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**Nomination Day
Booklet**

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1. BRIEF HISTORY OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN GUYANA

Local Government in Guyana found its genesis after the abolition of slavery in 1834. It emerged as a mechanism of freedom from colonialism whereby the ex-slaves purchased the abandoned coffee and sugar estates from plantation owners. Plantations such as Queenstown on the Essequibo Coast and Den Amstel in West Demerara were bought by one person, whilst others such as Victoria, were purchased collectively by freed slaves. A system of self-government was set up through the establishment of a management committee in each communal village. This system was later adopted in the proprietary village and formed the basis for the emergence of a form of local government.

The period between 1845-1930 saw the enactment of several pieces of legislation that was geared towards improvement in the general conditions of the village councils. In 1932, a decentralized system of administration through a District Commission was introduced and three years later in 1935 an ordinance was passed which provided improved methods of village elections. In 1945, the Local Government Act Cap. 150. (now Cap 28:02) was consolidated and the Municipal District Council's Act cap 28:01, the Local Authority (Elections) Act Cap 28:03 and the valuation for rating purposes Act Cap 28:04 were introduced.

The Ministerial Regional System in 1973 replaced the District Commissioner System of 1932; where the country was divided into six (6) Administrative regions which functioned as intermediaries between the citizens and the state. Given the limitations and inadequacies of this system, there was a radical move to enhance regionalism in Guyana. The Local Democratic Act No. 12 of 1980 was introduced which, identified the Local Government System as the foundation of democratic organization of the state. It was perceived as a means of fast-tracking development in the communities by the communities. To achieve this development, the entire country was divided into ten (10) administration regions which were further sub-divided into sub-regions, districts, communities, neighbourhoods and people's cooperative units, each being charged with varying responsibilities.

In 2009, legislation was enacted which changed the system of elections for the Local Authority Areas. The Local Authorities (Elections) (Amendment) Act No. 26 of 2009, (with subsequent amendments in 2015), provides for Local Government Elections to be held in nine (9) Municipalities and sixty-two (62) Neighbourhood Democratic Councils (NDC)

throughout Guyana using a hybrid system of Proportional Representation and First Past-the-Post.

Fifty percent (50%) of the number of Councillors of each Local Authority Area will be elected through the Proportional Representation component, and the other fifty percent (50%) through the First Past-the-Post or Constituency component. This system provides opportunities for Voluntary Groups, Political Parties and Individuals to contest for seats in the Municipalities and NDCs.

Order 27 of 2018 issued by the then Minister of Communities on the 9th August, 2018 paved the way for the establishment of the Municipality of Mahdia which increased the number of Municipality Councils to ten (10). Additionally, the total number of NDCs participating in Local Government Elections 2018 were seventy (70).

In 2022, the Minister of Local Government issued Orders which reviewed the boundaries of various existing local authority areas as well as the dissolution of / creation of others. For example, LAA No. 52/ No. 74 was dissolved and the creation of two new LAAs were gazetted, i.e.: No. 52/No. 63 and No. 64/No. 74. Additionally, the NDCs of Moruka/Phoenix Park and Kitty/Providence were dissolved and the creation of a new LAA called Moruka/Providence was gazetted.

For Local Government Elections on 13th March, 2023, a total of eighty (80) LAAs will be contested consisting of a total of 610 constituencies: ten (10) Municipalities consisting of seventy-eight (78) constituencies and seventy (70) NDCs consisting of five-hundred and thirty-two (532) constituencies.

2. NOMINATION DAY

According to section 41 (1) of the Local Authorities Elections (Amendment) Act (as amended by Act No. 9 of 2015), Nomination Day shall be held no later than the **50th day** before Elections Day. **For the purpose of the conduct of the March 13, 2023 Local government elections, Nomination Day will be held on the 12th December, 2022** in all eighty (80) Local Authority Areas in Guyana. On this day, Political Parties/Voluntary Groups and Individuals contesting the Elections are required to make submissions of their lists of candidates and statutory declarations to the respective Returning Officer in their Local Authority Area.

