contesting party.

5.5 CASTING OF NON-RESIDENT AND DISCIPLINED FORCES' VOTES

The Elections Commission shall in respect of each geographical constituency publish the names of Polling Stations in each Polling District where the sealed envelopes with the cast ballots shall be sent by the Returning Officer for the votes to be cast at such Polling Stations before the close of poll.

In the presence of the Polling Agents/Alternate Polling Agents, the Presiding Officer shall verify and record the number of envelopes with the cast ballots before casting the ballots contained in the envelopes at each Polling Station.

The votes deemed to have been cast at the election in each station shall be counted by the respective Presiding Officer.

6 LIST OF CANDIDATES

Contesting parties can submit **three (3) separate lists on Nomination Day**. These Lists of Candidates are respect of: -

- i. Geographical Constituencies Lists
- ii. National Top-up Lists
- iii. Regional Democratic Council Lists

In accordance with the Proportional Representation Electoral System, in order to qualify for a seat in the National Assembly, contesting parties must contest for a minimum of **six (6) of the Geographical Constituencies - totalling to at least thirteen (13) seats for eligibility to contest, and must submit Geographical Constituencies list and National Top-up List**. This arrangement will provide for that qualified contesting party to submit, on Nomination Day, **two separate Lists of Candidates**.

Any contesting political party can contest the election of members of any of the ten Regional Democratic Councils. For this purpose, a **List of Candidates must be submitted on Nomination Day**.

The Elections Commission **shall, by notice published in the Official Gazette, appoint the day being a day not later than the 32nd day before and time Election Day on which Lists of Candidates may be submitted to the Chief Election Officer**. The Chief Election Officer will attend to receive the list and no list may be received at any time or place other than the time place published in the Official Gazette.

7 REQUIREMENTS OF LISTS

7.1 GEOGRAPHICAL CONSTITUENCY LISTS

- A) Contesting parties must contest a minimum of six of the ten geographical constituencies comprising at least thirteen of the twenty-five seats.
- B) Contesting political parties must submit a List of Candidates for each Geographical Constituency on Nomination Day.
- C) A List of Candidates shall comprise registered electors who are eligible to be elected as members of the National Assembly.
- D) A Lists of Candidates must be signed by **not less than one hundred and fifty** and not more than **one hundred and seventy-five persons/nominators** for each geographical constituency.
- E) **Two copies** of the lists must be submitted on Nomination Day to the Chief Election Officer. A copy of the list will be posted in a conspicuous place outside the Office of the Chief Election Officer.
- F) Each List of Candidates shall be in Form 2 which shall contain the following:
 - i. Full Name;
 - ii. Address;
 - iii. Occupation;
 - iv. Gender.and the submission (nominators or signatures) shall state the following:
 - i. Name;
 - ii. Registration Record Number (Identification No.);
 - iii. Signature.
- G) A List is submitted in such order that each party may determine the surname and other names of at least such number of persons qualified to be elected to the National Assembly.
- H) Each List must be submitted with a number of candidates which are two more than the number of seats available to the Geographical Constituency.
- I) Each List of Candidates shall be accompanied by a Statutory Declaration in Form 3. Each person named as a candidate must consent before a Justice of the Peace or Commissioner of Oaths.
- J) Each List must bear a title.
- K) Candidates' names may be duplicated in one of a contesting party's Geographical Constituency Lists and on its National Top-Up List;

- L) Candidates' name can appear on only one Geographical Constituency List.
- M) A person may be a signatory to a List of Candidates, notwithstanding that he/she is named therein as a candidate.
- N) On submission of the List of Candidates, a Representative and Deputy Representative of the list (both of whom shall be candidates) must be named on the list.
- O) The Representative or Deputy Representative must submit an application in writing for the allocation of a symbol.
- P) The Representative or Deputy Representative must submit an application in writing for the appointment of an Election Agent.
- Q) The total number of females on each party's list for the Geographical Constituencies taken together, shall be at least one-third of the total number of persons on its List taken together for the Geographical Constituencies in which that party is contesting the elections.

