



PRESS RELEASE

May 28: deadline registration political parties

Philipsburg: The Electoral Council calls on all political parties which have not yet registered to participate in the upcoming Parliamentary election to do so as soon as possible as the deadline for application for registration of political parties is Wednesday, May 28, 2014.

Any party that fails to apply for registration before or on May 28, 2014 and/or does not adhere to all requirements stipulated for registration of political parties laid down in the National Ordinance on Registration and Finance of Political Parties will be excluded from participation in the elections.

Submission of an application for registration by a political party does not mean that the party is registered by the Electoral Council. Subsequent to the submission of the application, the application will be thoroughly reviewed by the Electoral Council. Only after receiving a positive decision on the application by the Electoral Council, the party can be considered registered and may participate in the Parliamentary election to be held on August 29, 2014.

Together with the application for registration of the political party the following documents should be submitted:

- Notarial deed containing the Articles of Association
- Excerpt from the Chamber of Commerce and Industry
- Statement containing the appointment of the party's authorized representative and deputy authorized representative
- Application for registration of the identification to be placed above the list of candidates

For more information or to make an appointment, please contact the Electoral Council office, located on Back Street No. 145B. Opening hours are on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 13:30 to 17:30 hours and on Thursdays and Fridays from 9:00 to 13:00 hours. Telephone No. 543-9888, Fax No. 543-9887.