A Notice shall be published in the Official Gazette and the daily Newspapers by the Elections Commission, stating the day identified as Nomination Day, the place and time where the Returning Officer for each Local Authority Area will be present to receive Lists of Candidates, symbols and the name of the person identified as the Party Agent.

On Nomination Day, the Returning Officer must be present at the gazetted place and time to receive the Lists of Candidates. No Lists will be received at any other time or place.

An **original** and **a copy** of a List of Candidates must be submitted to the Returning Officer by the Representative or Deputy Representative/Nominee of the List or by two (2) persons named as Candidates on the said List, at the time and place appointed.

The Returning Officer will forthwith cause the copy of each List to be posted outside of his Office in a conspicuous place for inspection by the public.

For Proportional Representation component, each List of Candidates must be submitted on the prescribed Form 12¹, and should indicate the name, address, and occupation of each Candidate. The names should be listed one below the other with the **Surnames in Alphabetical Order**. Form 12 can only be used by Political Parties and Voluntary Groups contesting in Municipalities and Neighbourhood Democratic Councils, for the Proportional Representation Component.

The second half of Form 12, which caters for the required Signatories/Nominators, must accompany each List of Candidates. In this half, each signatory/nominator must record, his/her name in block letters, identification card number, and signature. This information must be legible.

The Statutory Declaration Form or Form 13², must also accompany Form 12. Statutory Declaration Forms **must be provided for each Candidate stated in Form 12.**

The List of Candidates submitted by each Voluntary Group or Political Party for the Proportional Representation Component, should comprise **ten or more names** of Candidates than the **total number of Councillors for the specific Local Authority Area.**

¹ See Appendix F

² See Appendix H

For the **Constituency Component**, the name of the single candidate contesting each specific Constituency as a nominee of a Political Party or Voluntary Group, or as an Independent candidate should be submitted on **Form 12A³**. Each List of Candidates must also be accompanied by a statutory declaration, on Form 13A⁴, for the Candidate contesting the specific Constituency.

3. QUALIFICATIONS OF COUNCILLORS

A person shall be qualified to be elected as a Councillor if, and shall not be so qualified unless, he is a registered voter for the Local Authority Area to which he seeks election.

No person shall be elected as a Councillor, or if so elected to hold or continue in office as a Councillor if he/she: -

- a. Is the holder of or acting in an office specified in ***Appendix J***;
- b. Is, on the qualifying date, or at the time when is elected a Councillor, serving a sentence of imprisonment of not less than three months for any offence or has since the election been convicted of any offence and sentenced to any such term of imprisonment;
- c. Has been disqualified from holding office as Councillor, pursuant to any law;
- d. Has within five years before election day or since election been convicted of, or reported in the certificate of the Court in connection with, a corrupt or illegal practice;
- e. Is unable to read or write English Language;
- f. Is a Councillor of another local authority or consents to the inclusion of his name on a list of candidates at an election to another local authority.

³ See Appendix G

⁴ See Appendix I

4. REQUIREMENTS FOR THE SUBMISSION OF LISTS OF CANDIDATES FOR MUNICIPALITIES AND NEIGHBOURHOOD DEMOCRATIC COUNCILS

Municipalities

Proportional Representation Component

- Each Voluntary Group or Political Party must submit a list with ten (10) or more names of Candidates than the total number of Councillors for the Proportional Representation Component for the specific Local Authority Area. e.g. The Municipality of Georgetown has a total of 15 seats for the Proportional Representation Component, therefore a Political Party/Group desirous of contesting this Municipality must submit a List of Candidates containing the names of at least twenty-five (25) candidates.
- Political Parties or Voluntary Groups must contest all the seats for the Proportional Representation Component.

