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# NOTICE 441 OF 2013

# **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 23 October 2013 in respect of Ward 01,04,11,12,13 and 20 of the Tlokwe [NW402] Municipality as proclaimed by Provincial Notice number 440 of 2013 as published in the Provincial Gazette Extraordinary No. 7172 of the North West Province respectively, dated 27 September 2013. 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.

#### Notice of route of mobile voting stations

2 If the Commission decides to use mobile voting stations in the byelections, the Commission must by 27 September 2013 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 issuing certificates

3 By 02 October 2013 the Commission must issue to each ward candidate contesting the by-election, a prescribed certificate in terms of section 18(1)(d).

# Application for special vote

4 10(1) By no later than 10 October 2013 a voter may apply in terms of Regulation 28B (1) to cast special vote within the voting district where she or he is registered. [Applications for special votes will only be received from 03 October 2013] (2) On 22 October 2013 voters who had successfully applied to cast their special votes at the voting station, may visit the voting station between 08h00 and 17h00 to cast their special votes.

(3) On 22 October 2013 voting officers must visit voters who had successfully applied to cast their special votes at their places of residence, to afford them the opportunity to cast their votes there.

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