

GUYANA

No. 2 of 2001

REGULATIONS

Made Under

THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT

(Cap. 1:03)

IN EXERCISE OF THE POWERS CONFERRED UPON THE ELECTIONS COMMISSION BY SECTION 150 OF THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT, THE FOLLOWING REGULATIONS ARE HEREBY MADE BY THE COMMISSION:-

Citation.

1. These Regulations, which amend the Schedule, may be cited as the Elections (Prescribed Forms) (Amendment) Regulations 2001.


Amendment of the
Schedule to the
Act.

2. The Schedule to the Act is hereby amended in the following respects -

- (a) for Forms 2 and 3 in the Schedule, substitute Forms 2 and 3, respectively, in the Schedule to these Regulations;
- (b) insert immediately after Form 3 in the Schedule, Form 3 A in the Schedule to these Regulations;
- (c) for Form 13 in the Schedule, substitute Form 13 in the Schedule to these Regulations;
- (d) insert immediately after Form 17 in the Schedule, Forms 17 A, 17 B, 17 C, 17 D, 17 E and 17 F in the Schedule to these Regulations;
- (e) for Forms 23, 23 A and 24 in the Schedule, substitute Forms 23, 23 A and 24, respectively, in the Schedule to these Regulations.

3. In paragraphs (a) (d) and (e) of Regulation (2), the forms referred to are in triplicate for the National Top-Up List, the Geographical Constituencies Lists and the lists for Elections to the Regional Democratic Councils.

Made this 23rd day of January, 2001.


Joseph Singh
Chairman
Elections Commission.

SCHEDULE

FORM 2

s 11 (2)

**THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT
GENERAL ELECTION**

LIST OF CANDIDATES FOR NATIONAL TOP-UP

To the Chief Election Officer.

We, whose signatures appear at Annex A, do hereby submit this, our list of candidates numbered serially and in such order as each party (NUMBER IN DIGITS) may determine, of the names of persons whose election to the National Assembly is sought.

The title of our list is (NAME OF PARTY)

The candidate named and numbered (NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS) (SERIAL NUMBER) hereunder is hereby designated as Presidential Candidate in accordance with Article 177 (1) of the Constitution. (See also Form 3 A)

CANDIDATES

FULL NAME (SURNAME FIRST)	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	GENDER

We also nominate Mr./Ms of to be (NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS) (ADDRESS) representative of the list and Mr./Ms of (NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS) to be deputy representative. (ADDRESS)

LIST OF SIGNATURES

**ANNEX A TO
FORM 2 (NATIONAL TOP-UP)**

NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS (SURNAME FIRST)	REGISTRATION CARD NUMBER	SIGNATURE

Received by me at hours this day of 2001.

.....
Chief Election Officer

FORM 2

s 11 (2)

**THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT
GENERAL ELECTION**

GEOGRAPHICAL CONSTITUENCY

REGION NO.

LIST OF CANDIDATES

To the Chief Election Officer.

We, whose signatures appear at Annex B, do hereby submit this, our list of

(NUMBER IN DIGITS)

Candidates numbered serially and in such order as each party may determine, of the names of persons whose election to the National Assembly is sought.

The title of our list is

(NAME OF PARTY)

CANDIDATES

FULL NAME (SURNAME FIRST)	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	GENDER

We also nominate Mr./Ms of to be
(NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS) (ADDRESS)
representative of the list and Mr./Ms. of to be
(NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS) (ADDRESS)
deputy representative.

LIST OF SIGNATURES

**ANNEX B TO
FORM 2**

(GEOGRAPHICAL CONSTITUENCY)

NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS (SURNAME FIRST)	REGISTRATION CARD NUMBER	SIGNATURE

Received by me at hours this day of 2001.

.....
Chief Election Officer

FORM 2

s 11 (2)

**THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT
REGIONAL ELECTIONS****FOR REGION NO.....****LIST OF CANDIDATES**

To the Chief Election Officer.

We, whose signatures appear at Annex C, do hereby submit this, our list of

(NUMBER IN DIGITS)

candidates numbered serially and in the alphabetical order of their surnames, whose
election to the Regional Democratic Council for Region No. is sought.

The title of our list

(NAME OF PARTY)

CANDIDATES

FULL NAME (SURNAME FIRST)	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION

We also nominate Mr./Ms of to
 (NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS) (ADDRESS)
 be representative of the list and Mr./Ms of to be
 (NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS) (ADDRESS)
 deputy representative.

LIST OF SIGNATURES**ANNEX C TO
FORM 2
(REGIONAL ELECTIONS)**

NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS (SURNAME FIRST)	REGISTRATION CARD NUMBER	SIGNATURE

Received by me at hours this day of 2001.

.....
Chief Election Officer

S 11 (4)

FORM 3

**THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT
GENERAL ELECTION**

FOR NATIONAL TOP-UP

STATUTORY DECLARATION OF A CANDIDATE NAMED IN A CANDIDATES' LIST

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

I, of
(FULL NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS) (ADDRESS)
having been nominated as a candidate in the list of candidates for the
.....
(NAME OF PARTY)

party for election as members of the National Assembly at the General Election to be held on the day of 2001.