For the Constituency Component

- **Each Voluntary Group or Political Party** must submit names of Candidates qualified to be Councillors equal to the number of Constituency seats which it intends to contest in the Local Authority Area. Therefore, if in the Municipality of Rose Hall, Party Z wishes to contest four (4) of the seven (7) Constituencies for that Municipality, the Representative/Deputy Representative of that Party's List must submit to the Returning Officer the names of four (4) Candidates. Each Candidate must be stated on separate Forms 12A.
- An **Independent/Individual** should have his/her **name** submitted for the **one seat in the single constituency** being contested. An Independent Candidate cannot contest the Proportional Representation Component of the Elections unless his/her name is included in a Party/Voluntary Group's List of Candidates.

Neighbourhood Democratic Councils

Proportional Representation Component

- **Each Voluntary Group or Political Party must submit a list with ten (10) or more names of Candidates than the total number of Councillors for the Proportional Representation Component for the specific Local Authority Area.**

- Political Parties or Voluntary groups must contest all seats for the Proportional Representation Component.

For the Consistency Component

- **Each Voluntary Group or Political Party** should submit names of Candidates qualified to be Councillors equal to the number of Constituencies which it intends to contest in the Local Authority Area. Therefore, if in the NDC of Wakenaam, Party Z wishes to contest all nine (9) Constituencies for that NDC, the Representative/Deputy Representative of that Party's List must submit to the Returning Officer the names of nine (9) Candidates. Each Candidate must be stated on separate Forms 12 A.
- An **Independent/Individual** should have his/her name submitted for the one seat in the single constituency being contested. An Independent Candidate cannot contest the Proportional Representation Component of the Elections unless his/her name is included in the Party/Voluntary Group List of Candidates.

The following MUST be noted:

- A Candidate's name can appear on only one **Proportional Representation List and on only one Constituency List.** Therefore, a Candidate's name that appears on the Proportional Representation List can also appear on a Constituency List in the Municipality of Georgetown. However, that Candidate's name should not appear on a Candidate's List of another Municipality or NDC.
- A Nominator's name can appear on a **Proportional Representation List** and also on a **Constituency List** for the **Voluntary Group or Political Party** but should not appear for more than one **Voluntary Group or Political Party. That Nominator Must be resident and listed in the respective Constituency.**
- A Candidate for a **Proportional Representation List** must be a registered voter and a resident in the specific Local Authority Area.
- A Candidate from a Political Party or a Voluntary Group contesting a **Constituency seat** must be a registered voter and a resident within **that specific Constituency.**
- An Individual Candidate contesting a Constituency seat must be a registered voter and a resident within that **specific Constituency.**
- Political Parties/Groups/Individuals contesting the First-Past-the Post component must submit to the Returning Officer on Nomination day, the picture of the candidate contesting for each Constituency. The photograph must be attached to Form 13A. Electronic copies of the photograph must also be attached.

5. REQUIREMENTS FOR CANDIDATES AND NOMINATORS

Municipalities

Proportional Representation Component		First-Past-the-Post Component
Voluntary Groups and Political Parties	Must be supported by not less than 100 nor more than 110 registered voters residing in that specific Municipality being contested.	Must be supported by not less than 50 nor more than 60 registered voters residing in each specific constituency being contested.
Individual	Not applicable An individual cannot contest the Proportional Representation Component.	Each List must be submitted by not less than 20 nor more than 30 registered voters residing in the single Constituency being contested.

Neighbourhood Democratic Councils (NDCs)

Proportional Representation Component		First-Past-the-Post Component
Voluntary Groups and Political Parties	Must be supported by not less than 20 nor more than 30 registered voters residing in the specific NDC being contested	Must be supported by not less than 20 nor more than 30 registered voters residing in each specific constituency being contested.
Individual	Not applicable An individual cannot contest the Proportional Representation Component.	Must be submitted by not less than 15 nor more than 20 registered voters residing in the single Constituency being contested.

