

Independent Electoral Commission

**The Chairman
Independent Electoral Commission
7 Kairaba Avenue, KSMD
The Gambia**

Application is hereby made for the registration of the organization mentioned hereunder as a political party in terms of section 105 of the Elections Decree, 1996 (Decree No.78). The following are the particulars of the organization:

1. FULL NAME OF POLITICAL PARTY:

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2. PARTY'S FULL ADDRESS:

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3. PARTY'S FULL ADDRESS (If different from above):

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4. FULL ADDRESS OF PARTY'S SECRETARIA:

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5. PARTY'S TELEPHONE NUMBER(S):

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6. PARTY'S FAX NUMBER(S):

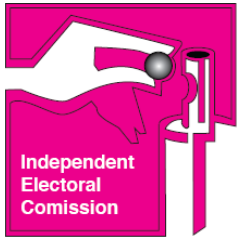
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7. PARTY'S EMAIL ADDRESS:

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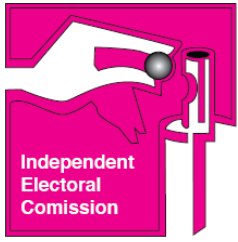
8. FULL NAMES, ADDRESSES, TELEPHONE NUMBERS AND DESIGNATION OF ALL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

NAME:	ADDRESS:	DESIGNATION:	TELEPHONE:
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12. IS THE PARTY FORMED ON SECTIONAL, RELIGIOUS, ETHNIC OR REGIONAL BASIS?

YES

NO

13. DOES THE PARTY INTEND TO NOMINATE CANDIDATES FOR:

ELECTION OF PRESIDENT

YES

NO

ELECTION TO THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

YES

NO

ELECTION TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT AUTHORITY

YES

NO

14. DOES THE PARTY INTEND TO CANVASS FOR VOTES FOR THE CANDIDATES IT NOMINATES?

YES

NO

15. DOES THE PARTY INTEND TO FINANCIALLY SUPPORT CANDIDATES IT NOMINATES?

YES

NO

16. EMBLEM, COLOUR, MOTTO AND SYMBOL OF THE PARTY: (attach, as appropriate).

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17. DATE OF FORMATION:

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18. WE HEREBY UNDERTAKE TO::

- (i) notify the Commission, in writing within thirty days, of any changes in the name, emblem, colour, motto, symbol or address in accordance with Section 106 of the Elections Decree, 1996 (Decree No. 78);
- (ii) submit to the Commission a copy of the manifesto prior or at the time of nomination of candidates for an election in terms of Section 107 of the Election Decree, 1996 (Decree No. 78);
- (iii) abide by the Code on Election Campaign Ethics which the Commission may, from time to time, prepare.



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19. We solemnly declare that the above mentioned organization is not of an ethnic, religious, or regional character, and that its emblem, colour, motto and symbol have not been chosen with the intention of portraying any such connotation.

20. Please find attached a declaration signed by (Minimum 500 registered voters, at least 50 voter from each Administrative Area) members of the organization.

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21. Also attached is a copy of the Party's Constitution.

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22. Names, Signatures and Designations of persons submitting application:

NAME	DESIGNATION	SIGNATURE
	Chair/President	
	Vice-Chair/Vice-President	
	General Secretary	
	Treasurer	
	Member	
	Member	
	Member	

23. DATE:

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GUIDELINES TO ORGANISATION SEEKING REGISTRATION AS POLITICAL PARTIES UNDER SECTION 105 OF THE ELECTIONS DECREE, 1996 (DECREE No. 78)

1. The application for registration is to be made on the prescribed Application Form obtainable from the Office of the Chairman of the Independent Electoral Commission on Kairaba Avenue, Latrikunda, Kanifing Municipality.
2. The application must be accompanied by a declaration signed by not less than **five hundred registered voters**, at least **50 voters** from each of the 7 Administrative Areas, in the forms provided by the Commission.
3. The prescribed registration fee of ten thousand Dalasis (**D10,000.00**) should be paid at the time of submitting the application.
4. The Constitution of the party must be enclosed with the application.
5. The principal objective of the party should be to participate in the elections and its internal organization should conform to democratic principles.
6. The party should have a national character and should not be formed on any sectional, religious, ethnic or regional basis.
7. The aims and objectives of the party should not be inconsistent with the Constitution and other laws of the country.
8. The name, emblem, colour, motto or symbol of the party should have no ethnic, religious or regional connotation.
9. Copy of the IEC's Code of Election Campaign Ethics is provided with the Application Form.
10. Attention is also invited to Section 60 of the Constitution.



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11. Attention is also invited to Part VIII of the Elections Decree, 1996.