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Press Statement

Update of the National Voters' Register for the Conduct of Local Government Councils By-elections, 2021

In preparation for the conduct of by-elections for Local Government Councils, in electoral areas across the country, where vacancies exist, the Electoral Commission will conduct an update of the National Voters' Register from **22nd – 26th October 2021**.

The update exercise will be conducted at update stations within each parish/ward in the respective electoral areas, starting at 8:00am till 6:00pm, on each of the appointed dates, including weekends.

The purpose of the update exercise is to:

- Enable all new eligible applicants to register as voters;
- Conduct transfer of voters who wish to transfer to new voting locations;
- Enable voters to confirm that their photographs match their particulars;

The Commission has further appointed **Tuesday 26th October 2021**, as the cut-off date for registration of voters in the affected electoral areas across the country.

Registration and transfer of voters from one polling station to another within the above electoral areas will not be conducted after this date.



Justice Byabakama Mugenyi Simon
Chairperson, Electoral Commission