REMINDERS

- Statutory Declaration Forms must be signed by a Justice of Peace or Commissioner of Oaths or any person authorized by law to administer an oath.
 - Each List of Candidates must bear a title.
- The symbol which was approved by the Commission must be submitted with the Lists of Candidates.
- The List of Candidates shall have the names set out with the surnames in Alphabetical Order together with the address, ID Number, occupation and signature of each person.

6. STATUTORY TIMELINES

- Lists of Candidates contesting the Local Government Elections must be submitted not later than the **50th day** (Nomination Day) before E-day. **For the purposes of the conduct of the March 13, 2023 Local Government Elections, Nomination Day will be held on the 12th December, 2022** in all eighty (80) Local Authority Areas in Guyana.
- Each List of Candidates must appoint a Representative and a Deputy Representative of the List, or by two of the persons named as Candidates on the List, at the time and place appointed, to the Returning Officer i.e. **12th December, 2022**.
- The Representative or Deputy Representative must also make application in writing to the Elections Commission for the approval of a Symbol not later than the **21st day** before Nomination Day. For the purposes of the March 13, 2023 Local Government Elections the date for this to be done is not later than **November 21, 2022**.
- The Representative or Deputy Representative may not later than the **50th day** before Election Day make application in writing addressed to the Returning Officer for the allocation of the Symbol approved by the Elections Commission.
- For any List found to be defective, the Returning Officer must no later than the **49th day** before E-Day inform the Representative or Deputy Representative of the Lists specifying the defect (s). **For the purposes of the conduct of the March 13, 2023 Local Government Elections this will be done no later than December 17, 2022.**
- The Representative/Deputy Representative of a List of Candidate may not later than the **47th day** before Election Day submit to the Returning Officer corrections of defects in the List. **For the purposes of the conduct of the March 13, 2023**

Local Government elections this will be done no later than December 18, 2022.

- For those Lists found to be in order, the Returning Officer will not later than the **46th day** before E-day, publicly declare the Titles of the approved Lists and the names of Candidates therein and will give Notice in writing to the Representative or Deputy Representative. before Election Day submit to the Returning Officer corrections of defects in the List. **For the purposes of the conduct of the March 13, 2023 Local Government elections this will be done no later than December 19, 2022.**
- Not later than the **44th day** before E-Day, the Returning Officer shall publish the Titles and Symbols of the Lists approved by him and the names of the Candidates on those Lists. before Election Day submit to the Returning Officer corrections of defects in the List. **For the purposes of the conduct of the March 13, 2023 Local Government elections this will be done no later than December 20, 2022.**
- List of Candidates may be withdrawn by notice in writing addressed to the Returning Officer and signed by **BOTH** the Representative and Deputy Representative of the List only if it has not been withdrawn before approval by the Returning Officer.
- If a person whose name is included in a List of Candidates dies or withdraws his Candidature, his name shall be deleted from the list. If, however, the List has been approved and published, the Returning Officer shall cause notification of the deletion to be published.
- If an Individual Candidate for the First-Past-the-Post Component withdraws or dies after the submission of the List to the Returning Officer, that List shall cease to have effect.

7. WHAT CONSTITUTES A DEFECTIVE LIST?

On receipt of the Lists of Candidates, the Returning Officer shall examine them for the purpose of ascertaining whether it has been submitted in accordance with the provisions of sections 38A, 44 and 44A of the Local Authorities (Elections) Act, Cap 28:03.

List Bears No Title/List has a misleading Title	A List may be defective for lack of title or having a misleading title, however, the Returning Officer, if he/she believes it is just and proper, may allocate a Title thereto.
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A Person appearing on two or more lists of candidates for different Parties/Groups	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Returning Officer will inform the Representative or Deputy Representative. - The Returning Officer deletes names from all lists if no consent given. - The Candidate’s name will only be operative on the List which was first submitted to the Returning Officer.
Signatory to more than one Party/Group or Individual List	<p>If the name of a person appears as a signatory to more than one Party/Group or Individual’s List, his signature shall be inoperative on any list other than the one first delivered to the Returning Officer. The Returning Officer shall delete his name from every other list and if by such reason of such deletion it appears to the Returning Officer that any list is defective in that there remains less than the required number of signatories thereto, such list shall be treated as defective.</p>
Correction to List	<p>A Defective List MUST be corrected by the 47th day before E-Day.</p>
Application for Symbols	<p>A List is automatically defective and cannot be accepted by the Returning Officer if the Symbol of the Party was not approved by the Commission within the stipulated timeframe.</p>

