

Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission



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Nairobi, Kenya: Friday, 25th July 2025

SUBJECT: Re-allocation of Vacant Seats Through Party Lists

In our commitment to upholding the principles of democracy and fair representation, the Commission plays a central role in managing electoral processes guided by the constitution, relevant statutes and regulations.

The Commission is mandated to conduct elections based on proportional representation through the use of party lists, in accordance with Article 90 of the Constitution of Kenya and Section 37(1) of the Elections Act, Cap 7. The allocation of seats is carried out based on the priority in which nominees were listed by their respective political parties, as submitted during the 2022 General Election.

In line with this mandate, the Commission has re-allocated one (1) special seat in the National Assembly and nine (9) special seats in various County Assemblies, following declarations of vacancies by the respective Speakers. These vacancies arose due to the resignation or death of the former members.

The re-allocations were officially published on Thursday, 24th July 2025, in a special issue of the Kenya Gazette (Notice No. 10083, Vol. CXXVII–159).

The Commission remains steadfast in its commitment to upholding the constitutional principles of fairness, inclusivity, and transparency in the electoral process. By ensuring that party list allocations are conducted in strict adherence to the law, the Commission continues to promote equitable representation and safeguard the integrity of our democratic institutions. We thank the public for their continued trust and support as we work together to strengthen Kenya's democracy.

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