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**MINUTES OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL DECISION AGREED BY ROUND ROBIN**

The following was approved by Round Robin on **Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2022**: -

EX MIN 22/148

**EX MEMO 22/103 ELECTIONS SCHEDULE AMENDMENT REGULATIONS 2022**

Section 47(2) of the Elections Act sets out the information that must be contained in a ballot paper and the accompanying template Form 14 sets out the format that shall be used.

Form 14 was designed only to accommodate an election for a single member electoral district and a single island-wide district. Form 14 does not make provision for when, as is the case in the 2022 by-election, an election is being held to elect a single member only. This should be rectified ahead of the by-election.

The proposed Regulations will remove the current version of Form 14 and substitute it with three amended Forms:

- Ballot paper for use in General Elections, where both Single Member Electoral District and Island-Wide are being contested;
- Ballot Paper for By-Election - Single Member Electoral District; and
- Ballot Paper for By-Election - Single Island-Wide District.

Council noted the Regulations which shall amend Form 14 thereby substituting it with three new forms.

Council authorised the issue of the Action Sheet before confirmation of the Minutes.

Action: HON, AG; SCC (Cr)

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