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GENERAL NOTICE NO. 9

MALAWI ELECTORAL COMMISSION

Local Government

By-Election Order

Section 23(1), section 47 and section 36 of the Presidential, Parliamentary and Local Government Elections Act, 2023

Kaporo Ward

Karonga North Constituency;

Rukuru Ward

Karonga North-West Constituency

Chilanga Ward

Karonga North-West Constituency

As a consequence of the conviction of Councilor Michael Ngasalayumo MWANGONDE of Kaporo Ward in Karonga North Constituency; Councilor Smart MWAKAYIRA of Rukuru Ward in Karonga North-West Constituency and Councilor Steven Mukundanji SIMSOKWE of Chilanga Ward in Karonga North-West Constituency of offences involving dishonesty by the Magistrate Court sitting at Karonga on 1ST SEPTEMBER 2023, the seats formerly held by the mentioned members of Karonga District Council became vacant;

Pursuant to section 47 of the Presidential, Parliamentary and Local Government Elections Act (the Act), the Malawi Electoral Commission (the Commission) on 17TH NOVEMBER 2023 and on 1st DECEMBER 2023 published a notice in the Gazette publicizing the vacancies and stating reasons for the vacancies. Further, the Registrar of the High Court has given notice to the Commission of the fact that the above-mentioned persons, to whom the notice published by the Commission relates, have not presented any petition to the High Court challenging the declaration that they ceased to be members of Karonga District Council;

Now, in accordance with section 36 (1) (a) (ii) of the Act, the Commission hereby declares that—

1. Local government by-elections shall be held in KAPORO WARD in Karonga North Constituency, RUKURU WARD in Karonga North-West Constituency and CHILANGA WARD in Karonga

North-West Constituency on 26TH MARCH 2024 in accordance with the Presidential, Parliamentary and Local Government Elections Act, 2023 from 6 AM to 4 PM;

2. Registration of voters shall be conducted from 19TH FEBRUARY 2024 to 25TH FEBRUARY 2024 at all Registration Centres in the respective wards from 8 AM to 4 PM on all days.

3. Copies of the voters' register shall be posted at all registration centres where registration of voters took place for purposes of verification of entries by voters, representatives of political parties, independent candidates and observers from 2ND MARCH 2024 to 3RD MARCH 2024 from 8 AM to 4 PM

4. The receipt of the nominations of candidates, in respect of each of the wards shall take place on 6TH MARCH 2024 from 8 AM to 4 PM at the following venues:

Kaporo Ward

Constituency	Place of Receiving of Nominations
Karonga North	Mwenitete TDC

Rukuru Ward

Constituency	Place of Receiving of Nominations
Karonga North-West	Rukuru TDC

Chilanga Ward

Constituency	Place of Receiving of Nominations
Karonga North-West	Rukuru TDC

Upon receipt of this order, the Returning Officers for the respective wards should proceed to hold the by-elections in the manner prescribed by the Presidential, Parliamentary and Local Government Act, 2023.

Dated this 25th day of January, 2024

DR. CHIFUNDO KACHALE, J.
Chairman

GENERAL NOTICE NO. 10

CHANGE OF NAME RESTRICTION ACT

Change of Name Restriction Regulation

Notice of approval to change Name

Notice is hereby given that approval has been granted by HIS EXCELLENCY THE PRESIDENT DR. LAZARUS MCCARTHY CHAKWERA to the underlisted persons to change names as stated below—

DIMO SAMUEL TO ALEXANDER KAMBA

LONJEZO YOHANE TO PROMISE CHIMANGENT

ELIAS KAWOTCHA BANDA TO DALITSO KAWOTCHA BANDA

All persons are authorized and required at all times to designate, describe and address such persons by the said new names only.

Dated this 26th day of January, 2024.

CONSTANCE J. GONANI

(REF. NO. 11/06/04/XXIV)
GENERAL NOTICE NO. 11

for Secretary to the President and Cabinet

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL ACT

(Cap. 10:01 Laws of Malawi)

Notice

Under the provision of section 9 of the Administrator General Act, the Administrator General hereby gives notice of his intention to apply to the High Court of Malawi, for letters of administration in respect of the estates of the deceased persons whose particulars are given hereunder. All persons who are indebted to the below mentioned deceased persons or those who have anything in their possession which forms part of the said deceased persons estates, should submit the particulars thereof in writing to the Administrator General, P.O. Box 210, Mzuzu, within fourteen (14) days of the date of this notice after which date the deceased estates will be distributed by the Administrator General having regards only to those claims of which he shall have received written particulars.

E. CHISAKA

for Administrator General

(1) BERTHA BANDA, formerly of Chenyentha Village, T.A. Malanda in Nkhata Bay District who died at Daeyang Luke Hospital, Lilongwe in Lilongwe District on the 6th day of March, 2020.

(2) EFFIE FUYIWE MTIKA, formerly of Robert Mtika Village, T.A. Chindi in Mzimba District, who died at Heritage of Bel Air, in United States of America on the 22nd day of April, 2018.

(3) ELTON MAWINASATO SING'INI, formerly of Khondowe Village, T.A. M'bwana in Nkhata Bay District, who died at Kamuzu Central Hospital, in Lilongwe District on the 5th day of July, 2023.

(4) DANFORD NKHATA, formerly of Chikukula Old Maula Village, T.A. Fukamalaza in Nkhata Bay District, who died on the 13th day of December, 2023.

(5) GRADWELL SAHANI MHANGO, formerly of Kayithazi Village, T.A. Mtwalo in Mzimba District, who died at Kamwe Health Centre, Mzimba in Mzimba District on the 28th day of February, 2023.

(6) SAUKA SMART MFUMU, formerly of Chipeleka Village, T.A. Chikulamayembe in Rumphi District, who died at Bolero, Chikulamayembe, Rumphi in Rumphi District on the 8th day of June, 2006.

(7) TYWELL DAN CHUNDA, formerly of kapokolo Village, T.A. Kamphingo Sibande in Mzimba District, who died at Kamuzu Central Hospital, Lilongwe in Lilongwe District on the 2nd day of August, 2002.

(8) GODFREY LUHANGA, formerly of Katanga Village, T.A. Chikulamayembe in Rumphi District, who died at Kamuzu Central Hospital, Lilongwe in Lilongwe District on the 2nd day of March, 1992.

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32	K2,600.00	72	K8,200.00
36	K4,100.00	76	K8,700.00

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