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FINAL RESULTS FOR THE RECOUNT EXERCISE OF THE REGIONAL COUNCIL ELECTION OF THE NDONGA LINENA CONSTITUENCY

The Electoral Commission of Namibia (ECN) has successfully concluded the recount exercise for the Regional Council election of the Ndonga Linena Constituency. The recount exercise was conducted in compliance with an Electoral Court ruling handed down on 13th September 2021 in the matter between *All People's Party v Electoral Commission (EC 2/2021) [2021] NAHCMD 414*.

The Electoral Court on 13th September 2021 ruled that the results of the Regional Council Elections for the Ndonga Linena Constituency, by the ECN on 27th November 2020 is declared null and void.

Consequently, the ECN was ordered by the Electoral Court to recount the votes cast in the Regional Councils Elections for the Ndonga Linena Constituency in accordance with the provisions of the Electoral Act 5 of 2014, at a secure and convenient place determined by it in Windhoek and conduct the recount exercise not later than 10 calendar days from the date of the court order.

The results as announced by the Returning Officer are as follows:

Total votes counted: **2386**

Total rejected ballots: **20**

FULL NAMES OF CANDIDATES (IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER)	NAME OF POLITICAL PARTY	VOTES RECORDED FOR EACH CANDIDATE
Djami Balthazar Daniel	All People's Party	1074
Kampota Michael Shiwana	SWAPO Party of Namibia	1094
Kashera Patrick Shiyemo	Independent Patriots for Change	72
Shipapo Kassian Kayeya	Popular Democratic Movement	146

In terms of Section 111 (2), the Chairperson of the Electoral Commission of Namibia, Mrs. Elsie Nghikembua, declares Kampota Michael Shiwana duly elected. The ECN herewith congratulates the duly declared winner.

The successful completion of the recount exercise bears testimony to Namibia's robust electoral system and the ECN's commitment to upholding the values of transparency, professionalism and integrity.

Finally, the Commission, through its Chairperson, extends its gratitude to all the presiding officers, political party agents and the Namibian police for ensuring a transparent and credible recounting process.

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