7.2 NATIONAL TOP-UP LIST

- A) The National List shall be designated "National Top-up list".
- B) A contesting political party must submit a List of Candidates on Nomination Day.
- C) The List of Candidates shall comprise of registered voters who are eligible to be elected as members of the National Assembly.
- D) The List of Candidates must be signed by **not less than three hundred and not more than three hundred and thirty persons/nominators.**
- E) Two copies of the lists must be submitted on Nomination Day to the Chief Election Officer (a copy of the list will be posted in a conspicuous place outside the Chief Election Officer's Office).
- F) A List of Candidates shall be in Form 2 which shall state the following:
 - i. Full Name
 - ii. Address
 - iii. Occupation
 - iv. Gender

and the submission (nominators or signature) shall state the following:

- i. Name
 - ii. Registration Record Number; (Identification Card No.)
 - iii. Signature
- A) The List must be submitted in such order as each party may determine the surnames and other names of persons qualified to be elected to the National Assembly.
- B) **Each List comprising the names of at least forty-two (42) persons qualified to be elected as members of the National Assembly.**

- C) Each List of Candidates shall be accompanied by a statutory declaration in Form 3. Each person named as a candidate must consent to be nominated before a Justice of the Peace or Commissioner of Oaths.
- D) Each List must bear a title.
- E) Candidates' names may be duplicated on the National Top-up and the Geographical Lists;
- F) A Candidate's name can appear on only one Party's List;
- G) A person may be a signatory to a List of Candidates notwithstanding the inclusion of his/her name therein as a candidate.
- H) On submission of the list of Candidates, a Representative and Deputy Representative of the list (both of whom shall be candidates) must be named in the list.
- I) The Representative and Deputy Representative must make an application in writing for the allocation of a symbol.
- J) The Representative and Deputy must make an application in writing for the appointment of an Election Agent.
- K) The contesting party's Presidential Candidate shall be identified on and only on its National Top-up List.
- L) The Presidential Candidate, notwithstanding having filed a Statutory Declaration in Form 3, will be required to make another Statutory Declaration on Form 3A.
- M) The total number of females on each party's National Top-up List shall be not less than one third of the total number of persons named in that list.

7.3 REGIONAL DEMOCRATIC COUNCIL LISTS

- A) A contesting party must submit a List of Candidates on Nomination Day.
- B) Members of a Regional Democratic Council shall be elected by persons residing in that region and registered as electors.
- C) The List of Candidates must be signed by not less than one hundred and fifty (150) and not more than one hundred and seventy-five (175) electors for each list submitted.
- D) Nominators must reside in the respective region and registered as electors.
- E) Two (2) copies of the list must be submitted on Nomination Day.
- F) The List of Candidates shall be in Form 2 and shall state the following:
 - i. Full Name
 - ii. Address
 - iii. Occupation
 and the submission (nominators or signatures) shall state the following:
 - i. Full Name
 - ii. Registration Record Number (Identification Card No.)
 - iii. Signature

- G) Each List shall be accompanied by a Statutory Declaration in Form 3. Each person named as a Candidate must consent before a Justice of Peace or Commissioner of Oaths.
- H) A Lists of Candidates shall set out the names one below the other, in the alphabetical order of the surnames of number of persons who are qualified to be elected to the Council.
- I) Every Council shall consist of such number of members (including the Chairman and the Vice Chairman) being not less than twelve and not more than thirty-six.
- J) Each list shall bear a title.
- K) A person shall be a candidate on only one Regional List.
- L) A person can be a signatory to a List of Candidates notwithstanding he/she is named therein as a Candidate.
- M) On submission of the List of Candidates, a Representative and Deputy Representative of the list (both of whom should be Candidates) must be named on the List.
- N) The Representative and Deputy Representative must make an application in writing for the allocation of a symbol.

7.4 PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES

- A) Each National Top-up list submitted in Form 2 is required to identify the Presidential Candidate.
- B) The Presidential Candidates must submit a Statutory Declaration in Form 3A.

8 CANDIDATE LISTS

8.1 EXAMINATION OF LISTS OF CANDIDATES

- A) **July 14, 2025** is the day on which Lists of Candidates is be submitted to the Chief Election Officer;
- B) No lists shall be received at any other time or place;
- C) Examination of the lists will commence immediately after the time allocated for the submission of Lists, at the office of the Election Officer.

8.2 DEFECTIVE LISTS

- A) If it appears to the Elections Commission that a List of Candidates is defective, that is to say, that the list or its submission does not comply in totality with the requirements, the Chief Election Officer shall inform the Representative and the Deputy Representative accordingly of the list, specifying the defects. This must be done not later than *the 48th day before Election Day*.
 - i. If the List does not bear a title, the Election Commission, if it is considered proper to do so, will give an appropriate title to the list instead of treating the list as defective.

