IN THE HIGH COURT FOR ZAMBIA
AT THE PRINCIPAL REGISTRY
HOLDEN AT LUSAKA
(Civil Jurisdiction)

2026/HP/EP/033

IN THE MATTER OF:	**ARTICLE 73 (1) OF THE CONSTITUTION OF ZAMBIA (AMENDMENT) ACT NO. 2 OF 2016 OF THE LAWS OF ZAMBIA**
IN THE MATTER OF:	**SECTIONS 72, 76, 97, 98, 99, 100 AND 108 OF THE ELECTORAL PROCESS ACT NO. 35 OF 2016 OF THE LAWS OF ZAMBIA, AS AMENDED BY THE ELECTORAL PROCESS (AMENDMENT) ACT NO. 12 OF 2026**
IN THE MATTER OF:	**RULE 9 OF THE HIGH COURT (ELECTION PETITION) RULES, 2026 OF THE LAWS OF ZAMBIA**
AND	
IN THE MATTER OF:	**AN ELECTION PETITION RELATING TO THE LUPOSOSHI CONSTITUENCY PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION HELD ON THURSDAY, 13TH AUGUST, 2026, THE DECLARATION OF THE RESULT THEREOF MADE ON 16TH AUGUST, 2026, AND THE PURPORTED FURTHER DECLARATION OF THE RESULT THEREOF MADE ON 18TH AUGUST, 2026**

BETWEEN:

LAZAROUS CHUNGU BWALYA **PETITIONER**

AND

SHADRECK MWANSA **1ST RESPONDENT**

ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA **2ND RESPONDENT**

REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA
HIGH COURT OF ZAMBIA
31 AUG 2026
PRINCIPAL REGISTRY 1
P.O. BOX 50067, LUSAKA.

AFFIDAVIT VERIFYING FACTS

I, **LAZAROUS CHUNGU BWALYA**, a Zambian National ordinarily resident at No. 48 Airport Compound in the Luwingu District of the Northern Province of the Republic of Zambia, **DO HEREBY MAKE OATH AND SAY** as follows: -

1. That my full names and nationality are as stated above, and I am an adult male of sound mind, competent to depose to this my Affidavit.

2. That I was a candidate for the Lupososhi Constituency Parliamentary seat in the General Election held on 13th August, 2026, and it is in this capacity, and from facts within my personal knowledge, information and belief, that I depose to this my Affidavit.

3. That the candidates who successfully filed nominations for the Lupososhi Constituency Parliamentary seat included myself, standing under the National Reconciliation Party for Unity and Prosperity (NRPUP), and the 1st Respondent, Shadrick Mwansa, standing under the United National Party for National Development (UPND), among other candidates.

4. That upon the close of polling and the count of votes at all 65 polling stations in Lupososhi Constituency, Oscar Kafunda, the returning officer for Lupososhi Constituency, having tallied the results thereby ascertained that of a total of 23,526 votes cast in the election, I polled 9,533 votes, the 1st Respondent, polled 6,890 votes, being the next-highest total, the six other candidates polled a combined total of 6,477 votes, and that a total of 626 ballot papers were rejected as invalid.

5. That the said Oscar Kafunda, the returning officer for Lupososhi Constituency, declared me duly elected as Member of Parliament for Lupososhi Constituency on 16th August, 2026, by a margin of 2,643 votes over the 1st Respondent, as recorded in the Declaration of Result (Form GEN 20b) and the Return of Poll (Form ECZ 19) for Lupososhi Constituency duly endorsed and witnessed by the duly accredited election agents, observers and monitors present, including my own polling agent, Lloyd Bwalya. There is now produced and shown to me exhibits respectively marked **"LCB1"** and **"LCB2"** being the said Declaration of Result (Form GEN 20b) and the Return of Poll (Form ECZ 19) for Lupososhi Constituency. Further produced and shown to me marked **"LCB3"** is a flash drive containing documentary evidence of the said Declaration being made by the Returning Officer.

6. That on 18th August, 2026, only two days after the First Declaration, and following the matter referred to in the preceding paragraph, I was informed, and verily believe, that the said Oscar Kafunda had purported to issue a second declaration naming the 1st Respondent, as duly elected Member of Parliament for Lupososhi Constituency, in place of myself.

7. That I have since had sight of a copy of that second declaration, and observed that, it attributes 9,533 votes to the 1st Respondent and 6,890 votes to myself, and that the persons recorded as witnessing it differ from those who witnessed the First Declaration: my own polling agent and the Human Rights Commission's representative, who had witnessed the First Declaration, no longer appear among them, and a person shown against the 1st Respondent's own party, the UPND, appears among the witnesses in their place, the media representative alone being common to both. There is now produced and shown to me exhibit marked **"LCB4"** being a copy of the said purported second declaration made on 18th August, 2026.

