

## **Electoral Commission of Namibia**

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SUBJECT: DELAYED ANNOUNCEMENT OF ELECTION RESULTS

The Electoral Commission of Namibia (ECN) hereby wishes to inform the Namibian public that the official announcement of the 2019 Presidential and National Assembly elections will be done tomorrow, Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> November 2019.

The delay in the final announcement of election results is as a result of the ongoing collation of Constituency results which could not be finalized as expected. The ECN experienced unexpected connectivity challenges in certain Constituencies relating to the transmission of election results.

The affected Constituencies are Opuuo Rural, Etayi, Ogongo, Ondobe, Eengodi, Moses Garoeb, Windhoek West and Windhoek East.

In terms of the electoral system applicable in the Presidential and National Assembly elections, every vote counts and every vote must be accounted for. The ECN is working closely with polling officials in the respective constituencies to resolve these issues.

The time for the official announcement will be communicated in due course.

The public is encouraged to view the published election results on our online platforms.

THANK YOU.