- ii. If the name of any person appears as a candidate on two or more Lists of Candidates, the Chief Election Officer shall: -
 - B) not later than the 48th day before Election Day, inform the Representative and the Deputy Representative of the lists concerned.
 - C) delete the name of that person from any list on which the Commission is satisfied he did not consent to the inclusion of his name.
 - D) delete his/her name from each list on which it appears if the Commission is satisfied that he/she consented to the inclusion of his/her name on more than one list.
 - i. If the name of any person appears as a signatory to the submission of more than one list, his/her signature shall not be operative on any list other than the one first delivered to the Chief Election Officer; and the Chief Election Officer shall delete that name from every other list.

8.3 CORRECTION OF LISTS

- A) The Chief Election Officer will inform all Representatives and Deputy Representatives of lists of any defects to their lists and every Representative and Deputy Representative is required to submit to the Chief Election Officer corrections of any defects on the list, *not later than 46th day before Election Day*.

8.4 APPROVAL OF LISTS

- A) The Elections Commission notifies the Representative and the Deputy Representative that each list is or is not approved and publicly declares the title of the approved lists and the **names of the candidates not later than the 45th day before Election Day**.

8.5 APPLICATION FOR SYMBOLS

- A) Representative and Deputy Representative shall submit their application in writing, **addressed to the Chief Election Officer, not later than the 32nd day before Election Day**, for the allocation of a symbol which shall be pre-approved by the Commission.
- B) Symbols will be considered in the order in which they have been received by the Commission.

9 ELECTION RESULTS

9.1 PREPARATION OF STATEMENT OF POLL

After the completion of counting, the Presiding Officer shall complete the Ballot Paper Account and Tendered Ballot Paper Account in Form 23, the Statement of Poll in Form 23A, and prepares and certify a sufficient number of copies for distribution.

The Statement of Poll prepared shall be posted at a conspicuous place outside the polling station as conclusive evidence of the result of the election for that polling station unless there is a recount of the votes.

9.2 ASCERTAINMENT AND PUBLIC DECLARATION OF VOTES

As soon as practicable after the receipt of all the ballot boxes and the envelopes and packets delivered to the Returning Officer/Supernumerary Returning Officer, he/she shall,

1. Post an electronic copy of the Statement of Poll to the GECOM website,
2. Display, using an electronic means, each Statement of Poll for all persons entitled to be present to clearly see the information recorded thereon,
3. Record the votes cast in favour of each List, as contained on Statements of Poll into a district or sub-district tabulation form as the case may be,
4. Given opportunity for objections from Duly Appointed Candidates or Counting Agents present,
5. Not move on to display another Statement of Poll unless all of the objections are addressed to the satisfaction of every person present,
6. Add the votes recorded on the district (or sub-district) tabulation form to ascertain the total number of votes for each List of Candidates and record same thereupon,
7. Publicly declare the total votes recorded on the form for each List of Candidates.

If after the Returning Officer makes his/her declaration, the Counting Agent for a List of Candidates, requests a recount, the request must be made by 12 noon of the day following the declaration of the Returning Officer.

9.3 PREPARATION OF ELECTION REPORT

The Chief Election Officer shall, after calculating the total number of valid votes of electors which have been cast for each list of candidates, ascertain the result of the elections.

10 OBSERVING THE ELECTIONS

10.1 INTERNATIONAL OBSERVERS

After consultation with the Chairman of the Elections Commission in conformity with Section 3 (1) of the General Elections (Observers) Act No. 17 of 1990, the President of the Co-operative Republic of Guyana may invite number of international organizations and institutions to officially observe all aspects of the democratic process involved in the General and Regional Elections to be held in Guyana. This has already been done.

Observers may be in Guyana for a long term and short-term periods.

10.2 LOCAL OBSERVERS

In pursuance of the powers conferred by section 4E0 of the Representation of the People Act Cap. 1:03, The Commission may approve of local organisations observing the democratic process involved in any election provided such organisations fulfil such conditions as may be stipulated by the Commission.

10.3 GENERAL

Observers shall be free to observe the course of the campaigning for elections and all the election processes. It is necessary that all stakeholders, including election staff and representatives of contestants co-operate with observers and, where possible assist them in their work.

Observers will be issued with identification cards by the Elections Commission.

11 STATUTORY FORMS

For the election phase, it is necessary that contesting political parties understand, and have knowledge of the filling of relevant Statutory Forms.