8. That, before the second declaration referred to below came into being, I became aware that a document purporting to be a Declaration of the Results of the Poll for Lupososhi Constituency (Form GEN 20b), bearing the same date as the First Declaration (16th August, 2026) and reproducing the same candidates, the same total of 23,526 votes cast, the same 626 rejected ballot papers, and the same witnesses as the First

Declaration, but attributing 9,533 votes to the 1st Respondent and 6,890 votes to myself — the reverse of the First Declaration — and declaring the 1st Respondent duly elected, had been published on or about 17th August 2026 on the official Facebook page of the 1st Respondent's party, the UPND, captioned "This is a true declaration with Returning Officer's signature." I verily believe, and am advised by my advocates, that this document was not a genuine or lawful declaration of the returning officer. Now shown to me marked **"LCB5"** is a social media screenshot of the said purported Declaration

9. That, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, as at 18th August, 2026, and as at the date of this my Affidavit, there had been no fresh count or tally of the votes cast at the election, no re-vote, and no correction of any tabulation error by the 2nd Respondent, the Electoral Commission of Zambia ("the Commission").

10. That further to the above I have not at any time been informed by the Commission, or by anyone else, that any such correction was made, and I verily believe that none ought to be assumed to have been made. I am advised by my advocates, and verily believe, that the said second declaration was accordingly made, and remains, without any lawful authority under the Act.

11. That on 20th August, 2026, my advocates, Messrs Joseph Chirwa and Company, wrote to the Chief Electoral Officer of the Commission a letter before action, requesting immediate confirmation of my election as declared in the first instance, and requiring a response within twenty-four (24) hours. There is now produced and shown to me exhibit marked **"LCB6"** being a copy of that letter, bearing the Commission's registry date stamp of 20th August, 2026.

12. That by a letter dated 21st August, 2026, reference EC/101/7/5, the Commission's Chief Electoral Officer, Mr Brown Kasaro, responded that the Commission was awaiting a report from the returning officer for Lupososhi Constituency and was accordingly unable to respond to my request, undertaking to revert once that report had been received and appreciated Now shown to me marked **"LCB7"** is a copy of that letter.

13. That I am advised by my advocates, which advice I verily believe to be true, that the Commission's said letter of 21st August, 2026 did not confirm my election, did not purport to correct any mistake made in the Lupososhi parliamentary election under Section 76 of the Act, and did not identify any lawful basis for the second declaration; and that, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, the Commission has not, as at the date of this my Affidavit, taken any further action in the matter or communicated any basis for the second declaration to me.

14. That I have at all material times held, and continue to hold, myself out as the duly elected Member of Parliament for Lupososhi Constituency on the strength of the First Declaration, which I am advised by my advocates, and verily believe, remains valid and subsisting in law.

15. That in pursuance of my belief as duly elected Member of Parliament for Lupososhi Constituency, I attended, upon invitation by Parliament, the registration of newly elected Members of Parliament at Parliament buildings whereupon I was, much to my shock and surprise, informed that the list as forwarded by the 2nd Respondent to Parliament, indicated the 1st Respondent as duly elected member of Parliament for Lupososhi Constituency.

16. That the 2nd Respondent at all material times held, and continues to hold, himself out as the duly elected Member of Parliament for Lupososhi Constituency on the strength of the Second Declaration made by the returning officer.

17. That I have been advised by my advocates, which advice I verily believe to be true, that the conduct of the returning officer for Lupososhi Constituency in making the second declaration of 18th August, 2026 was unlawful; that no correction under Section 76 of the Act has been shown or made known to me to have been made by the Commission, and none should be assumed in the Commission's favour; and that, by reason of the foregoing, the purported second declaration of the 1st Respondent is void, alternatively liable to be avoided under Section 97(2)(b) of the Act.

18. That the contents of this my Affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

SWORN by the said)
LAZAROUS CHUNGU BWALYA)
at Lusaka this 21st day)
of August 2026)

DEPONENT

Dillington Mosha
LLB, AHCZ
Commissioner for Oaths
P.O. Box 33961, Lusaka.