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 disqualification for election as a Member of the National Assembly;
3. that I may, consistent with such provisions, be elected as a Member of the National Assembly at the election for which I have been nominated as 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
(NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS)

.....
(ADDRESS)

on this day of 2001.

Signed
Justice of the Peace/
Commissioner of Oaths

S 11 (4)

FORM 3

**THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT
GENERAL ELECTION**

GEOGRAPHICAL CONSTITUENCY

REGION NO.

STATUTORY DECLARATION OF A CANDIDATE NAMED IN A

CANDIDATES' LIST

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

I,of
(FULL NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS) (ADDRESS)

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

.....
(NAME OF PARTY)

party for election as Members of the National Assembly at the General Election to be held on the day of 2001.

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 disqualification for election as a Member of the National Assembly;
3. that I may, consistent with such provisions, be elected as a Member of the National Assembly at the election for which I have been nominated as 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
(FULL NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS)

..... this day of 2001.
(ADDRESS)

Signed
Justice of the Peace/
Commissioner of Oaths

S 11 (4)

FORM 3

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

STATUTORY DECLARATION OF A CANDIDATE NAMED IN A CANDIDATES' LIST

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

I,of
(FULL NAME BLOCK LETTERS) (ADDRESS)
having been nominated as a candidate in the list of candidates for the
.....
(NAME OF PARTY)
party for election as Members of the Regional Democratic Council for Region No....
at the Regional Elections to be held on the day of 2001.

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 disqualification for election as a Member of a Regional Democratic Council;
3. that I may, consistent with such provisions, be elected as a Member of the Regional Democratic Council for Region No. at the election for which I have been nominated as 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
(NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS)
..... this day of 2001.
(ADDRESS)

Signed
Justice of the Peace/
Commissioner of Oaths

**FORM 3 A
THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT
GENERAL ELECTION**

**STATUTORY DECLARATION OF PRESIDENT NAMED IN THE
NATIONAL TOP-UP LIST**

Note: This form is to accompany the List of Candidates for the National Top-up List submitted to the Chief Election Officer.

I,
(FULL NAME)

of
(ADDRESS)

having been nominated as the Presidential Candidate in the list for the

.....
(NAME OF PARTY)

for election at the General Election to be held on the day of, 2001

do solemnly and sincerely declare:

- i. that I am a citizen of the Co-operative Republic of Guyana;
- ii. that I am a citizen of Guyana by birth or parentage;
- iii. that I am a resident of Guyana on the date of nomination for election;
- iv. that I am continuously residing in Guyana for a period of seven years immediately before election day;
- v. 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 Declaration Act.

.....
Presidential Candidate

Declared before me at
(NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS) (ADDRESS)

this day of, 2001.

Justice of Peace/
Commissioner of Oaths

FORM 13

s. 40 (3)

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

POLL BOOK

Polling District :

Polling Place Name :

Polling Place Number :

Ballot Box Number :

Six-digit Number :

Name of Presiding Officer :
(BLOCK LETTERS)

Signature of Presiding Officer :

FORM 13

S (68)

PAGE 1**OPENING OF POLL**
(SECTION 68)

Entries on this page to be made by all election officials and such other persons who are present at the opening of the poll as required under Section 68.

Record time poll opens :

No.	Person Present (Name in Block Letters)	Status	Signature

FORM 13

Page 3

BLIND OR INCAPACITATED ELECTORS

(Sections 73 (3) and 76 (b))

Entries on this page only to be made to show:

- (1) the name, etc. of any blind or incapacitated elector whose ballot paper is marked by a friend or by the Presiding Officer;
- (2) the reason therefor (i.e. the nature of his/her incapacity);
- (3) the oath taken by such elector and his/her friend, and the friend's particulars.

Name Of Elector	No. On Official List	Whether Marked By Friend Or P.O	Reason For Marking	Oath Form 21 Sworn Or Refused	Oath Of Friend Form 22 Sworn Or Refused. Friend's Name And Serial No.

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FORM 13

Page 5

BALLOT PAPERS REFUSED

(Sections 71 (1) and 72 (5))

Entries on this page only to be made to show the name etc. of an elector to whom a ballot paper of any kind (ballot or tendered ballot) was refused by the Presiding Officer under section 71 (1) or 72 (5).

Name of elector	No. On official list	Identity paper no. (if any)	Regulation under which refused	Reason for refusal

FORM 13

Page 6

CERTIFICATES OF EMPLOYMENT

(Section 69 (4))

Entries on this page only to be made of persons submitting Certificates of Employment.

Name of elector	Reference to certificate of employment or other particulars

2. Total number of valid votes for all Parties Lists of Candidates: ..	<input type="text"/>
3. Number of spoilt ballot papers:	<input type="text"/>
4. Number of destroyed ballot papers:	<input type="text"/>
5. Number of tendered ballot papers:	<input type="text"/>
6. Rejected ballot papers:	
a) Want of official mark	<input type="text"/>
b) Unmarked or void for uncertainty	<input type="text"/>
c) Marked for more than one Party list of candidates	<input type="text"/>
d) Marked so that the elector can be identified	<input type="text"/>
Total (a + b + c + d):	<input type="text"/>
7. Total number of votes cast at the polling station	<input type="text"/>

(add 2 and 6)

I hereby certify that this statement is correct.