8. APPEALS AGAINST REFUSAL OF APPROVAL OF LIST OF CANDIDATES

Appeal against refusal of approval	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Representatives or Deputies can appeal not later than the 45th Day before E-Day to Magistrate of the Magisterial District. - The Magistrate may:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • dismiss the appeal • approve the List • approve the List with modification (s)
Publication of Lists	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If the Magistrate approves the List of Candidates the Returning Officer shall not later than the 44th Day before Elections Day cause a notice to be published of the approved Titles and Symbols.

9. REPRESENTATIVES OF CONTESTING PARTIES, GROUPS AND INDEPENDENT CANDIDATES

Each List of Candidates must appoint a Representative and a Deputy Representative of the List **in writing** to the Returning Officer.

REPRESENTATIVES AND DEPUTY REPRESENTATIVES OF LISTS	The Individual candidate shall be his/her Representative and shall identify his Deputy Representative who shall be his Nominee.
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10. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE REPRESENTATIVE/DEPUTY REPRESENTATIVE

The Representative/Deputy Representative is required by law to:

- a) Submit two (2) copies of a List of Candidates for the contesting political parties, groups or Independent Candidates to the Returning Officer not later than **50th day** before Election Day on the appointed day (s), hours and places as prescribed. **For the purposes of the conduct of the March 13, 2023, this activity will take place on the 12th December, 2022;**
- b) Ensure that the List of Candidates is submitted in the prescribed form (**Form 12/Form 12A**);
- c) Ascertain that the list is accompanied by a Statutory Declaration for each candidate listed (**Form 13/ Form 13A**);
- d) Ensure that no person has consented to his/her name being included on another contesting Party/Group's List of Candidates, or more than one List;
- e) Ensure that the necessary corrections are made and submitted to the Returning Officer, if the List of Candidates is in any way defective;
- f) Make an application in writing to the Elections Commission and the Returning Officer for the approval and allocation of a symbol, not later than the 21st day before nomination day;
- g) Notify the Chief Election Officer not later than the **50th Day** before Election Day of the person to be appointed as the Election Agent. **For the purposes of the**

conduct of the March 13, 2023, this activity will take place on the 12th December, 2022;

- h) Representatives are asked to remain after the submission of lists to the Returning Officer to facilitate the process of correction.

11. APPENDICIES

1.1. APPENDIX A

LIST OF MUNICIPALITIES PER DISTRICT

District	Municipality	No. of Municipalities
1	MABARUMA	1
2	ANNA REGINA	1
4	GEORGETOWN	1
6	NEW AMSTERDAM	3
	ROSE HALL	
	CORRIVERTON	
7	BARTICA	1
8	MAHDIA	1
9	LETHEM	1
10	LINDEN	1
	Total	10

1.2. APPENDIX B

BOUNDARY DESCRIPTIONS FOR MUNICIPALITIES

1) THE CITY OF GEORGETOWN

Being all that area comprising the City of Georgetown as provided for by section 7 of the Municipal and District Councils Act, Cap 28:01.

2) THE TOWN OF NEW AMSTERDAM

Being all that area comprising the Town of New Amsterdam as provided for by section 28 of the Municipal and District Councils Act, Cap 28:01

3) THE TOWN OF LINDEN

Being all that area comprising the Town of Linden as provided for by Clause 2 of the Linden Town (Constitution) Order (0.29/1970).

4) THE TOWN OF ROSE HALL

Being all that area comprising of the Town of Rose Hall as provided for by Clause 2 of the Rose Hall (Constitution) Order (0.60/1970), as subsequently amended.

