

ELECTORAL AFFAIRS COMMISSION (REGISTRATION OF ELECTORS) (LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL GEOGRAPHICAL CONSTITUENCIES) (DISTRICT COUNCIL GEOGRAPHICAL CONSTITUENCIES) REGULATION
(Chapter 541A)

(Sections 10 and 13 of the Regulation)

**INSPECTION OF THE 2023 PROVISIONAL REGISTER OF ELECTORS
AND THE OMISSIONS LIST FOR GEOGRAPHICAL CONSTITUENCIES**

Pursuant to sections 10 and 13 of the Electoral Affairs Commission (Registration of Electors) (Legislative Council Geographical Constituencies) (District Council Geographical Constituencies) Regulation (Cap. 541A) (hereinafter referred to as “the Regulation”), it is hereby notified that—

- (a) a copy of the provisional register of electors for geographical constituencies or a copy of the specific section of such provisional register; and
- (b) a copy of the omissions list for geographical constituencies containing the names and principal residential addresses of persons who are no longer eligible to have their names included or who do not wish to remain registered in the geographical constituencies register,

are now available for inspection by specified persons¹ from 1 August to 25 August 2023 (both days inclusive) during ordinary business hours (from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.) from Mondays to Fridays (other than a general holiday). In accordance with sections 10(3A) and 13(4B) of the Regulation, only the first Chinese character (if the person’s name is recorded in Chinese) or the first word (if the person’s name is recorded in English) of an individual elector’s name, his/her registered residential address and constituency are shown on the above provisional register of electors and omissions list to be provided for inspection by specified persons.

The places for inspection are as follows—

Full copy of the provisional register

- (a) Registration and Electoral Office: 8th Floor, Treasury Building, 3 Tonkin Street West, Cheung Sha Wan, Kowloon;
- (b) Registration and Electoral Office: 13th Floor, Kowloonbay International Trade and Exhibition Centre, 1 Trademart Drive, Kowloon Bay, Kowloon; and

¹ Pursuant to sections 10(5) and 13(7) of the Regulation, ***specified person*** (指明的人) means—

- (a) a person who is a subscriber to the Government News and Media Information System maintained by the Director of Information Services; or
- (b) a body or organization that is incorporated, or is registered or exempt from registration, under any law of Hong Kong and—
 - (i) was provided an extract under section 21(1) for a purpose related to a previous election;
 - (ii) was represented by a validly nominated candidate at a previous election; or
 - (iii) has publicly declared an intention to arrange for any person (including a person yet to be specified) to stand as a candidate at a coming election.

Full copy of the omissions list

(c) The places for inspection listed under items (a) and (b) above.

Any person who considers that a registered person is not eligible to be registered as an elector or be registered in the section or subsection in which that person's name and principal residential address are recorded may, under section 14 of the Regulation, deliver in person² at the office of the Electoral Registration Officer not later than 25 August 2023 a notice of objection in the specified form. The address of the office of the Electoral Registration Officer is set out in the form.

Any person who has made an application for registration but whose name is not recorded in the provisional register or whose name is included in the omissions list, or who has a claim regarding his or her particulars in the provisional register may, under section 15 of the Regulation, deliver in person³ at the office of the Electoral Registration Officer not later than 25 August 2023 a notice of claim in the specified form. The address of the office of the Electoral Registration Officer is set out in the form.

If a claimant, an objector or a person being objected to wishes to review the ruling made by the Revising Officer, he / she must in person deliver the application form at the office of the Registry for Appeals to Revising Officer (address: 13/F, Kowloonbay International Trade & Exhibition Centre, 1 Trademart Drive, Kowloon Bay, Kowloon) on or before 6:00 p.m., 11 September 2023 (Monday).

Copies of the relevant specified forms are available at the addresses for inspection given above or can be downloaded from the Registration and Electoral Office web page: reo.gov.hk/en/voter/appeal.htm.

1 August 2023

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² Pursuant to section 14(2A) of the Regulation, if the objector is in custody within the meaning of section 2(1) of the Electoral Affairs Commission (Electoral Procedure) (Legislative Council) Regulation (Cap. 541D), a notice sent by post by the objector is deemed to be a notice delivered by the objector in person.

³ Pursuant to section 15(7A) of the Regulation, if the claimant is in custody within the meaning of section 2(1) of the Electoral Affairs Commission (Electoral Procedure) (Legislative Council) Regulation (Cap. 541D), a notice sent by post by the claimant is deemed to be a notice delivered by the claimant in person.