BEFORE ME: _____
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS

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CERTIFICATE OF EXHIBITS

These are the true and correct exhibits referred to in the Affidavit sworn by one **LAZAROUS CHUNGU BWALYA** marked **"LCB1-7".**

Dated at Lusaka the 27th **day of** August **2026.**

BEFORE ME: _____
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS

Dillington Musina
LLB, AHCZ
Commissioner for Oaths
P.O. Box 33961, Lusaka.

"LCB2"

LCB2(N)

ECZ 19

(complete in triplicates)

ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA
THE Electoral Process Act,2016
(Act No.35 of 2016)
The Electoral Process(General) Regulation,2021
(Regulation 50)

RECORD OF PROCEEDING AT THE TOTALLING OF VOTES - Presidential

District: LUPOSOSHI

Constituency: LUPOSOSHI

Number of polling Stations: 65 of 65

Date of Poll: 13-08-2026

Date and Time Totalling Commenced:

Polling Station	Total Ballot Papers found in Box	1 BWALYA F Kelvin (ZMP)	2 CHANSA M Given (MEE)	3 CHUNGU F Xavier (LDP)	4 HICHILEMA S Hakainde (UPND)	5 KALABA Harry (CF)	6 KATUTA Given (IND)	7 KUNDA Howard (ZAWAPA)	8 MMEMBE Fred (SP)	9 MUNDUBIL E M Brian (NRPUP)	10 MUSHIMBA Brian (OPP)	11 NJOBVU A Ackim (DU)	12 PULE C Daniel (CDP)	13 SIAMUNEN E Richwell (NFP)	14 SILUMBE Richard (LM)	15 Rejected Ballot Papers	Total
Bulaya Primary School-01 - 107012000301	194	3	1	0	28	0	1	0	1	149	0	1	0	0	1	9	194
Chabula Local Court-01 - 107012005601	383	1	2	1	106	1	0	0	0	259	0	1	0	0	0	12	383
Chabula Primary School-01 - 107012005901	453	3	1	3	93	3	0	1	1	336	5	0	0	1	0	6	453
Chambo Primary School-01 - 107012001201	268	2	1	1	71	0	0	0	1	186	0	0	0	0	2	4	268
Chanka Primary School-01 - 107012004901	301	6	1	3	52	11	2	1	1	205	3	0	0	2	3	11	301
Chibaye Primary School-01 - 107012001001	403	3	1	4	156	1	0	1	0	222	0	0	0	0	0	15	403
Chibiliti Catholic Church-01 - 107012005301	160	2	0	1	36	0	0	0	0	116	0	0	0	1	0	4	160
Chibusa Primary School-01 - 107012000901	196	0	0	0	94	0	0	0	0	96	0	1	0	0	1	4	196

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Chimbwi Primary School-01 - 107012002101	678	3	1	1	350	7	0	0	6	299	1	0	0	1	0	3	678
Chisense Primary School-01 - 107012003201	402	2	1	0	47	5	0	0	3	326	0	0	0	0	0	14	402
Chisensela Pentecoastal Church-01 - 107012004701	330	6	1	3	71	2	2	0	2	231	1	0	0	0	0	11	330
Chisole Village-01 - 107012004401	264	0	0	0	109	3	1	0	0	149	1	0	0	0	0	1	264
Chisuna Community School-01 - 107012003801	219	2	1	0	23	3	1	0	7	174	2	0	0	0	1	5	219
Chita Community School-01 - 107012000401	189	7	0	1	43	0	0	2	1	127	0	1	0	0	0	7	189
Chitwa Primary School-01 - 107012000701	185	1	2	1	57	1	0	0	0	118	0	0	0	1	0	4	185
Chungu Primary School-01 - 107012002301	487	2	0	1	140	42	2	0	2	285	3	1	0	1	0	8	487
Chungu Primary School-02 - 107012002302	457	3	0	2	136	25	8	1	6	260	2	0	0	0	0	14	457
Chushi Village-01 - 107012003501	293	0	0	0	57	5	0	0	0	228	0	0	0	0	2	1	293
Ifiso Primary School-01 - 107012002201	448	5	0	2	71	23	2	1	4	317	0	1	0	1	0	21	448
Ikamonga Community School-01 - 107012001901	446	1	0	0	135	1	0	0	3	296	1	0	0	0	0	9	446
Kabengalala Primary School-01 - 107012003701	391	0	0	0	84	3	1	0	4	286	0	0	0	0	1	12	391
KabomboPrimary School-01 - 107012004501	422	2	0	1	238	3	1	1	1	170	1	0	0	0	0	4	422
Kalaba Primary School-01 - 107012002001	354	3	1	1	154	2	1	1	2	165	2	1	2	1	2	16	354
Kalaba Primary School-02 - 107012002002	361	2	0	2	310	7	1	1	4	22	4	0	0	0	1	7	361
Kalomboshi Community School-01 - 107012001301	341	2	0	1	84	0	0	0	8	232	1	0	0	1	4	8	341
Kanwabatemi Community School-01 - 107012004101	252	1	0	0	82	2	0	0	0	162	1	0	0	0	2	2	252
Kapama Community School-01 - 107012004301	373	3	1	1	31	5	0	0	2	323	2	0	0	0	0	5	373
Kapoma Primary School-01 - 107012003601	442	0	0	1	186	2	1	0	5	240	2	0	0	0	1	4	442
Kapundu Community School-01 - 107012004801	455	2	0	1	154	9	1	1	3	272	1	1	0	0	1	9	455

