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CHAPTER 1

ST HELENA

ELECTIONS ORDINANCE, 2009

WRIT OF ELECTION



By His Excellency Nigel James Phillips CBE Governor

Governor

To the Returning Officer

WHEREAS by section 6(1) of the Elections Ordinance, 2009, it is provided that, for the purposes of every general election of Members of the Legislative Council, and for the purposes of the election of Members to fill vacancies caused by death, resignation or otherwise, the Governor must issue writs of election under the public seal, directed to the Returning Officer:

AND WHEREAS, following the dissolution of the Legislative Council on 30 June 2025, I think it expedient that a writ should be issued for a general election of Members to serve in the Legislative Council for the single constituency established by section 50 of the Constitution:

NOW THEREFORE, I, Nigel James Phillips CBE, Governor, hereby require that you cause a general election of Members of Legislative Council to be held according to the following particulars, namely:

- 1. The number of Members to be elected is twelve;
- 2. The last day and time for the receipt of nominations shall be at Noon on Wednesday, 20 August 2025, such nominations to be delivered to you at the Castle, Jamestown by that date and time;
- 3. A poll shall be taken, if the number of nominations is such as to require one, on Wednesday, 3 September 2025 at the following Polling Stations:
 - (a) Blue Hill Community Centre;
 - (b) Half Tree Hollow Community Centre;
 - (c) Harford Community Centre;
 - (d) St Mary's Church, The Briars;
 - (e) Kingshurst Community Centre;
 - (f) Levelwood Clinic;
 - (g) Jamestown Community Centre; and
 - (h) Sandy Bay Community Centre;
- 4. The name of the Members, when so elected, to be certified to me at The Castle, Jamestown, on:
 - (a) 20 August 2025, if the election is unopposed; or
 - (b) 4 September 2025, if a poll is taken.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of St Helena, at the Castle, Jamestown, this 1st day of July 2025.