5) THE TOWN OF CORRIVERTON

Being all that area comprising the Town of Corriverton as provided for by Clause 2 of the Corriverton (Constitution) Order (0.60/1970), as subsequently amended.

6) THE TOWN OF ANNA REGINA

Being all that area comprising the Town of Anna Regina as provided for by Clause 2 of the Anna Regina Town (Constitution) Order 1990 (0.28/1990), as subsequently amended.

7) THE TOWN OF MABARUMA

Being all that area comprising the Town of Mabaruma as provided for in the Schedule of the Mabaruma Town (Constitution) Order No. 18 of 2015.

8) THE TOWN OF BARTICA

Being all that area comprising the Town of Bartica as provided for in the Schedule of Bartica (Constitution) Order No. 19 of 2015.

9) THE TOWN OF LETHEM

Being all that area comprising the Town of Lethem as provided for in the Schedule of the Lethem (Constitution) Order No. 20 of 2015.

10) THE TOWN OF MAHDIA

Being all that area comprising the Town of Mahdia as provided for in the Schedule of the Mahdia (Constitution) Order No. 27 of 2018.

1.3. APPENDIX C

NEIGHBOURHOOD DEMOCRATIC COUNCIL PER REGION

REGION	NUMBER OF LOCAL AUTHORITY AREAS
Region No. 1 (Barima/Waini)	2
Region No. 2 (Pomeroon/Supenaam)	8
Region No. 3 (Essequibo Islands/West Demerara)	14
Region No. 4 (Demerara/Mahaica)	18
Region No. 5 (Mahaica/Berbice)	10
Region No. 6 (East Berbice/Corentyne)	22
Region No. 7 (Cuyuni/Mazaruni)	1
Region No. 8 (Potaro/Siparuni)	1
Region No. 9 (Upper Takatu/Upper Essequibo)	2
Region No. 10 (Upper Demerara/Berbice)	2
Total	80

1.4. APPENDIX D

INFORMATION ON LOCAL AUTHORITY AREAS WITH NUMBER OF COUNCILLORS AND CONSTITUENCIES

MUNICIPALITIES

Ser	District Number	Municipality	No. Divisions	No. of Councillors	No. of Constituencies
1	1	MUNICIPALITY OF MABARUMA	8	14	7
2	2	MUNICIPALITY OF ANNA REGINA	26	16	8
3	4	MUNICIPALITY OF GEORGETOWN	277	30	15
4	6	MUNICIPALITY OF NEW AMSTERDAM	41	14	7
5	6	MUNICIPALITY OF ROSE HALL	14	14	7
6	6	MUNICIPALITY OF CORRIVERTON	38	16	8
7	7	MUNICIPALITY OF BARTICA	18	18	9
8	8	MUNICIPALITY OF MAHDIA	7	8	4
9	9	MUNICIPALITY OF LETHEM	6	10	5
10	10	MUNICIPALITY OF LINDEN	61	16	8
TOTAL			496	156	78