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Kaputu Kapala Primary School-01 - 107012002601	328	1	2	0	168	1	0	2	5	147	1	0	0	0	1	1	328
Kasanga Catholic Church-01 - 107012005001	320	3	1	1	40	2	0	0	3	262	2	0	0	0	0	6	320
Katuta Primary School-01 - 107012001701	449	2	2	1	127	0	0	0	2	306	2	2	0	0	0	5	449
Katuta Primary School-02 - 107012001702	443	1	0	0	112	3	0	0	2	306	0	0	0	1	1	15	443
Kaunda Primary School-01 - 107012001601	346	0	0	0	82	1	1	0	3	249	0	0	0	0	1	9	346
Lufubu Community School-01 - 107012003301	231	1	1	0	22	1	0	0	4	193	1	3	0	0	0	5	231
Lukolongo Primary School-01 - 107012000501	292	0	0	0	62	0	0	0	1	226	0	0	0	0	1	2	292
Lundu Village-01 - 107012005201	451	3	1	0	113	9	1	0	1	315	0	0	0	0	1	7	451
Lwenge Primary School-01 - 107012003101	370	2	1	0	43	3	1	1	1	312	0	0	0	0	0	6	370
Lwenge Primary School-02 - 107012003102	348	0	0	0	50	2	0	0	0	290	1	0	0	0	0	5	348
Mapulanga Primary School-01 - 107012004001	604	1	0	1	204	4	2	1	3	373	1	1	0	0	1	12	604
Matafwali Primary School-01 - 107012003401	388	1	0	0	118	6	1	0	1	255	0	0	0	0	0	6	388
Mato Community School-01 - 107012000601	269	4	0	1	38	1	0	0	0	214	1	0	0	0	0	10	269
Mpasa Primary School-01 - 107012000201	290	2	4	0	56	2	1	0	1	208	0	1	0	0	1	14	290
Mufili Primary School-01 - 107012003001	416	3	1	2	99	4	0	0	5	290	2	0	0	1	1	8	416
Mulala Primary School-01 - 107012000801	303	2	0	1	90	1	0	0	1	199	0	0	0	0	0	9	303
Mulalashi Primary School-01 - 107012003901	430	1	0	0	162	4	0	0	0	251	3	0	0	0	2	7	430
Mumba Primary School-01 - 107012002801	540	0	0	0	102	0	0	1	3	417	0	0	0	0	0	17	540
Mupeseni Catholic Church-01 - 107012005801	341	7	1	0	45	2	0	0	0	277	2	0	0	0	0	7	341
Museba Primary School-01 - 107012000101	286	2	1	1	42	2	0	1	3	225	1	1	0	0	0	7	286
Musebo Busaka Primary School-01 - 107012004201	466	0	1	2	150	1	0	0	1	302	1	0	0	0	1	7	466