Dated this day of, 2001.

.....
**NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS
 OF PRESIDING OFFICER**

.....
**SIGNATURE OF
 PRESIDING OFFICER**

The count for Polling Station No. has been witnessed and certified by
 the following Polling Agent (s) (PA) and Counting Agent (s) (CA):

NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS (Surname first)	SIGNATURE	INITIAL LETTERS OF PARTY	PA/CA

(THE PRESIDING OFFICER SHALL AFFIX A COPY OF THIS STATEMENT OF POLL AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF THE COUNT, AT A CONSPICUOUS PLACE OUTSIDE THE POLLING STATION AND AT A SUITABLE HEIGHT, IN THE PRESENCE OF ALL WITNESSES, AS EVIDENCE OF THE RESULTS OF THE ELECTION FOR THAT POLLING STATION.)

ALL SIGNATURES ON THIS PAGE MUST BE ORIGINAL SIGNATURES.

FORM 23 A
THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLES ACT
REGIONAL ELECTIONS
STATEMENT OF POLL

Polling District: _____ No: _____

Poling Division No: _____

Polling Station Name: _____

Name of Presiding Officer: _____
(BLOCK LETTERS)

Ballot Box Number: _____

Number of Registration Cards found in Ballot Box:

NAME OF PARTY	Number of valid votes cast for each Party

NOTES:

- (A) ALL CHANGES ON THIS DOCUMENT ARE TO BE INITIALED.
- (B) WRITE SO THAT THE PRINT CAN APPEAR ON ALL PAGES.

2. Total number of valid votes for all Parties Lists of Candidates: ..	<input type="text"/>
3. Number of spoilt ballot papers:	<input type="text"/>
4. Number of destroyed ballot papers:	<input type="text"/>
5. Number of tendered ballot papers:	<input type="text"/>
6. Rejected ballot papers:	
a) Want of official mark	<input type="text"/>
b) Unmarked or void for uncertainty	<input type="text"/>
c) Marked for more than one Party list of candidates	<input type="text"/>
d) Marked so that the elector can be identified	<input type="text"/>
Total (a + b + c + d):	<input type="text"/>
7. Total number of votes cast at the polling station	<input type="text"/>

(add 2 and 6)

I hereby certify that this statement is correct.

Dated this day of, 2001.

.....
**NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS
 OF PRESIDING OFFICER**

.....
**SIGNATURE OF
 PRESIDING OFFICER**

The count for Polling Station No. has been witnessed and certified by
 the following Polling Agent (s) (PA) and Counting Agent (s) (CA):

NAME IN BLOCK LETTERS (Surname first)	SIGNATURE	INITIAL LETTERS OF PARTY	PA/CA

**(THE PRESIDING OFFICER SHALL AFFIX A COPY OF THIS STATEMENT
 OF POLL AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF THE COUNT, AT A CONSPICUOUS PLACE
 OUTSIDE THE POLLING STATION AND AT A SUITABLE HEIGHT, IN THE PRESENCE OF
 ALL WITNESSES, AS EVIDENCE OF THE RESULTS OF THE ELECTION FOR THAT
 POLLING STATION.)**

ALL SIGNATURES ON THIS PAGE MUST BE ORIGINAL SIGNATURES.

FORM 24
THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT
GENERAL ELECTION
ELECTION RETURN

For the Polling District of _____ No: _____

NAME OF PARTY	Number of valid votes cast for each Party

2. Total number of valid votes for all Parties Lists of Candidates: ..

3. Number of spoilt ballot papers:

4. Number of destroyed ballot papers:

5. Number of tendered ballot papers:

6. Rejected ballot papers:

a) Want of official mark

b) Unmarked or void for uncertainty

c) Marked for more than one Party list of candidates

d) Marked so that the elector can be identified

Total (a + b + c + d):.....

7. Total number of votes cast at the polling station

(add 2 and 6)

I hereby certify that this statement is correct.

Dated this day of, 2001.

.....

Returning Officer

FORM 24
THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT
REGIONAL ELECTIONS
ELECTION RETURN

For the Polling District of _____ No: _____

NAME OF PARTY	Number of valid votes cast for each Party

2. Total number of valid votes for all Parties Lists of Candidates: ..

3. Number of spoilt ballot papers:

4. Number of destroyed ballot papers:

5. Number of tendered ballot papers:

6. Rejected ballot papers:

a) Want of official mark

b) Unmarked or void for uncertainty

c) Marked for more than one Party list of candidates

d) Marked so that the elector can be identified

Total (a + b + c + d):

7. Total number of votes cast at the polling station

(add 2 and 6)

I hereby certify that this statement is correct.

Dated this day of, 2001.

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Returning Officer