1.5. APPENDIX E

NEIGHBOURHOOD DEMOCRATIC COUNCILS

Serial	District Number	LAA	No. Divisions	No. of Councillors	No. of Constituencies
1	1	PORT KAITUMA MATTHEWS RIDGE/ARAKAKA	8	12	6
2	2	MORUKA/PROVIDENCE	6	6	3
3	2	THE NILE - COZIER	3	6	3
4	2	CHARITY/URASARA	11	18	9
5	2	EVERGREEN/PARADISE	10	18	9
6	2	ABERDEEN/ZORG-EN-VLYGT	9	18	9
7	2	ANNANDALE/RIVERSTOWN	14	18	9
8	2	GOOD HOPE/POMONA	10	18	9
9	3	WAKENAAM	12	18	9
10	3	LEGUAN	9	18	9
11	3	MORA/PARIKA	8	16	8
12	3	HYDRONIE/GOOD HOPE	7	14	7
13	3	GREENWICH PARK/VERGENOEGEN	8	16	8
14	3	TUSCHEN/UITVLUGT	30	20	10
15	3	STEWARTVILLE/CORNELIA IDA	22	20	10
16	3	CANALS POLDER	17	18	9
17	3	LA GRANGE/NISMES	10	18	9
18	3	TOEVLUGT/FREE & EASY	19	18	9
19	3	HAGUE/BLANKENBURG	9	18	9
20	3	LA JALOUSIE/NOUVELLE FLANDERS	10	18	9
21	3	THE BEST/ KLEIN POWDEROYEN	25	20	10
22	3	MALGRE' TOUT/MEER-ZORGEN	12	16	8
23	4	HAURARUNI/YAROWKABRA	5	6	3
24	4	LAMAHA/YAROWKABRA	5	10	5
25	4	SOESDYKE/HUIST COVERDEN	9	18	9
26	4	GOOD SUCCESS/CALEDONIA	16	18	9
27	4	HERSTELLING/ LITTLE DIAMOND	14	18	9
28	4	MOCHA/ARCADIA	6	12	6
29	4	DIAMOND PLACE/GOLDEN GROVE	27	18	9
30	4	ECCLES/RAMSBURG	22	18	9

31	4	INDUSTRY/PLAISANCE	22	18	9
32	4	BETTER HOPE/LA BONNE INTENTION	30	18	9
33	4	BETERVERWAGTING/TRIUMPH	15	18	9
34	4	MON REPOS/LA RECONNAISSANCE	32	18	9
35	4	BUXTON/FOULIS	44	18	9
36	4	ENMORE/HOPE	13	18	9
37	4	HASLINGTON/GROVE	30	18	9
38	4	UNITY/VEREENIGING	16	18	9
39	4	CANE GROVE	7	12	6
40	5	JOE HOOP/FARM	15	18	9
41	5	HAMLET/CHANCE	5	6	3
42	5	MAHAICONY/ABARY	17	18	9
43	5	PROFIT/RISING SUN	7	12	6
44	5	SEAFIELD/TEMPIE	8	16	8
45	5	UNION/NAARSTIGHEID	16	18	9
46	5	BATH/WOODLEY PARK	13	18	9
47	5	WOODLANDS/BEL AIR	4	8	4
48	5	ZEELUST/ROSIGNOL	19	18	9
49	5	BLAIRMONT/GELDERLAND	12	18	9
50	6	PLEGT ANKER/KORTBERAADT	4	8	4
51	6	WYBURG/CARACAS	3	6	3
52	6	ENFIELD/NEW DOE PARK	8	16	8
53	6	KINTYRE/NO. 37 BORLAM	11	16	8
54	6	GIBRALTAR/FYRISH	9	18	9
55	6	ORDNANCE/FORT LANDS NO.38	11	16	8
56	6	CANE FIELD/ENTERPRISE	17	16	8
57	6	KILCOY/HAMPSHIRE	25	16	8
58	6	PORT MOURANT/JOHNS	18	18	9
59	6	BLOOMFIELD/WHIM	9	14	7
60	6	LANCASTER/HOGSTYE	12	14	7
61	6	ADVENTURE/NO. 28 OR BUSH LOT	7	14	7
62	6	MAIDA/TARLOGIE	6	12	6
63	6	MACEDONIA/JOPPA	6	12	6
64	6	BLACK BUSH POLDER	12	18	9
65	6	GOOD HOPE/NO. 51	8	14	7
66	6	NO.52/NO.63	13	8	4
67	6	NO. 64/NO. 74	23	10	5

68	6	CRABWOOD CREEK/MOLESON	19	14	7
69	9	ARANAPUTA/UPPER BURRO BURRO	3	6	3
70	10	KWAKWANI	6	12	6
TOTAL			928	1,064	532

1.6. APPENDIX F

(Section 44 (2))

FORM NO. (12)

The Local Authorities (Elections) Act, 1969

LIST OF CANDIDATES

To: The Returning Officer of the Local Authority Area of

.....

