

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS 2024

VOTING BY PROXY

1. Regulation 34(1) (d)(i) and (ii) of the National Assembly Elections Regulations 2014 provides that any **public officer** who is-

- (a) an elector registered in Rodrigues or Agalega and is serving in the Island of Mauritius; or
- (b) an elector registered in a constituency in the Island of Mauritius and is serving in Rodrigues or Agalega

shall be entitled to vote by proxy.

2. (a) Any such elector who wishes to apply to vote by proxy must call at the Sub-Office of the Electoral Commissioner, Port Mathurin, Rodrigues for collection of application forms to vote by proxy.

- (b) The application form, dully filled in and signed by both the elector and the proxy should reach the Office of the Electoral Commissioner on or before **Saturday 26 October 2024 at latest 4 p.m.**

3. A proxy paper authorizing the proxy to vote on behalf of the elector (applicant) will be sent to the proxy.

4. The attention of all concerned is drawn to regulation 35(3)(a) and (b) of the National Assembly Elections Regulations 2014, which reads as follows:-

“(3) A person shall not be entitled –

(a) to be appointed as proxy unless he is-

- (i) A Commonwealth citizen over 18 years of age; and*
- (ii) Not under any legal incapacity to vote at that election;*

(b) To vote as proxy at an election on behalf of more than 2 electors.”

15 October 2024

Office of the Electoral Commissioner
PORT LOUIS