



INDEPENDENT ELECTORAL AND BOUNDARIES COMMISSION

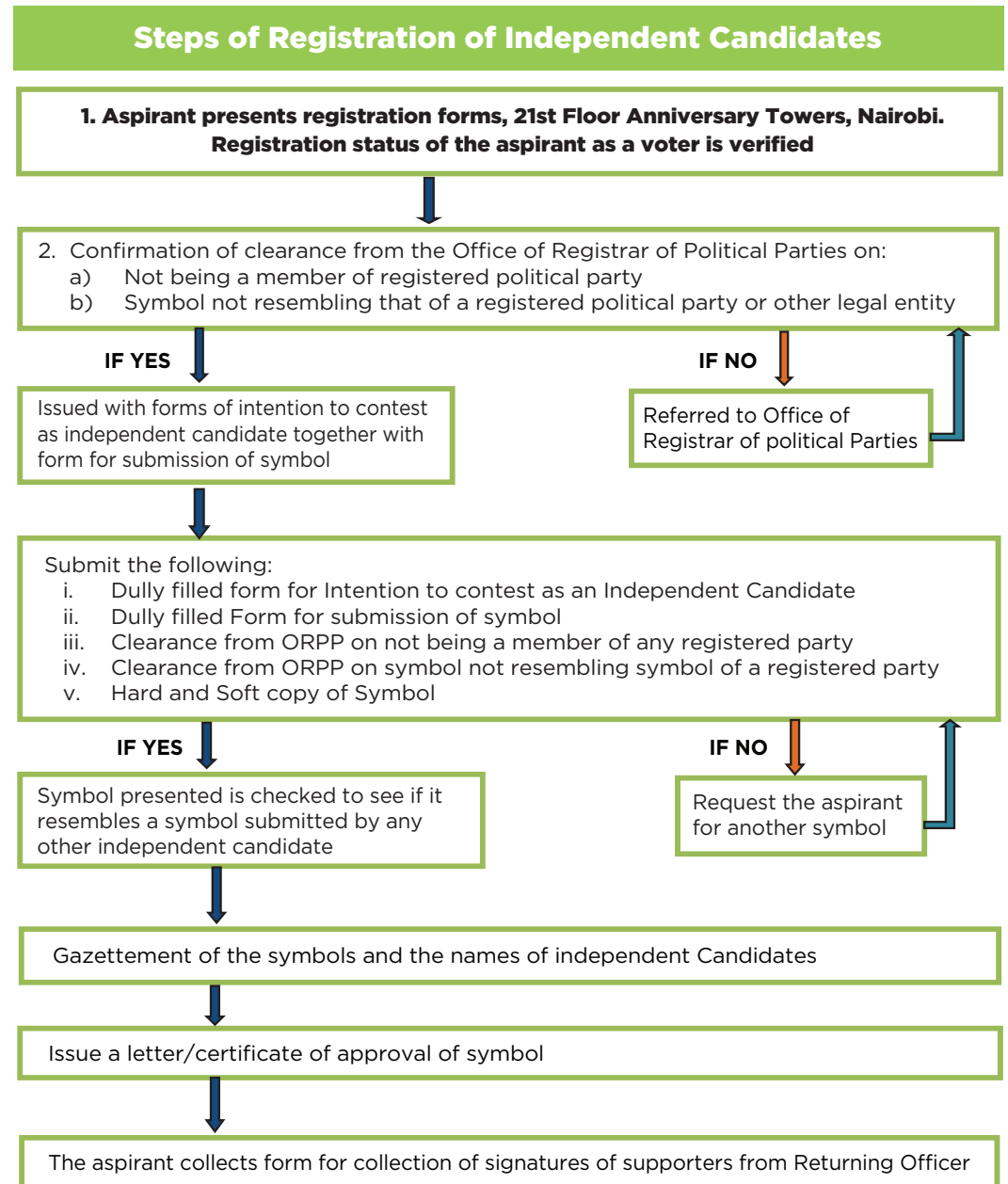
PUBLIC NOTICE

THE INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE

According to Section 32 and 33 of the Elections Act 2011, persons intending to contest an election as Independent Candidates shall submit their name and the symbol to the Commission for approval. In addition, an aspirant shall not be a member of any political party at least three (3) months to the date of the General Election.

Consequently, the Commission advises all persons aspiring to contest as Independent Candidates to submit duly filled application forms to the IEBC Headquarter office, Nairobi, by **4th May 2017**, to allow for processing before the legal timeline of **8th May, 2017**.

No.	Activity	Deadline
1.	Obtain clearance from the Office of the Registrar of Political Parties (ORPP) confirming that aspirant is not a member of any registered Political Party	Monday, May 08, 2017
2.	Pick or download application forms for intention to contest as Independent Candidate (FORM 11N) and Form for submission of symbol (FORM 11P)	Monday, May 08, 2017
3.	Submit a symbol (hard and soft copy) for approval by the Commission. (Anniversary Towers 21st Floor Room 2101A).	Monday, May 08, 2017
4.	Approval of symbols by the Commission	Wednesday, May 10, 2017
5.	Gazettement of names and symbols of Independent Candidates by the Commission (Kenya Gazette)	Saturday, May 13, 2017
6.	Commission transmits copies of approved names and symbols of Independent Candidates to the Returning Officers at respective IEBC offices countrywide	Saturday, May 13, 2017
7.	Obtain forms for collection of signatures of supporters of Independent Candidates from Returning Officers	Saturday, May 13, 2017



The application forms may be collected from IEBC Offices, **Anniversary Towers 21st Floor Room 2101A** or downloaded from IEBC's website <https://www.iebc.or.ke/resources/?Forms>.

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Chairman