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# GENERAL NOTICE

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## NOTICE 60 OF 2009 ELECTORAL COMMISSION ELECTION TIMETABLE

The Electoral Commission hereby gives notice that it has in terms of section 11 of the Local Government: Municipal Electoral Act, 2000, compiled the election timetable set out below to apply to the municipal by-elections to be held on 25 March 2009 in respect of Ward 13 of the Mafikeng [NW383] Municipality and Ward 12 of the Ramotshere Moila [NW385] Municipality and Ward 10 of the Potchefstroom [NW402] Municipality and Ward 16 of the Matlosana [NW403] Municipality and Ward 7 of the Merafong City [NW405] Municipality as proclaimed by Provincial Notice number 49 & 50 of 2009 as published in the Provincial Gazette No. 6595, dated 13 February 2009 and Provincial Notice number 46, 47 & 48 of 2009 as published in Provincial Gazette No. 6592, dated 13 February 2009 of the North West Province A reference to "section" in this election timetable is a reference to that section in the Local Government: Municipal Electoral Act, 2000 (Act No. 27 of 2000).

### **Cut-off time for act to be performed**

- 1 An act required in terms of this Act to be performed by not later than a date in the election timetable must be performed before 17:00 on that date, unless otherwise specified.

### **Certification of the voters' roll**

- 2 By 20 February 2009 the chief electoral officer must certify the segments of the voters' roll for the voting districts to be used in the by-elections in terms of section 6(2)(a).

### **Notice that lists of addresses of voting stations are available for inspection**

- 3 By 20 February 2009 the chief electoral officer must give notice that copies of a list of voting stations and their addresses will be available for inspection at the office of the Commission's local representative in terms of section 19(5).

### **Notice of route of mobile voting stations**

- 4 If the Commission decides to use mobile voting stations in the by-elections, the Commission must by 20 February 2009 give notice of the route, including the locations and estimated times of stopping of each mobile voting station in terms of section 22(1).

**Cut-off date for nomination of ward candidates to contest an election**

- 5 By not later than 8 March 2009 at 17h00, the nomination of a person to contest the by-election in a municipality as a ward candidate must be submitted to the Commission's local representative on a prescribed form and in the prescribed manner in terms of section 17(1).

**Cut-off date for compilation and certification of ward candidate lists**

- 6 By 13 March 2009 the Commission must compile for each ward a list of ward candidates, certify those lists for that by-election, and keep copies of the lists available at the office of the Commission's local representative in terms of section 18 (1).

**Cut-off date for issuing certificates**

- 7 By 13 March 2009 the Commission must issue to each ward candidate contesting the by-election, a prescribed certificate in terms of section 18(1)(d).
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