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Mushishinga Primary School-01 - 107012001401	447	0	0	0	23	0	1	0	7	384	2	0	0	0	2	28	447
Mutapelo Primary School-01 - 107012005101	293	0	2	2	56	10	0	0	0	213	2	0	0	0	1	7	293
Mutondo Primary School-01 - 107012004601	645	2	3	3	272	17	1	1	2	322	2	0	0	1	0	19	645
Mwampanda Community School-01 - 107012001501	388	1	1	1	91	0	2	0	3	282	1	0	0	0	1	5	388
MwandoPrimary School-01 - 107012005701	297	3	3	2	80	4	0	0	1	191	2	2	0	0	0	9	297
MwandoPrimary School-02 - 107012005702	304	2	1	0	84	7	0	0	3	199	2	0	1	0	0	5	304
Nsapaila Primary School-01 - 107012001101	324	3	2	1	79	1	1	0	3	226	2	0	0	0	0	6	324
Nshindaila Primary School-01 - 107012002501	277	2	0	0	142	3	3	2	6	107	2	0	0	0	1	9	277
Nsombo Primary School-01 - 107012005501	387	2	0	0	85	2	0	0	1	284	3	0	0	0	0	10	387
Nsombo Primary School-02 - 107012005502	396	6	1	2	94	4	0	1	0	278	0	0	0	0	0	10	396
Sakeni Primary School-01 - 107012002701	384	7	1	1	41	1	0	0	4	320	0	0	1	0	1	7	384
Sande Village-01 - 107012002901	461	2	0	0	86	2	0	0	2	364	0	1	0	0	0	4	461
Sekela Community School-01 - 107012002401	252	2	1	0	53	7	1	0	3	174	1	1	0	1	1	7	252
Shilanda Community School-01 - 107012005401	236	1	3	0	66	0	0	0	1	155	0	0	0	0	0	10	236
Witwshika Community School-01 - 107012001801	302	4	0	0	53	0	0	0	0	238	0	0	0	0	2	5	302
Total Votes	23,451	140	49	54	6,425	273	41	21	143	16,607	70	20	4	14	42	548	23,451

KAFUNDA OSCAR

Name of Returning Officer

Signature of Returning Officer

Witnessed by:

Name	Organisation	Signature	Name	Organisation	Signature
Lloyd Bwalya	NRPUP				
NAMWAWA JOEA	HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION				
PHILIP SINKAMBA	MEDIA				

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REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA

ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA

THE Electoral Process Act, 2016

(Act No. 35 of 2016)

The Electoral Process (General) Regulation, 2021

GEN 20a
[Regulation 50(2)]
(complete in triplicate)

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RESULTS OF THE POLL AT THE TOTALING - Presidential

I, KAFUNDA OSCAR being the Returning Officer for LUPOSOSHI Presidential, do hereby declare that I have, inaccordance with the law, ascertained the results of the poll in the said Presidential and that they have been given to:

Name of Candidate	Political Party	Votes	Votes (in words)
MUNDUBILE M Brian	NRPUP	15,607	Fifteen Thousand Six Hundred and Seven
HICHILEMA S Hakainde	UPND	6,425	Six Thousand Four Hundred and Twenty-Five
KALABA Harry	CF	273	Two Hundred and Seventy-Three
M'MEMBE Fred	SP	143	One Hundred and Forty-Three
BWALYA F Kelvin	ZMP	140	One Hundred and Forty
MUSHIMBA Brian	OPP	70	Seventy
CHUNGU F Xavier	LDP	54	Fifty-Four
CHANSA M Given	MEE	49	Forty-Nine
SILUMBE Richard	LM	42	Forty-Two
KATUTA Given	IND	41	Forty-One
KUNDA Howard	ZAWAPA	21	Twenty-One
NJOBVU A Ackim	DU	20	Twenty
SIAMUNENE Richwell	NFP	14	Fourteen
PULE C Daniel	CDP	4	Four

I further declare that a total of 548 ballot papers have been rejected as invalid and that a total of 23,451 Votes were cast.

Dated this 16 day of August, 2026

Signature: .....

Witnessed by:

Name	Organisation	Signature	Name	Organisation	Signature
Lloyd Ferdy	NRPUP				
[illegible]	[illegible]				
Philip Sinkamba	Media				

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1. This form must be completed in sufficient quantities to give one copy to each candidate or their polling agent by the Returning Officer. The Returning Officer must read out aloud the text from the original to the public at the place where the totalling of the votes takes place.

2. The full names of the candidates, party and votes received in figures and words must be inserted in the columns above, with the successful candidate's name at no. 1.

3. The original of this form must be delivered to the Electoral Commission of Zambia by the quickest possible means and a copy must be retained by the Returning Officer.

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GEN 20b
[Regulation 50(2)]
(complete in triplicate)

REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA

ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA

THE Electoral Process Act, 2016

(Act No. 35 of 2016)

The Electoral Process (General) Regulation, 2021

DECLARATION OF THE RESULTS OF THE POLL - Member of Parliament

I, KAFUNDA OSCAR being the Returning Officer for LUPOSOSHI Constituency, LUPOSOSHI District, do hereby declare that I have, inaccordance with the law, ascertained the results of the poll in the said constituency and that they have been given to:

Name of Candidate	Political Party	Votes	Votes (in words)
BWALYA C Lazarous	NRPUP	9,533	Nine Thousand Five Hundred and Thirty-Three
MWANSA Shadreck	UPND	6,890	Six Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety
BWALYA F Benson	IND	2,910	Two Thousand Nine Hundred and Ten
MPUNDU Romano	IND	1,014	One Thousand and Fourteen
MWANSA M Rachael	CF	936	Nine Hundred and Thirty-Six
LUNKOTO B Paul	SP	638	Six Hundred and Thirty-Eight
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I further declare that a total of 626 ballot papers have been rejected as invalid and that a total of 23,526 Votes were cast.