We, whose signatures appear overleaf , do hereby submit this our List of

Candidates seeking election to the Council of

..... for the Proportional Representation
Component.

The title of our list is

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Ser. No.	Name	Candidate's Address	Occupation
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We Nominate Mr.

Of

to be Representative of the List and Mr.....

ofto
be Deputy Representation of this List.

We, the persons submitting the List shown on the face of this form are:-

Ser. No.	Name (in Block Letters)	Identification Card No.	Signature of Nominator
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Received by me at o'clock this..... day
 of20.....

Signature of Returning Officer

1.7. APPENDIX G

FORM NO. (12A)

The Local Authorities (Elections) Act, 1969

LIST OF CANDIDATES

To: The Returning Office of the Local Authority Area of

.....

We, whose signatures appear overleaf, do hereby submit this our List of

Candidates seeking election to the Council of

..... For the Proportional Representation
Component.

The title of our list is

.....

Ser. No.	Name	Candidate's Address	Occupation
1.			

We Nominate Mr.

.....

Of to

be representative of the List and Mr.....

of

..... to be Deputy Representative of this List.

We, the persons submitting the List shown on the face of this form are:-

Ser. No.	Name (in Block Letters)	Identification Card No.	Signature of Nominator
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Received by me at o'clock this..... day
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Signature of Returning Officer

1.8. APPENDIX H

(Section 44 (4))

FORM No. (13)

The Local Authorities (Elections) Act, 1969
STATUTORY DECLARATION OF A CANDIDATE NAMED
IN A CANDIDATES' LIST

NOTE This form completed in respect of each candidate name in List of Candidates is to accompany the List of Candidates submitted to the Returning Officer.

I,
(Full Name)

Of
(Address)

having been nominated as a Candidate in the List of Candidates bearing the title of
.....

for election as Councillor of the

Local Authority Area/Constituency in the election to be held on the Day of
20.....

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 section 40 of the Local Authorities, (Elections) Act, 1969, with respect to the qualifications and dis-qualification for election as a Councillor.
- 3) That I may, consistently with such provisions be elected as a Councillor of the said Local Authority Area/Constituency 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 Declaration Ordinance.

Signed.....
(Declarant)

Declared before me

At..... this..... day of.....20.....

Signed

Justice of Peace
Commissioner of Oaths

1.9. APPENDIX I

FORM No. (13A)

The Local Authorities (Elections) Act, 1969
STATUTORY DECLARATION OF A CANDIDATE NAMED
IN A CANDIDATES' LIST

NOTE This form completed in respect of each candidate name in List of Candidates is to accompany the List of Candidates submitted to the Returning Officer.

I,

(Full Name)

Of

(Address)

having been nominated as a Candidate in the List of Candidates bearing the title of

.....

for election as Councillor of the

Local Authority Area/Constituency in the election to be held on the Day of

20.....

Do Solemnly and Sincerely Declare

- 4) That I consent to the inclusion of my name in the said List of Candidates.
- 5) That I am aware of the provisions of section 40 of the Local Authorities, (Elections) Act, 1969, with respect to the qualifications and dis-qualification for election as a Councillor.
- 6) That I may, consistently with such provisions be elected as a Councillor of the said Local Authority Area/Constituency 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 Declaration Ordinance.

Signed.....

(Declarant)

Declared before me

At..... this..... day of.....20.....

Signed

Justice of Peace
Commissioner of Oaths

1.10. APPENDIX J

OFFICERS DISQUALIFIED FOR OFFICE AS COUNCILLOR

Members of the National Assembly

Judge of the Supreme Court of Judicature

Ombudsman

Director of Public Prosecutions

Magistrate

Member of the Police Force

Member of the Guyana Defence Force

Member of Local Government Service Commission

Local Government Officer

Chief Election Officer

Election Officer

Registration Officer

12. NOTES