

GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

STATUTORY INSTRUMENT NO. 40 OF 2021

The Electoral Process Act, 2016
(Act No. 35 of 2016)**The Electoral Process (General Election) (Election Date and Time of Poll) Order, 2021**

IN EXERCISE of the powers contained in sections 28 and 125 of the Electoral Process Act, 2016, the following Order is made:

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| 1. This Order may be cited as the Electoral Process (General Election) (Election Date and Time of Poll) Order, 2021. | Title |
| 2. The elections timetable specified in the Schedule is applicable for the matters specified in that Schedule. | Election timetable |
| 3. A person shall not support a Presidential candidate for the purposes of a Presidential nomination specified in the Schedule unless the person is registered as a voter in the province which the person is representing. | Support of Presidential candidate |

SCHEDULE
(Paragraph 2)

<i>Activity and Place</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>
1. Commencement of campaign period	Wednesday, 12th May, 2021	0600 hours
2. Pre-processing of Presidential candidate's with one hundred supporters from each province by assistant returning officers in provincial capitals	Wednesday, 12th May, 2021 to Saturday, 15th May, 2021	0800 hours to 1800 hours
3. Nomination of Presidential and Vice Presidential candidates at a designated nomination centre	Monday, 17th May, 2021 to Thursday, 20th May, 2021	0900 hours to 1500 hours
4. Nomination of Parliamentary candidate at a designated nomination centre	Monday, 17th May, 2021	0900 hours to 1500 hours
5. Nomination of Mayoral and Council Chairperson candidates at a designated nomination centre	Tuesday, 18th May, 2021	0900 hours to 1500 hours
6. Nomination of Councillor candidates at a designated nomination centre	Wednesday, 19th May, 2021	0900 hours to 1500 hours
7. Close of campaign period	Tuesday, 11th August, 2021	1800 hours
8. Election date and taking of poll	Thursday, 12th August, 2021	0600 hours to 1800 hours

Made at the Electoral Commission of Zambia at Lusaka this 12th day of May, 2021.

JUSTICE E. E. CHULU,
Chairperson

E. J. SIKAZWE,
Vice Chairperson

A. D. SIMWINGA,
Member

V. M. MUKANDA,
Member

N. M. MUTITI,
Member

LUSAKA
12th May, 2021
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