The Statutory Forms to be used are:

1. Form 2 - List of Candidates for National Top-Up, Geographical Constituency and Regional Elections
2. Forms 3 - Statutory Declaration of a Candidate named in a Candidates' List
(National Top-up, Geographical Constituency and Regional Elections).
3. Forms 3A - Statutory Declaration of Presidential Candidate named in the
National Top-Up List

In addition to the abovementioned Forms, it is expected that party agents will be conversant with:

- 1 Form 13 Poll Book
2. Form 23A Statement of Poll
3. Form 23 Ballot Paper Account
4. Form 23B Statement of Poll Account

Polling Agents will be entitled to affix their signatures to Form 13 and Forms 23A, 23 and 23B at different periods on Polling Day and on the completion of the count.

11.1 Form 2 – List Of Candidates for National Top-Up

FORM 2

**THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT
GENERAL ELECTIONS**

LIST OF CANDIDATES

NATIONAL TOP-UP

To: The Chief Election Officer

We, whose signatures appear at Annex A, do hereby submit this our list of
(NUMBER IN DIGITS)

candidates numbered serially and in alphabetical order of their surnames, whose election to the
National Assembly is sought.

The title of our list is

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The candidate named

and numbered is hereby designated as Presidential Candidates in accordance with Article
177 (1) of the Constitution.

CANDIDATES

The names listed herein **MUST** be in ascending, alphabetical order by their respective **SURNAME**

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We also nominate Mr(s) of

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Received by me at this day of, 2025

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Chief Election Officer

11.2 Form 2 – List Of Candidates for Geographical Constituency

FORM 2

**THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT
GENERAL ELECTIONS**

LIST OF CANDIDATES

GEOGRAPHICAL CONSTITUENCY

FOR REGION NO:

To: The Chief Election Officer

We, whose signatures appear at Annex A, do hereby submit this our list of
(NUMBER IN DIGITS)

candidates numbered serially and in alphabetical order of their surnames, whose election to the
National Assembly is sought.

The title of our list is:

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CANDIDATES

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We also nominate Mr(s)..... of
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to be Representative of the List and Mr(s).....of
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Representative. We, the persons submitting the list shown on the face of this form are:

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Received by me at o'clock this day or, 2025

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Chief Election Officer

11.3 Form 2 – List Of Candidates for Regional Democratic Councils

FORM 2

THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT REGIONAL ELECTIONS

LIST OF CANDIDATES

FOR REGION NO:

To: The Chief Election Officer

We, whose signatures appear at Annex A, do hereby submit this our list of
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candidates numbered serially and in alphabetical order of their surnames, whose election to the Regional
Democratic Council for Region No: is sought.

The title of our list is:

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CANDIDATES

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.....

[NAME OF PARTY]

Ser.	Name	Identification Number	Signature of Nominator
	(Surname, First name Other Name(s))		
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Received by me at o'clock this day or, 2025

.....

Chief Election Officer

11.4 Form 3 – Statutory Declaration of a Candidate - National Top-Up

FORM 3

THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT GENERAL ELECTIONS

STATUTORY DECLARATION OF A CANDIDATE NAMED IN A CANDIDATES' LIST FOR NATIONAL TOP-UP

Note: This form must be completed in respect of each candidate named in a list of candidates and is to accompany the list of candidates submitted to the Chief Election Officer.

I,
(NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS)

of
(ADDRESS)

having been nominated as a candidate in the list of candidates for the

.....(NAME OF PARTY) for election as Members of the National

Assembly in the General Election to be held on the day of, 2025 do solemnly and

sincerely declare –

- (1) That I consent to the inclusion of my name in the said list of candidates.
- (2) That I am aware of the provisions of articles 53 and 155 of the Constitution with respect to the qualifications and disqualifications for election as a Member of the National Assembly.
- (3) That I may, consistently with such provisions, be elected as a Member of National Assembly at the election for which I have been nominated aforesaid.

I make this declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and according to the Statutory Declarations Act.

Signed (declarant)

Declared before me at

this day of, 2025.

.....
Justice of the Peace / Commissioner of Oaths

11.5 Form 3 – Statutory Declaration of a Candidate - Geographical Constituency

FORM 3

THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT GENERAL ELECTIONS

STATUTORY DECLARATION OF A CANDIDATE NAMED IN A CANDIDATES' LIST FOR GEOGRAPHICAL CONSTITUENCY – REGION NO:

Note: This form must be completed in respect of each candidate named in a list of candidates and is to accompany the list of candidates submitted to the Chief Election Officer.