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Dated this 16 day of August, 2026

Signature: .....

Witnessed by:

Name	Organisation	Signature	Name	Organisation	Signature
Lloyd Bwalya	NRPUP	[signature]			
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ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA
THE Electoral Process Act,2016
(Act No.35 of 2016)
The Electoral Process(General) Regulation,2021
(Regulation 50)

RECORD OF PROCEEDING AT THE TOTALLING OF VOTES - Member of Parliament

District: LUPOSOSHI

Constituency: LUPOSOSHI

Number of polling Stations: 65 of 65

Date of Poll: 13-08-2026

Date and Time Totalling Commenced:

Polling Station	Total Ballot Papers found in Box	1 BWALYA C Lazarous (NRPUP)	2 BWALYA F Benson (IND)	3 LUNKOTO B Paul (SP)	4 MPUNDU Reagan (IND)	5 MPUNDU Romano (IND)	6 MULENGA P Bornface (IND)	7 MWANSA Shadreck (UPND)	8 MWANSA M Rachael (CF)	9 Rejected Ballot Papers	Total
Bulaya Primary School-01 - 107012000301	192	138	2	2	4	0	2	35	0	9	192
Chabula Local Court-01 - 107012005601	385	73	197	1	7	3	25	59	1	19	385
Chabula Primary School-01 - 107012005901	451	131	182	3	16	9	37	55	4	14	451
Chambo Primary School-01 - 107012001201	266	124	2	2	2	1	0	134	0	1	266
Chanika Primary School-01 - 107012004901	300	129	52	8	12	3	18	43	29	6	300
Chibaye Primary School-01 - 107012001001	402	148	4	3	15	4	2	202	0	24	402
Chibiti Catholic Church-01 - 107012005301	157	35	73	2	4	0	17	22	0	4	157
Chibusa Primary School-01 - 107012000901	194	82	0	2	0	0	0	105	0	5	194
Chimbwi Primary School-01 - 107012002101	676	263	4	7	4	2	2	377	6	11	676

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Polling Station	Total Ballot Papers found in Box	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
		BWALYA C Lazarous (NRPUP)	BWALYA F Benson (IND)	LUNKOTO B Paul (SP)	MPUNDU Reagan (IND)	MPUNDU Romano (IND)	MULENGA P Bornface (IND)	MWANSA Shadreck (UPND)	MWANSA M Rachael (CF)	Rejected Ballot Papers	
Chisense Primary School-01 - 107012003201	400	134	47	21	6	90	12	51	19	20	400
Chisensela Pentecoastal Church-01 - 107012004701	330	57	20	2	1	182	2	49	3	14	330
Chisole Village-01 - 107012004401	262	38	96	1	1	9	1	107	8	1	262
Chisuna Community School-01 - 107012003801	217	73	57	20	2	18	11	10	18	8	217
Chita Community School-01 - 107012000401	187	110	9	3	6	0	14	41	1	3	187
Chitwa Primary School-01 - 107012000701	183	81	13	1	4	1	14	65	0	4	183
Chungu Primary School-01 - 107012002301	485	129	48	6	3	15	1	89	186	8	485
Chungu Primary School-02 - 107012002302	456	106	42	5	10	22	2	104	155	10	456
Chushi Village-01 - 107012003501	291	95	42	7	4	66	3	59	10	5	291
Ifiso Primary School-01 - 107012002201	446	145	6	4	2	75	7	72	108	27	446
Ikamonga Community School-01 - 107012001901	443	273	2	9	6	0	3	139	3	8	443
Kabangalala Primary School-01 - 107012003701	386	121	33	36	11	65	20	84	10	6	386
KabomboPrimary School-01 - 107012004501	419	108	29	4	7	15	3	245	3	5	419
Kalaba Primary School-01 - 107012002001	348	107	15	3	4	8	5	181	16	9	348
Kalaba Primary School-02 - 107012002002	576	16	7	0	0	0	0	509	1	43	576
Kalomboshi Community School-01 - 107012001301	337	184	22	21	12	5	3	80	0	10	337
Kanwabatemi Community School-01 - 107012004101	249	86	28	0	3	4	5	122	0	1	249
Kapama Community School-01 - 107012004301	372	118	46	15	8	11	58	55	51	10	372
Kapoma Primary School-01 - 107012003601	440	105	55	56	4	6	4	193	13	4	440
Kapundu Community School-01 - 107012004801	455	164	38	5	4	32	4	167	36	5	455
Kaputu Kapala Primary School-01 - 107012002601	325	43	0	93	4	13	1	161	4	6	325
Kasenga Catholic Church-01 - 107012005001	316	203	28	10	14	1	14	29	5	12	316

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Katuta Primary School-01 - 107012001701	448	268	8	3	7	7	0	146	0	9	448
Katuta Primary School-02 - 107012001702	442	272	8	7	6	4	1	128	1	15	442
Kaunda Primary School-01 - 107012001601	345	208	4	16	2	0	1	107	1	5	345
Lufubu Community School-01 - 107012003301	227	100	5	20	11	45	4	39	1	2	227
Lukolongo Primary School-01 - 107012000501	288	180	21	0	3	0	2	77	0	5	288
Lundu Village-01 - 107012005201	447	237	72	0	11	8	13	86	14	6	447
Lwenge Primary School-01 - 107012003101	365	239	14	9	9	32	8	36	9	9	365
Lwenge Primary School-02 - 107012003102	340	230	20	11	10	9	9	40	9	2	340
Mapulanga Primary School-01 - 107012004001	603	254	28	10	15	0	20	244	21	11	603
Matafwali Primary School-01 - 107012003401	388	175	34	7	5	21	3	124	12	7	388
Mato Community School-01 - 107012000601	268	187	4	2	7	0	4	52	0	12	268
Mpasa Primary School-01 - 107012000201	286	213	2	1	1	0	0	56	6	7	286
Mufili Primary School-01 - 107012003001	413	146	111	21	11	0	1	104	9	10	413
Mulala Primary School-01 - 107012000801	299	129	14	4	8	1	2	130	0	11	299
Mulalashi Primary School-01 - 107012003901	427	166	35	4	10	9	9	182	5	7	427
Mumba Primary School-01 - 107012002801	536	316	11	21	5	37	1	139	5	1	536
Mupeseni Catholic Church-01 - 107012005801	339	47	146	6	0	1	91	36	1	11	339
Museba Primary School-01 - 107012000101	283	155	15	1	10	0	1	84	4	13	283
Musebo Busaka Primary School-01 - 107012004201	465	251	9	1	18	1	2	169	7	7	465
Mushishinga Primary School-01 - 107012001401	443	368	6	6	8	1	0	27	1	26	443
Musopelo Primary School-01 - 107012005101	291	111	124	2	5	4	7	21	11	6	291
Mutondo Primary School-01 - 107012004601	648	188	70	4	13	59	4	263	26	21	648

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Mwampanda Community School-01 - 107012001501	387	237	7	20	2	0	1	116	0	4	387
MwandoPrimary School-01 - 107012005701	295	48	177	3	1	0	5	42	5	14	295
MwandoPrimary School-02 - 107012005702	304	43	221	4	1	1	0	22	5	7	304
Nsapaila Primary School-01 - 107012001101	321	150	3	1	12	2	2	145	0	6	321
Nshindaila Primary School-01 - 107012002501	277	63	5	44	5	3	0	139	7	11	277
Nsombo Primary School-01 - 107012005501	383	67	193	2	12	10	28	58	0	13	383
Nsombo Primary School-02 - 107012005502	395	66	210	4	6	9	30	64	1	5	395
Sakeni Primary School-01 - 107012002701	385	231	8	22	10	26	0	72	8	8	385
Sande Village-01 - 107012002901	460	216	16	13	15	41	1	139	13	6	460
Sekela Community School-01 - 107012002401	249	86	5	13	6	12	2	54	63	8	249
Shilanda Community School-01 - 107012005401	233	48	100	3	1	11	6	39	1	24	233
Witwshika Community School-01 - 107012001801	300	219	5	1	5	0	0	66	0	4	300
Total Votes	23,526	9,533	2,910	638	431	1,014	548	6,890	936	626	23,526

KAFUNDA OSCAR

Name of Returning Officer

Signature of Returning Officer

Witnessed by:

Name	Organisation	Signature	Name	Organisation	Signature
NAMWANA SOSA	HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION				
[illegible]	NRPUP				
PHILIP SILUKANDA	MEDIA				