I,
(NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS)

of
(ADDRESS)

having been nominated as a candidate in the list of candidates for the

.....(NAME OF PARTY) for election as Members of the National

Assembly in the General Election to be held on the day of, 2025 do solemnly and

sincerely declare –

- (1) That I consent to the inclusion of my name in the said list of candidates.
- (2) That I am aware of the provisions of articles 53 and 155 of the Constitution with respect to the qualifications and disqualifications for election as a Member of the National Assembly.
- (3) That I may, consistently with such provisions, be elected as a Member of National Assembly at the election for which I have been nominated aforesaid.

I make this declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and according to the Statutory Declarations Act.

Signed (declarant)

Declared before me at

this day of, 2025.

.....
Justice of the Peace / Commissioner of Oaths

11.6 Form 3A – Statutory Declaration of a Presidential Candidate

FORM 3A

THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT GENERAL ELECTIONS

STATUTORY DECLARATION OF A PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE NAMED IN THE NATIONAL TOP-UP LIST CANDIDATES' LIST

Note: This form must be completed in respect of each candidate named in a list of candidates and is to accompany the list of candidates submitted to the Chief Election Officer.

I,
(NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS)

of
(ADDRESS)

having been nominated as the Presidential Candidate for the

.....(NAME OF PARTY) for election at the General Election to be

held on the day of, 2025 do solemnly and sincerely declare –

- 1) that I am a citizen of the Co-operative Republic of Guyana;
- 2) that I am a citizen of Guyana by birth of parentage;
- 3) that I am a resident of Guyana on the date of nomination for election;
- 4) that I am continuously residing in Guyana for a period of seven years immediately before election day;
- 5) that I am qualified to be elected as a member of the National Assembly.

I make this declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and according to the Statutory Declarations Act.

Signed (Presidential Candidate)

Declared before me at

this day of, 2025.

.....
Justice of the Peace / Commissioner of Oaths

11.7 Form 3 – Statutory Declaration of a Candidate - Regional Democratic Councils

FORM 3

**THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT
REGIONAL ELECTIONS**

STATUTORY DECLARATION OF A CANDIDATE NAMED IN A CANDIDATES' LIST
FOR REGION NO:

Note: This form must be completed in respect of each candidate named in a list of candidates and is to accompany the list of candidates submitted to the Chief Election Officer.

I,
(NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS)

of
(ADDRESS)

having been nominated as a candidate in the list of candidates for the

.....(NAME OF PARTY) for election as Members of the Regional

Democratic Council for Region No:..... to be held on the day of,

2025 do solemnly and sincerely declare –

- (1) That I consent to the inclusion of my name in the said list of candidates.
- (2) That I am aware of the provisions of articles 53 and 155 of the Constitution with respect to the qualifications and disqualifications for election as a Member of the National Assembly.
- (3) That I may, consistently with such provisions, be elected as a Member of the Regional Democratic Council at the election for which I have been nominated aforesaid.

I make this declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and according to the Statutory Declarations Act.

Signed (declarant)

Declared before me at

this day of, 2025.

.....
Justice of the Peace / Commissioner of Oaths

12 APPENDICIES

12.1 APPENDIX I – Geographic & National Top Up Seats in the National Assembly

General Election - National Assembly			
65 Seats			
GEOGRAPHICAL CONSTITUENCY			
25 Seats	CANDIDATES	NOMINATORS	
	Exactly	Not Less Than	Not More Than
No. 1	4	150	175
No. 2	4	150	175
No. 3	5	150	175
No. 4	9	150	175
No. 5	4	150	175
No. 6	5	150	175
No. 7	4	150	175
No. 8	3	150	175
No. 9	3	150	175
No. 10	4	150	175
NATIONAL TOP UP			
40 Seats	CANDIDATES	NOMINATORS	
	at Least 42	Not Less Than	Not More Than
		300	330

12.2 APPENDIX II - Number of Seats for the Ten Regional Democratic Councils

REGIONAL ELECTIONS				
REGIONAL DEMOCRATIC COUNCILS		Candidates	Nominators	
		Exactly	Not Less Than	Not More Than
Region No. 1	Barima / Waini	25	150	175
Region No. 2	Pomeroon / Supenaam	27	150	175
Region No. 3	Essequibo Islands / West Demerara	37	150	175
Region No. 4	Demerara / Mahaica	45	150	175
Region No. 5	Mahaica / Berbice	28	150	175
Region No. 6	East Berbice / Corentyne	40	150	175
Region No. 7	Cuyuni / Mazaruni	25	150	175
Region No. 8	Potaro / Siparuni	25	150	175
Region No. 9	Upper Takatu / Upper Essequibo	25	150	175
Region No. 10	Upper Demerara / Berbice	28	150	175