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REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA
ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA
THE Electoral Process Act, 2016
(Act No. 35 of 2016)
The Electoral Process (General) Regulation, 2021

DECLARATION OF THE RESULTS OF THE POLL - Member of Parliament

I, KAFUNDA OSCAR being the Returning Officer for LUPOSOSHI Constituency, LUPOSOSHI District, do hereby declare that I have, inaccordance with the law, ascertained the results of the poll in the said constituency and that they have been given to:

Name of Candidate	Political Party	Votes	Votes (in words)
MWANSA Shadreck	UPND	9,533	Nine Thousand Five Hundred and Thirty-Three
BWALYA C Lazarous	NRPUP	6,890	Six Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety
BWALYA F Benson	IND	2,910	Two Thousand Nine Hundred and Ten
MPUNDU Romano	IND	1,014	One Thousand and Fourteen
MWANSA M Rachael	CF	936	Nine Hundred and Thirty-Six
LUNKOTO B Paul	SP	638	Six Hundred and Thirty-Eight
MULENGA P Bornface	IND	548	Five Hundred and Forty-Eight
MPUNDU Reagan	IND	431	Four Hundred and Thirty-One

I further declare that a total of 626 ballot papers have been rejected as invalid and that a total of 23,526 Votes were cast.

I therefore declare that the said MWANSA Shadreck to be this day duly elected as Member of Parliament for LUPOSOSHI Constituency.

Dated this 18 day of August, 2026

Signature: .....

Witnessed by:

Name	Organisation	Signature	Name	Organisation	Signature
KAFUNDA KEDWIN	UPND				
Joshua Mumba	observer				
Philip Sankala	Media				

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Dated this 16 day of August, 2026 Signature:

Witnessed by:

Name	Organisation	Signature	Name	Organisation	Signature
Lloyd Bwalya	NRPUP				
Namwalya Sara	Human Rights Com				
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20 August 2026

The Chief Electoral Officer
Electoral Commission of Zambia
Elections House
Off Haile Selassie Avenue
Long Acres
LUSAKA

Dear Sir,

RE: LETTER BEFORE ACTION AND REQUEST FOR CONFIRMATION OF RESULTS -LUPOSOSHI CONSTITUENCY

The above subject matter refers.

We act for Lazarous Bwalya Chungu, duly elected Member of Parliament (MP) for Lupososhi Constituency under the National Reconciliation Party for Unity and Prosperity (NRPUP) in the 13 August 2026 General Elections. We will refer to the said Lazarous Bwalya Chungu as our client henceforth. Kindly therefore note our professional care and interest.

Our client advises us that on 16 August 2026 he was declared as duly elected MP for the aforesaid Constituency by one Oscar Kafunda, Returning Officer in the said election. The said declaration was endorsed and witnessed by all duly accredited election agents, observers and monitors. To our client's surprise, the said Oscar Kafunda declared one Shadrick Mwansa of the United National Party for National Development (UPND) as duly elected on 18 August 2026. The second declaration of the said Shadrick Mwansa was done in total disregard of the Constitution of Zambia, Chapter 1 of the Laws of Zambia (as amended) and the Electoral Process Act of 2016 (as amended). There is no provision in the laws of Zambia that allows the Returning Officer to act in the way he did as that creates a constitutional crisis and attacks the integrity of the electoral process.

In these premises, our client requests that you immediately confirm his election as MP for the aforesaid as declared in the first instance. You may wish to be reminded that MPs are elected on the majority first-past-the-post basis, and our client polled the highest vote as indicated on all the Electoral Commission of Zambia's platforms and prescribed documentation.

We will await your response within **24 HOURS** of this missive.

Please acknowledge safe receipt of this letter by signing a copy attached hereto.

Faithfully yours,

MESSRS. JOSEPH CHIRWA AND COMPANY

cc. Client

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21ST August, 2026

Joseph Chirwa and Company
Plot No. 10426 Manda Hill Road
Behind Manda Hill Mall
Olympia Park,
LUSAKA

Dear Messrs.

RE: LETTER BEFORE ACTION AND REQUEST FOR CONFIRMATION OF RESULTS LUPOSOSHI CONSTITUENCY

We refer to the above subject and to your letter dated 20TH August, 2026.

We wish to advise that the Commission is currently waiting for a report from the returning officer for the Lupososhi Constituency election. The report is necessary to enable the Commission to fully appreciate the circumstances surrounding the issues raised in your correspondence.

In the circumstances, we are unable to provide a response to your request, however, we will revert to you once the returning officer's report has been received and appreciated.

Brown Kasaro
Chief Electoral Officer
ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA