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

2026/HP/EP/ 020



IN THE MATTER OF: **THE PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION PETITION FOR LIMA CONSTTUENCY SITUATE IN LUSAKA DISTRICT OF THE LUSAKA PROVINCE OF THE REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA HELD ON 13TH AUGUST 2026**

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BETWEEN:

LEE KABASO MUKUPA **PETITIONER**

AND

KELVIN KAUNDA **1ST RESPONDENT**

ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA **2ND RESPONDENT**

SKELETON ARGUMENTS IN SUPPORT OF ELECTION PETITION

LIST OF AUTHORITIES

1. STATUTES

(i) The Constitution of Zambia (Amendment) Act No. 2 of 2016

(ii) The Electoral Process Act No. 35 of 2016

(iii) The High Court (Election Petition) Rules of 2026

2. CASES

(i) Nkandu Luo and the Electoral Commission of Zambia v. Doreen Sefuke Mwamba and the Attorney General Selected Judgment No. 51 of 2018

(ii) Jonathan Kapaipa v Samakayi (CC/A 48 of 2016) [2020] ZMCC 13 (29 May 2020)

(iii) Mubika Mubika v Poniso Njeulu, SCZ Appeal No. 114 of 2007

MAY IT PLEASE THIS HONOURABLE COURT, these are the Petitioners Skeleton Arguments filed in compliance with Rule 9(c) of the High Court (Election Petition) Rules of 2026, in support of the Election Petition challenging the validity of the election of the 1st Respondent as Member of Parliament for Lima Constituency on the 13th day of August 2026.

LAW

[1.0] My Lord, we are relying on the provisions of Article 73(1) of the Constitution of Zambia (Amendment) Act No. 2 of 2016 which states ***"A person may file an election petition with the High Court to challenge the election of a Member of Parliament."***

In order for one to rightfully file a petition, section 98(c) of the Electoral Process Act No. 35 of 2016 further guides:

"An Election Petition may be presented to the High Court or a tribunal by one or more of the following persons; ***A person claiming to have been a candidate at the Election to whih the Election Petition relates."***

My Lord, it is on the premise above that this Petition is before this Honourable Court.

[1.1] My Lord, it is our submission that the Respondents election as Member of Parliament for Lima Constituency be nullified on account of the following violations to the Electoral Process:

ELECTORAL OFFENCES ALLEGED

1. **Undue influence,** contrary to section 83 of the Electoral Process Act No. 35 of 2016 which states:

"(1) A person shall not directly or indirectly, by oneself or through any other person—

(a) make use of or threaten to make use of any force, violence or restraint upon any other person;

(b) ***inflict*** *or threaten to inflict* ***by oneself or by any other person, or by any supernatural or non-natural means,or pretended supernatural or non-natural means, any physical, psychological, mental or spiritual injury, damage, harm or loss upon or against any person;***

(c) ***do*** *or threaten to do* ***anything to the disadvantage of any person in order to induce or compel any person—***

(i) to register or not to register as a voter;

(ii) to vote or not to vote;

(iii) to vote or not to vote for any registered political party or candidate;

(iv) to support or not to support any political registered party or candidate; or

(v) to attend and participate in, or not to attend and participate in, any political meeting, march, demonstration or other political event;

(d) interfere with the independence or impartiality of the Commission, any member, employee or officer of the Commission;

(e) prejudice any person because of any past, present or anticipated performance of a function under this Act;

(f) advantage, or promise to advantage, a person in exchange for that person not performing a function under this Act; or

(g) unlawfully prevent the holding of any political meeting, march, demonstration or other political event.

(2) Subject to the other provisions of this Act, a person shall not prevent another person from exercising a right conferred by this Act.

(3) A person, knowing that another person is not entitled to be registered as a voter, shall not—

(a) persuade that other person that, that other person is entitled to be registered as a voter; or

(b) represent to anyone else that the person is entitled to be registered as a voter.

(4) A person, knowing that another person is not entitled to vote shall not—

(a) assist, compel or persuade that other person to vote; or

(b) represent to anyone else that the other person is entitled to vote.

(5) A person who contravenes any of the provisions of subsections (l) to (4) commits an offence.

(6) A person who, by abduction, duress or any fraudulent device or contrivance, impedes or prevents the free exercise of the vote of any voter or thereby compels, induces or prevails upon any voter either to give or to refrain from giving the person's vote at any election, commits an offence.

[1.2] **My Lord,** in the case of *Mubika Mubika v Poniso Njeulu*, in which the Constitutional Court cited with approval in *Jonathan Kapaipi v Newton Samakayi*, the Supreme Court held that:

"The provision for declaring an election of a Member of Parliament void is only where, whatever activity is complained of, it is proved satisfactorily that as a result of that wrongful conduct, the majority of voters in a constituency were, or might have been prevented from electing a candidate of their choice"

From the facts presented in the Affidavit verifying the Petition filed herewith, the 1st Respondent engaged in acts of violence directed towards the Petitioner and other voters during the campaigns and the polls in all

14 polling stations within the Constiuency resulting in the wide descripancy between the registered voters and voter turn out as highlighted herein.

[1.3] To further buttress the above the Court in the case of *Mubika Mubika case* further stated that:

"***The provision for declaring an election of a Member of Parliament void is only where****, whatever activity is complained of,* ***it is proved satisfactorily that as a result of that wrongful conduct, the majority of voters in a constituency were, or might have been prevented from electing a candidate of their choice,*** *it is clear that when facts alleging misconduct are proved and fall into the prohibited category of conduct,* ***it must be shown that the prohibited conduct was widespread in the constituency to the level where registered voters in greater numbers were influenced so as to change their selection of a candidate for that particular election in that constituency; only then can it be said that a greater number of registered voters were prevented or might have been prevented from electing their preferred candidate."***

My Lord, The Petitioner herein submits that voter turn out was indeed affected by the 1st Respondents actions as a majority of the electorate was deterred from participating in the polls on account of the manifest violence caused by the 1ST Respondent.

FORM OF PRESENTING ELECTORAL OFEENCES

[2.0] **My Lord**, from the foregoing it is the Petitioners submission that the Respondents appointment as Member of Parliament for Lima constiuency is not valid on account of the above Electoral Offences having been committed by them as highlighted.

Therefore, the 1st Respondents appointment is herein questioned in accordance with the provisions of sections 97,98 and 99 of the Electoral Act which states:

"97 (1) An election of a candidate as a Member of Parliament, mayor, council chairperson or councillor shall not be questioned except by an election petition presented under this Part.

(2) The election of a candidate as a Member of Parliament, mayor, council chairperson or councillor shall be void if, on the trial of an election petition, it is proved to the satisfaction of the High Court or a tribunal, as the case may be, that—

(a) a corrupt practice, illegal practice or other misconduct has been committed in connection with the election—

(i) by a candidate; or

(ii) with the knowledge and consent or approval of a candidate or of that candidate's election agent or polling agent; and the majority of voters in a constituency, district or ward were or may have been prevented from electing the candidate in that constituency, district or ward whom they preferred;

(b) subject to the provisions of subsection (4), there has been non-compliance with the provisions of this Act relating to the conduct of elections, and it appears to the High Court or tribunal that the election was not conducted in accordance with the principles laid down in such provision and that such non-compliance affected the result of the election; or

(c) the candidate was at the time of the election a person not qualified or a person disqualified for election.

(3) Despite the provisions of subsection (2), where, upon the trial of an election petition, the High Court or a tribunal finds that a corrupt practice or illegal practice has been committed by, or with the knowledge and consent or approval of, any agent of the candidate whose election is the subject of such election petition, and the High Court or a tribunal further finds that such candidate has proved that—

(a) a corrupt practice or illegal practice was not committed by the candidate personally or by that candidate's election agent, or with the knowledge and consent or approval of such candidate or that candidate's election agent;

(b) such candidate and that candidate's election agent took all reasonable means to prevent the commission of a corrupt practice or illegal practice at the election; and

(c) in all other respects the election was free from any corrupt practice or illegal practice on the part of the candidate or that candidate's election agent; the High Court or a tribunal shall not, by reason only of such corrupt practice or illegal practice, declare that election of the candidate void.

(4) An election shall not be declared void by reason of any act or omission by an election officer in breach of that officer's official duty in connection with an election if it appears to the High Court or a tribunal that the election was so conducted as to be substantially in accordance with the provisions of this Act, and that such act or omission did not affect the result of that election.

[2.1] **My Lord,** the above provision was fortified by the Court in *Nkandu Luo and the Electoral Commission of Zambia v. Doreen Sefuke Mwamba and the Attorney General, the Constitutional Court* wherein it held that:

"In order for a petitioner to successfully have an election annulled pursuant to section 97(2)(a) there is a threshold to surmount. The first requirement is for the petitioner to prove to the satisfaction of the court, that the person whose election is challenged personally or through his duly appointed election or polling agents, committed a *corrupt practice or* ***illegalpractice or other misconduct in connection with the election****, or that such malpractice* ***was committed with the knowledge and consent or approval of the candidate or his or her election or polling agent..."***

My Lord, the Petitioner has shown in the Affidavit filed herewith that the Electoral Offences alleged herein were carried out by the 1st Respondent and his agents directly onto the Petitioner and his agents.

[2.2] **My Lord,** the Act further guides:

"98. *An election petition may be presented to the High Court or a tribunal by one or more of the following persons:*

(a) a person who lawfully voted or had a right to vote at the election to which the election petition relates;

(b) a person claiming to have had a right to be nominominated as a candidate or elected at the election to which the election petition relates;

(c) a person claiming to have been a candidate at the election to which the election petition relates; and

(d) the AttorneyGeneral.

99. *Any of the following reliefs may be claimed in an election petition:*

(a) a declaration that the election was void; or

(b) a declaration that any candidate was duly elected."

In light of the above **My Lord,** Rule 9 of the High Court (Election Petition) Rules of 2026 further stipulates the form in which an Election Petition must be filed, which is as follows:

" (1) A person who intends to challenge the election of a Member of Parliament shall file an election petition in Form III set out in the First Schedule on payment of a fee set out in the Second Schedule.

(2) An election petition referred to under subrule (1) shall disclose the— (a) name and address of a petitioner or the petitioner's legal practitioner, if any; (b) constituency in which an election being challenged was held; (c) outcome or results of an election being challenged; (d) date of declaration of the results of an election being challenged; (e) grounds relied on; and (f) relief sought by a petitioner.

(3) An election petition referred to under subrule (1) shall be accompanied by— (a) an affidavit verifying facts; (b) skeleton arguments of not more

than fifteen pages, in font size 12 and with double spacing; (c) a list of authorities and copies of those authorities; (d) a list and description of documents to be relied on, if any; and (e) a bundle of documents, if any.

(4) An election petition shall be served on a respondent in accordance with rule 14.

(5) Subject to the Act, an election petition shall be personally signed by a petitioner or by all the petitioners, if the petitioners are more than one.

(6) Subject to the Act, a petitioner shall, within five days of filing an election petition, deposit security for costs not exceeding eight thousand fee units as the Court may order.

(7) Where a petitioner fails to deposit security for costs in accordance with subrule (6), a Court shall not hear and determine an election petition or any other proceedings relating to that election petition."

CONCLUSION

My Lord, it is on the premise of the foregoing that the Petitioners Petition is properly before this Honourable Court for determination.

WE HUMBLY SUBMIT

Dated the _____ day of _____ 2026

Drawn by: _____

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AFFIDAVIT IN REPLY TO THE 2ND RESPONDENT'S AFFIDAVIT IN OPPOSITION TO THE ELECTION PETITION

I, **LEE KABASO MUKUPA** a Zambian national and businessman ordinarily resident at Plot 64A/ Northgate, of Lusaka District of Lusaka Province of the Republic of Zambia do **HEREBY MAKE OATH** and **SAY** as follows:

1) That my name and address are as stated above.
2) That I am the Petitioner herein and by virtue of which I am competent to swear this Affidavit from facts within my personal knowledge and belief.

3) That in relation to the 2nd Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition to my Affidavit verifying facts, I wish to respond as follows;

4) That I make no comment to the contents of paragraphs 1 to 8 of the 2nd Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition.

5) That in response to paragraph 9 of the 2nd Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition, I wish to state that the declaration of the 1st Respondent as the duly elected Member pf Parliament for Lima Constituency was wrongly done as the 1st Respondent, his agents and supporters were involved in illegalities thereby making the environment on voting day not favourable for the Petitioner and his supporters to participate.

6) That contrary to the contents of paragraph 10 of the 2nd s Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition, I will maintain the contents of paragraphs 7 to 17 of my Affidavit Verifying Facts filed on 28th August,2026.

7) That in reaction to the contents of paragraph 11 of the 2nd Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition, I will make no comment.

8) That in reaction to paragraph 12 of the 2nd Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition, I will insist and maintain the contents of paragraphs 19 to 22 of my Affidavit Verifying Facts and further state that concerns how the poll was conducted were raised with the 2nd Respondent as there is evidence to that effect.

9) That in reaction to the contents of paragraph 13 of the 2nd Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition, I will insist and maintain the contents of paragraph 23 of my Affidavit Verifying Facts filed on 28th August,2026.

10) That the contents of this my Affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SWORN by the said)
LEE KABASO MUKUPA)
At Lusaka this 15...day of)
.....September.....2026)

DEPONENT

BEFORE ME:.....
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS

MAJOR PATRICK MPUNDU
B.L.L.B.LANCZ,ASCZ
Practitioner
COMMISSIONER OF OATHS

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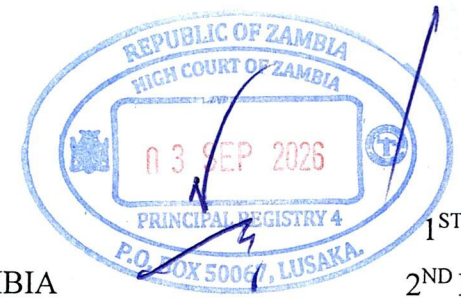

1ST RESPONDENT'S AFFIDAVIT IN OPPOSITION TO THE PETITION

I, Kelvin Kaunda, a Zambian National of 7506 Mzime Close, Roma, in the City and Province of Lusaka in the Republic of Zambia do hereby make OATH and SAY that:

1. My full name, nationality and address are as set out above.

2. I am the 1st Respondent in this matter and therefore depose to this my affidavit in opposition to the Petitioner's petition which seeks to challenge my election as Member of Parliament for Lima Constituency.

3. I have read the Petitioner's petition and affidavit verifying facts and respond thereto as below.

4. I do not dispute the contents of paragraphs 1 to 6 of the Petitioner's affidavit.

5. In response to paragraph 7 of the Petitioner's affidavit, I categorically deny having engaged with my agents in any illegal practices such as undue influence, threats, intimidation, violence or at all.

6. Contrary to paragraph 8 of the Petitioner's affidavit, I did not engage in any illegalities and none of my agents engaged in any illegal acts. The alleged Peter Mumbi and Daniel Sakala were not my agents. Now produced, shown to me and collectively marked **KK1** are true copies of the polling station results announcement forms which were signed by my duly appointed representatives and the alleged two individuals were not among them.

7. Further to the preceding paragraph, the agents I appointed and submitted to the 2nd Respondent after nominations were Cosmas Mumba Chisanga and Chileshe Timothy.

8. In response to paragraph 9 of the Petitioner's affidavit, I deny that there were illegalities particularly committed by myself or any of my agents across the entire Lima Constituency, or at all. I further wish to state that if at all there were any threats of violence, intimidation of voters and physical assaults as alleged by the Petitioner, the same were not committed by me or my agents and I have no connection to the same.

9. I vehemently deny the contents of paragraphs 10 and 11 of the Petitioner's affidavit. I never attacked any person during my campaigns and none of my agents did so.

10. I am not privy to any of the events or occurrences alleged in paragraphs 12 to 14 of the Petitioner's affidavit and wish to state that if at all any violence happened, the same did not happen at my instance and was not committed by any of my agents.

11. I deny the contents of paragraph 15 of the Petitioner's affidavit and state that no acts of threats and intimidation were committed by me and my agents on 13th August 2026, or at all. I further wish to state that on 13th August 2026, being the poling day, I did not in fact go round the polling stations. On the polling day, I first went to Barlastone polling station to cast my vote, after that I proceeded to escort the NRPUP presidential candidate

to cast his vote at Olympia park Secondary School, which is outside Lima Constituency, and after that I returned home to wait for the announcement of the results after the close of the polls.

12. I deny the allegations contained in paragraph 16 of the Petitioner's affidavit and reiterate my position in the preceding paragraph. Additionally, based on the information which was provided by my polling agents, and which information I verily believe to be true, there was a heavy presence of officers from the Zambia Police Service and Zambia Army at polling stations, such that no one could have even dared to engage in acts of violence or other illegalities at the polling stations.

13. I categorically deny the contents of paragraph 17 of the Petitioner's affidavit and state that the voter turnout in Lima Constituency was not in any way affected by any of the Petitioner's alleged illegalities, or at all, but was in consistent with the low voter turnout which was generally experienced across the country, with the national voter turnout standing at 57.23% as was announced by the 2nd Respondent during the declaration of the presidential election results.

14. Paragraph 18 of the Petitioner's affidavit is not in contention. As the results will show, I got more than 70% of parliamentary votes in Lima Constituency, and particularly beat the Petitioner, who was my runner up, by 14,716 votes.

15. I deny paragraph 19 of the Petitioner's affidavit and state that I and my agents did not engage in any acts of violence. Further, I wish to add that I do not even know the Petitioner's supporters so as to have attacked them and targeted violence specifically at them and allegedly resulting in only the Petitioner's supporters failing to vote.

16. I deny the contents of paragraph 20 of the Petitioner's affidavit and add that I am not aware of the alleged report to the presiding officers at the polling stations because the same was never brought to my attention.

17. Paragraph 21 of the Petitioner's affidavit is denied. The election result was a true reflection of the will of the voters in Lima Constituency and is consistent with the results obtained in Ward, Mayoral, and Presidential elections under Lima Constituency. The results clearly show that the majority of the electorates in the Constituency voted for NRPUP candidates at all levels. Now produced, shown to me and collectively marked

KK2 are true copies of Presidential, Mayoral, and Ward election declarations for Lima Constituency.

18. Paragraph 22 of the Petitioner's affidavit is denied. I wish to state that the parliamentary election in Lima Constituency was not marred with irregularities and I am not aware of any reports which the Petitioner allegedly made to the presiding officers.

19. Paragraph 23 of the Petitioner's affidavit is denied. I did not engage in any illegalities with my agents and the elections results were a true reflection of the wish of the electorates under Lima Constituency. In the premises, I verily believe that I was validly elected as Member of Parliament.

20. I also wish to add that contrary to the Petitioner's allegations of violence on my part and my agents, it was in fact the Petitioner and his supporters who constantly harassed my supporters and disturbed my campaigns. However, I always advised my team to exercise restraint and avoid politics of violence and intimidation. By way of example, my campaign team was on 10th July 2026 attacked and assaulted by a group of individuals dressed in campaign materials for the UPND. The incident took place in Barlastone area. Rather than reacting with violence, I advised my supporters to exercise restraint and campaign peacefully. I also called upon the Petitioner to control his supporters and avoid violence. Now produced, shown to me and marked **KK3** is a printout of the Facebook post I made in reaction to the attacks on my supporters.

21. I depose to the above information verily believing the same to be true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

SWORN by the said Kelvin Kaunda)
At Lusaka this 31st day of August 2026)

Deponent

BEFORE ME: _____
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS

ELIJAH KALUBA
LLB, AHCZ
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REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA HIGH COURT OF ZAMBIA 03 SEP 2026 PRINCIPAL REGISTRY P.O. BOX 50067, LUSAKA.

CERTIFICATE OF EXHIBITS

I CERTIFY THAT these are the exhibits referred to in the affidavit of Kelvin Kaunda and marked therein as KK1 to KK3.

EMMA KALUBA
ADMITTED & ENROLLED
31 AUG 2026
ADVOCATE
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS

Commissioner for Oaths

KK1 (a)

GEN 20a
Regulations 49(2)
(Complete in triplicate)

THE REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA

The Electoral Process Act, 2016

(Act No.35 of 2016)

The Electoral Process (General) Regulations, 2021

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RESULT OF THE POLL

~~PRESIDENTIAL~~ / MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT/ ~~MAYOR/COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON/COUNCILLOR*~~

I, Chinyama Sydney Mwansi being the Presiding Officer for Mosen - 9
(Presiding Officer's Name in full in BLOCK CAPITAL) *(Name and Number of Polling Station)*

in Lima - 01050191 Constituency do hereby announce that I have, in accordance with the law, counted the votes of the poll in the said polling station and that they have been given to:

No.	Name of Candidate	Party/Independent	Votes (in figures)	Votes (in words)
1.	Kaunda Kelvin	NRPUP	271	Two hundred seventyone
2.	Mukupa Lee.K	UPND	96	ninety - six
3.	Sinyangwe Moffat	7MP	03	Three
4.	Mwamwinoze Bebra	BP	01	one
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I further declare that a total of nine (09) ballot papers have been rejected by me as invalid and that a total of three hundred - eighty votes were cast.

Dated this 13th day of August 20 16 Signed: .....

Witnessed by:

Name/Party	Signature	Name/Party	Signature	Name/Organisation	Signature
Mens UPND		Mens UPND		Mens UPND	
Roster NRPUP		Roster NRPUP		Roster NRPUP	
IND	J Twaamba	IND	J Twaamba	Polling Agent	J Twaamba
(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)	

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RESULT OF THE POLL
PRESIDENTIAL / MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT/ MAYOR/COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON/COUNCILLOR*

I, NAMUSA NAMUSA being the Presiding Officer for CHUNGA SEC. SCH – 04
(Presiding Officer's Name in full in BLOCK CAPITAL) *(Name and Number of Polling Station)*

in LIMA – 01050191 Constituency do hereby announce that I have, in accordance with the law, counted the votes of the poll in the said polling station and that they have been given to:

No.	Name of Candidate	Party/Independent	Votes (in figures)	Votes (in words)
1.	KAUNDA KELVIN	NRPUP	320	THREE HUNDRED AND TWENTY
2.	MUKUPA LEE K	UPND	147	ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVEN
3.	SINYANGWE MOFFAT	ZMP	09	NINE
4.	MARAMIDZE BARBRA	SP	09	NINE
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I further declare that a total of 06 (SIX) ballot papers have been rejected by me as invalid and that a total of 491 (FOUR HUNDRED NINETY ONE) votes were cast.

Dated this 13TH day of AUGUST 2021 Signed: .....

Witnessed by:

Name/Party	Signature	Name/Party	Signature	Name/Organisation	Signature
CECILIA SAMPA NRPUP				CHILD WELFARE INVITATION	
MICHEAL NDOVI UPND					
SHEILA MUNSYA UPND					
TIMOTHY CHILU (LIFEMS)					
[illegible]					
EMELY MUTALE (NRPUP)					
[illegible]		GAZE			
WEBSTER [illegible]				SACCORD	
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ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RESULT OF THE POLL
PRESIDENTIAL / MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT/ MAYOR/COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON/COUNCILLOR*

I, SALITSO MSADALA being the Presiding Officer for NELSON MANDELA SEC SCH 04
(Presiding Officer's Name in full in BLOCK CAPITAL) *(Name and Number of Polling Station)*

in LIMA Constituency do hereby announce that I have, in accordance with the law, counted the votes of the poll in the said polling station and that they have been given to:

No.	Name of Candidate	Party/Independent	Votes (in figures)	Votes (in words)
1.	KELVIN KAUNDA	NRPUP	239	TWO HUNDRED THIRTY NINE
2.	MUKUPA LEE K	UPND	188	ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY EIGHTY
3.	MARAMWINDIKE BARBRAC	SP	05	FIVE
4.	SINYANGWE MOFAT	ZMP	04	FOR
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I further declare that a total of TEN (10) ballot papers have been rejected by me as invalid and that a total of 446 votes were cast.

Dated this 13TH day of AUGUST 2026 Signed: .....

Witnessed by:

Name/Party	Signature	Name/Party	Signature	Name/Organisation	Signature
NRPUP					
SP					
UPND					
(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)	

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RESULT OF THE POLL

~~PRESIDENTIAL~~ / MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT/ ~~MAYOR/COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON/COUNCILLOR*~~

I, KABULULA KELVIN ..... being the Presiding Officer for LUBUTO – 06 .....,
(Presiding Officer's Name in full in BLOCK CAPITAL) *(Name and Number of Polling Station)*

in LIMA – 01050191 ..... Constituency do hereby announce that I have, in accordance with the law, counted the votes of the poll in the said polling station and that they have been given to:

No.	Name of Candidate	Party/Independent	Votes (in figures)	Votes (in words)
1.	KAUNDA KELVIN	NRPUP	323	Three hundred twenty three
2.	MUKUPA LEE	UPND	78	Seventy eight
3.	SINJANGWE MOFFAI	ZMP	07	seven
4.	MARAMWIDZA BARBRA	SP	02	two
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I further declare that a total of 22 ..... ballot papers have been rejected by me as invalid and that a total of 432 ..... votes were cast.

Dated this 14th day of AUGUST 20 26 Signed: .....

Witnessed by:

Name/Party	Signature	Name/Party	Signature	Name/Organisation	Signature
UPND MARRY MULUNGA					
IND JANET CHUNG					
IND ANGOLA CHIVESHE					
NELSON NRPUP	N. BANDA				
KAUMBA MUKONDA		SOCIALISTY			
(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)	

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RESULT OF THE POLL
PRESIDENTIAL / MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT/ MAYOR/COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON/COUNCILLOR*

I, KANGOMBA CHIMASEN M ..... being the Presiding Officer for ..... ,
(Presiding Officer's Name in full in BLOCK CAPITAL) *(Name and Number of Polling Station)*

in LUSU - 01/20/01 ..... Constituency do hereby announce that I have, in accordance with the law, counted the votes of the poll in the said polling station and that they have been given to:

No.	Name of Candidate	Party/Independent	Votes (in figures)	Votes (in words)
1.	MAINZA CHAMA	ANDP	257	TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY SEVEN
2.	MWAPA LEE	UPND	69	SIXTY-NINE
3.	SIMWINGA MUSAMA	ZMP	06	SIX
4.	MAAMBO BANDA	SP	01	ONE
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I further declare that a total of 13 THIRTEEN ..... ballot papers have been rejected by me as invalid and that a total of 333 - THREE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THREE ..... votes were cast.

Dated this 13 ..... day of AUGUST ..... 20 26 ..... Signed: .....

Witnessed by:

Name/Party	Signature	Name/Party	Signature	Name/Organisation	Signature
ZMP		ZMP		ZMP	
UPND		UPND		UPND	
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ANDP		ANDP			
NDP		NDP			
(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)	

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RESULT OF THE POLL
PRESIDENTIAL / MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT/ MAYOR/COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON/COUNCILLOR*

I, ARTHUR LYANDILA SHIMOTWE being the Presiding Officer for GEORGE COMMUNITY CENTRE - 01,
(Presiding Officer's Name in full in BLOCK CAPITAL) *(Name and Number of Polling Station)*

in LIMA - 01050191 Constituency do hereby announce that I have, in accordance with the law, counted the votes of the poll in the said polling station and that they have been given to:

No.	Name of Candidate	Party/Independent	Votes (in figures)	Votes (in words)
1.	KAUNDA KELVIN	NRPUP	134	ONE HUNDRED THIRTY - FOUR
2.	MUKUPA LEE K	UPND	39	THIRTY - NINE
3.	SINYANGWE M.OFFAT	ZMP	04	FOUR
4.	MAPAMWIDZE F. BRAC	SP	00	ZERO
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I further declare that a total of TEN (10) ballot papers have been rejected by me as invalid and that a total of 187 - ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY SEVEN votes were cast.

Dated this 12 day of 08 20 26. Signed: .....

Witnessed by:

Name/Party	Signature	Name/Party	Signature	Name/Organisation	Signature
DORIS KANDA UPND					
Catherine Lungu NRPUP	C. Lungu			SHADRICK MATANDA G.I.Z	
Edward Chilesheno					
DAREEN SIMUKO NRPUP					
(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)	

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RESULT OF THE POLL
PRESIDENTIAL / MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT/ MAYOR/COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON/COUNCILLOR*

I, MCS MARI MUMBA being the Presiding Officer for JOSAMU UCZ COMMUNITY SCH 02
(Presiding Officer's Name in full in BLOCK CAPITAL) *(Name and Number of Polling Station)*

in LIMA-01050151 Constituency do hereby announce that I have, in accordance with the law, counted the votes of the poll in the said polling station and that they have been given to:

No.	Name of Candidate	Party/Independent	Votes (in figures)	Votes (in words)
1.	KAUNDA KELVIN	NDPUP	272	TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY-TWO
2.	MULUPA HELEN K.	UPND	65	SIXTY-FIVE
3.	SINYANGWE MOSES	ZMF	09	NINE
4.	NGAMBI DE BANDA	SP	05	FIVE
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I further declare that a total of 09 ballot papers have been rejected by me as invalid and that a total of 360 votes were cast.

Dated this 13 day of AUGUST 20 26 Signed: .....

Witnessed by:

Name/Party	Signature	Name/Party	Signature	Name/Organisation	Signature
NDPUP					
NDPUP					
UPND					
(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)	

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RESULT OF THE POLL

~~PRESIDENTIAL~~ / MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT/ ~~MAYOR/COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON/COUNCILLOR~~*

I, CHINYAMA SYDNEY NYONJI being the Presiding Officer for MESENI - 9
(Presiding Officer's Name in full in BLOCK CAPITAL) *(Name and Number of Polling Station)*

in LIMA - 01050191 Constituency do hereby announce that I have, in accordance with the law, counted the votes of the poll in the said polling station and that they have been given to:

No.	Name of Candidate	Party/Independent	Votes (in figures)	Votes (in words)
1.	KAUNDA KELVIN	NRPUP	271	TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY ONE
2.	MUKUPA LEE-K	UPND	96	NINETY-SIX
3.	SINYANGWE MURRAY	ZMP	03	THREE
4.	MARA MWIINZE BARBRA	SP	01	ONE
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I further declare that a total of NINE (09) ballot papers have been rejected by me as invalid and that a total of Three hundred Eighty votes were cast.

Dated this ..... day of ..... 20 ..... Signed: .....

Witnessed by:

Name/Party	Signature	Name/Party	Signature	Name/Organisation	Signature
NOSLOT NRPUP	~~[illegible]~~	NOSLOT NRPUP	[illegible]	NOSLOT NRPUP	~~[illegible]~~
IND	J Twaamba	IND	J Twaamba	Booking	J Twaamba
MEMBER UPND	~~[illegible]~~	MEMBER UPND	[illegible]	MEMBER UPND	~~[illegible]~~
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ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RESULT OF THE POLL
PRESIDENTIAL / MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT/ MAYOR/COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON/COUNCILLOR*

I, SITIMELA MAVINIS being the Presiding Officer for IKIZITO COMMUNITY SCHOOL - 01
(Presiding Officer's Name in full in BLOCK CAPITAL) *(Name and Number of Polling Station)*

in CHAISAILI LUSAKA Constituency do hereby announce that I have, in accordance with the law, counted the votes of the poll in the said polling station and that they have been given to:

No.	Name of Candidate	Party/Independent	Votes (in figures)	Votes (in words)
1.	KAUNDA KENNA	NRPUP	241	TWO HUNDRED FORTY-ONE
2.	MUKUPA LEE.K.	UPND	59	FIFTY-NINE
3.	SINJANGWE MOFFAT	ZMP	06	SIX
4.	MAKAMWILA BARRIC	SP	02	TWO
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I further declare that a total of ..... ballot papers have been rejected by me as invalid and that a total of ..... votes were cast.

Dated this 12TH day of AUGUST 20 26 Signed: .....

Witnessed by:

Name/Party	Signature	Name/Party	Signature	Name/Organisation	Signature
Independent	R Moala				
NRPUP					
UPND					
(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)	

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RESULT OF THE POLL
PRESIDENTIAL / MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT/ MAYOR/COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON/COUNCILLOR*

I, EMMANUEL TOKA being the Presiding Officer for MUCHINGA PRIM SCH 06,
(Presiding Officer's Name in full in BLOCK CAPITAL) *(Name and Number of Polling Station)*

in LIMA 01050191 Constituency do hereby announce that I have, in accordance with the law, counted the votes of the poll in the said polling station and that they have been given to:

No.	Name of Candidate	Party/Independent	Votes (in figures)	Votes (in words)
1.	KAUNDA KELVIN	NRPUP	309	THREE HUNDRED AND NINE
2.	MUKUPA LEE K	UPND	118	HUNDRED AND EIGHTEEN
3.	MARAMWIDZE BARBRA C	SP	04	FOUR
4.	SINYANGWE MOFFAT	ZMP	00	ZERO
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I further declare that a total of 14 ballot papers have been rejected by me as invalid and that a total of 445 votes were cast.

Dated this 13th day of AUGUST 2026. Signed: .....

Witnessed by:

Name/Party	Signature	Name/Party	Signature	Name/Organisation	Signature
JOSEPHINE · S.				UPND	
Jana · m.	J. m			nrupnp	J. m
MARY · L	M. Liwoyo			nrpup	Liwoyo. m.
MANCY · K MUMBA				UPND	
(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)		(Name and Signature of Agents)	

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(Act No.35 of 2016)

The Electoral Process (General) Regulations, 2016
(Regulations 5 and 32)

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I. CHILESHE TIMOTHY
Surname *Other Names*

having been appointed AGENT do hereby

*swear/solemnly and sincerely affirm that:

(a) I will carry out the duties required of me as a result of my appointment impartially and to the best of my ability without fear or favour to any person or persons; and

(b) I will not directly or indirectly reveal to any person any matter that may come to my knowledge or notice as a result of my appointment unless so authorised by law.

(c) I will diligently discharge my duties in accordance with the law and shall abide with the Electoral Code of Conduct.

Signed: T. Chileshe

*Sworn/Affirmed before me this 20 day of MAY 20 26

Signed .....

Name in BLOCK LETTERS .....

*Subordinate Court Magistrate / Local Court Magistrate / Electoral Officer/Returning Officer/Commissioner for Oaths/Head of Government School/Principal of a College.

* In case of candidate, election agent or polling agent delete paragraph (a)

***Delete were inapplicable.**

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(Complete in triplicate)

REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA
The Electoral Process Act, 2016
(Act No.35 of 2016)

The Electoral Process (General) Regulations, 2016
(Regulations 5 and 32)

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I. Cosmas Muma Chiswex
Surname *Other Names*

having been appointed AGENT do hereby

*swear/solemnly and sincerely affirm that:

(a) I will carry out the duties required of me as a result of my appointment impartially and to the best of my ability without fear or favour to any person or persons; and

(b) I will not directly or indirectly reveal to any person any matter that may come to my knowledge or notice as a result of my appointment unless so authorised by law.

(c) I will diligently discharge my duties in accordance with the law and shall abide with the Electoral Code of Conduct.

Signed: .....

*Sworn/Affirmed before me this 20 day of MAY 20 26

Signed .....

Name in BLOCK LETTERS .....

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ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA

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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, NCHIMUNYA AUSTERN being the Returning Officer for LIMA 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	22,486	Twenty-Two Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty-Six
HICHILEMA S Hakainde	UPND	8,578	Eight Thousand Five Hundred and Seventy-Eight
NJOBVU A Ackim	DU	110	One Hundred and Ten
KALABA Harry	CF	59	Fifty-Nine
BWALYA F Kelvin	ZMP	47	Forty-Seven
M'MEMBE Fred	SP	42	Forty-Two
CHUNGU F Xavier	LDP	23	Twenty-Three
MUSHIMBA Brian	OPP	11	Eleven
KATUTA Given	IND	10	Ten
CHANSA M Given	MEE	9	Nine
PULE C Daniel	CDP	7	Seven
SILUMBE Richard	LM	6	Six
KUNDA Howard	ZAWAPA	5	Five
SIAMUNENE Richwell	NFP	3	Three

I further declare that a total of 856 ballot papers have been rejected as invalid and that a total of 32,252 Votes were cast.

Dated this 15 day of August, 2026

Signature: .....

Witnessed by:

Name	Organisation	Signature	Name	Organisation	Signature
Geoffrey Banda	NRPUP				
Patrick Sepeti	NRPUP				
C. Mizinga	UPND				
Richard Mutika	TIZ				

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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.

KK2(b)

REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA

ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA

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

DECLARATION OF THE RESULTS OF THE POLL - Member of Parliament

I, NCHIMUNYA AUSTERN being the Returning Officer for LIMA Constituency, LUSAKA 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)
KAUNDA Kelvin	NRPUP	22,760	Twenty-Two Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty
MUKUPA K Lee	UPND	8,041	Eight Thousand and Forty-One
SINYANGWE Moffat	ZMP	477	Four Hundred and Seventy-Seven
MARAMWIDZE C Barbra	SP	412	Four Hundred and Twelve

I further declare that a total of 732 ballot papers have been rejected as invalid and that a total of 32,422 Votes were cast.

I therefore declare that the said KAUNDA Kelvin to be this day duly elected as Member of Parliament for LIMA Constituency.

Dated this 15 day of August, 2026 Signature: .....

Witnessed by:

Name	Organisation	Signature	Name	Organisation	Signature
RICHARD MUSOKA	TIZ				
SIMIZINGA	UPND				
PATRICK SEGESI	NRP				

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.

KK 2 (c)

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 - Mayor/Council Chairperson

I, Nchimunya Austern being the Returning Officer for LIMA Constituency, do hereby announce that I have, inaccordance with the law, ascertained the results of the poll in the said district and that they have been given to:

Name of Candidate	Political Party	Votes	Votes (in words)
KIBOMBWE I Gabriel	NRPUP	20,054	Twenty Thousand and Fifty-Four
MWEWA Chitambala	UPND	8,728	Eight Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty-Eight
MWILA Simon	IND	2,072	Two Thousand and Seventy-Two
BANDA C Namuchiya	IND	399	Three Hundred and Ninety-Nine
KABOLE Chrispin	IND	347	Three Hundred and Forty-Seven
NYIRENDA David	CF	149	One Hundred and Forty-Nine

I further declare that a total of 699 ballot papers have been rejected as invalid and that a total of 32,448 Votes were cast.

Dated this 15 day of August, 2026 Signature: .....

Witnessed by:

Name	Organisation	Signature	Name	Organisation	Signature
Geoffrey BANDA	NRPUP				
PATRICK SEMFUMU	NRPUP				
C. MIZINGA	UPND				
RICHARD MONZA	TIZ				

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(Act No. 35 of 2016)

The Electoral Process (General) Regulation, 2021

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

DECLARATION OF THE RESULTS OF THE POLL - Councilor

I, Nchimunya Austern being the Returning Officer for LIMA Ward, LUSAKA District, do hereby declare that I have, inaccordance with the law, ascertained the results of the poll in the said ward and that they have been given to:

Name of Candidate	Political Party	Votes	Votes (in words)
BULAKA Donald	NRPUP	7,300	Seven Thousand Three Hundred
MUKOMONGO K David	UPND	2,234	Two Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty-Four
MWEWA C Daniel	IND	1,155	One Thousand One Hundred and Fifty-Five
ZIMBA Moses	RP	952	Nine Hundred and Fifty-Two
ZULU Misheck	IND	530	Five Hundred and Thirty
BANDA Austern	ZMP	382	Three Hundred and Eighty-Two
MWESHI M Lawrence	IND	137	One Hundred and Thirty-Seven
NG'AMBI Newton	SP	73	Seventy-Three

I further declare that a total of 492 ballot papers have been rejected as invalid and that a total of 13,255 Votes were cast.

I therefore declare that the said BULAKA Donald to be this day duly elected as Member of the LUSAKA Council for LIMA ward.

Dated this 16 day of August, 2026 Signature: .....

Witnessed by:

Name	Organisation	Signature	Name	Organisation	Signature
RICHARD Mwanza	TIZ				

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.



Hon. Kelvin Kaunda
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WE ARE MORE THAN CAPABLE OF DEFENDING OURSELVES IN LIMA CONSTITUENCY

I have learnt with great concern of reports that opposition sympathizers were yesterday attacked and assaulted by suspected UPND cadres in the Barlastone area of Lima Constituency.

Political violence has no place in our democracy. Every Zambian, regardless of political affiliation, has the constitutional right to freely associate, campaign and express their political views without fear of intimidation, harassment or physical attack.

I therefore wish to strongly caution Mr. Lee Mukupa and the UPND leadership in both Lima and Matero constituencies against provoking members and supporters of the opposition. While our members are more than capable of defending themselves and clearly the majority, our preference is for peace, restraint and respect for the rule of law.

The people of Lima deserve issue-based campaigns, not violence and intimidation. Elections should be won through ideas, policies

The people of Lima deserve issue-based campaigns, not violence and intimidation. Elections should be won through ideas, policies and the confidence of the electorate–not through fear or acts of aggression.

I call upon all political parties, their supporters and campaign teams to exercise maximum restraint and conduct peaceful campaigns. I also urge the Zambia Police Service to thoroughly investigate yesterday's incident and ensure that those responsible are held accountable in accordance with the law.

Let us safeguard peace before, during and after the elections. Violence benefits no one and only undermines our democratic process.

Kelvin Kaunda
Aspiring Member of Parliament – Lima Constituency
National Reconciliation Party for Unity and Prosperity (NRPUP)



IN THE HIGH COURT FOR ZAMBIA **2026/HP/EP/020**
AT THE PRINCIPAL REGISTRY
HOLDEN AT LUSAKA

(Election Jurisdiction)

IN THE MATTER OF: **THE PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION PETITION FOR LIMA CONSTTUENCY SITUATE IN LUSAKA DISTRICT OF THE LUSAKA PROVINCE OF THE REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA HELD ON 13TH AUGUST 2026**

IN THE MATTER OF: **ARTICLE 73 (1) OF THE CONSTITUTION OF ZAMBIA AS READ WITH SECTION 98 (C) OF THE ELECTORAL PROCESS ACT NUMBER 35 OF 2016**

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IN THE MATTER OF: **THE SCHEDULE TO THE ELECTORAL PROCESS ACT NO 35 OF 2016**

IN THE MATTER OF: **THE ELECTORAL (CODE OF CONDUCT) REGULATIONS 2011 STATUTORY INSTRUMENT NO.52 OF 2011**

IN THE MATTER OF: **THE ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA ACT NO. 25 OF 2016**

BETWEEN:

LEE KABASO MUKUPA **PETITIONER**

AND
KELVIN KAUNDA **1ST RESPONDENT**

ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA **2ND RESPONDENT**

REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA HIGH COURT OF ZAMBIA 11 SEP 2026 PRINCIPAL REGISTRY P.O. BOX 50067, LUSAKA.

AFFIDAVIT IN REPLY TO THE 1ST RESPONDENT'S AFFIDAVIT IN OPPOSITION TO THE ELECTION PETITION

I, **LEE KABASO MUKUPA** a Zambian national and businessman ordinarily resident at Plot 64A/ Northgate, of Lusaka District of Lusaka Province of the Republic of Zambia do **HEREBY MAKE OATH** and **SAY** as follows:

1) That my name and address are as stated above.
2) That I am the Petitioner herein and by virtue of which I am competent to swear this Affidavit from facts within my personal knowledge and belief.

3) That in relation to the 1st Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition to my Affidavit verifying facts, I wish to respond as follows;

4) That I make no comment to the contents of paragraphs 1 to 5 of the 1st Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition.

5) That in response to the 1st Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition, I will maintain the contents of 7 of my Affidavit Verifying facts and further state that there is sufficient evidence to demonstrate that the 1st Respondent and his agents were directly linked to the violence, threats and intimidation.

6) That contrary to the contents of paragraph 6 of the 1st Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition, I will maintain the contents of paragraph 8 of Affidavit.

7) That I make no comment to the contents of paragraph 7 of the Affidavit in Opposition as the same is in the 1st Respondent's peculiar knowledge.

8) That in response to the contents of paragraph 8 of the Affidavit in Opposition, I will maintain my submissions of paragraph 9 thereon.

9) That in response to the contents of paragraphs 9 and 10 above, I wish to state that I will maintain the facts stated in paragraphs 10 and 11 of my Affidavit Verifying facts.

10) That in response to the contents of paragraph 11 of the 1st Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition, I will state that the 1st Respondent, his agents and supporters caused violence on the poll day in all the 14 polling stations in Lima constituency.

11) That pursuant to the contents of paragraph 10 above, the 1st Respondent on the poll day posted the following words on his facebook page; ***"Thank you, ba Lima, for entrusting us with the responsibility to serve and preside over the affairs of our constituency. Your trust means everything to us. I am forever indebted to you for your confidence and support"*** Now produced

and shown to me marked **" LKM1"** is an extract of the 1st Respondent's Facebook.

12) That in response to the contents of paragraph 12 of the 1st Respondent's Affidavit, I will maintain the contents of paragraph 16 of my Affidavit.

13) That in response to paragraph 13 of the Affidavit in Opposition, as a result the violence and acts of intimidation caused by the 1st Respondent his agents and supporters, most of my supporters stayed away from voting for fear of their lives and those of their loved ones.

14) That further to the above paragraph, Lima Constituency has a total of 68,652 voters but only a total number 32,000. Now produced and shown to me marked **"LKM2-3"** are copies of the declaration of results and sheet for number of voters.

15) That in response to the contents of paragraph 14 of the Affidavit in Opposition, I will not make any comment.

16) That in response to the contents of paragraphs 15 ,17 and 16 of the Affidavit in Opposition, I will maintain the contents of paragraphs 19 ,20 and 21 of my Affidavit verifying facts.

17) That in response to the contents of paragraph 14 of the 1st Respondent's Affidavit in Opposition, the same are partially admitted to the extent that he won by 14,716 votes but will hastily state that the Lima Constituency election was not free and fair as the same was marred with violence, threats and intimidation caused by the 1st Respondent, supporters and agents.

18) That in response to the contents of paragraphs 15 and 16 of the Affidavit in Opposition, I wish to maintain the contents of paragraphs 19 and of my Affidavit in support that the 1st Respondent, his supporters and agents were very violent towards my supporters.

19) That in response to the contents of paragraph17 of the Affidavit in Opposition, I will maintain the contents of paragraph 21 and further state that the Parliamentary election in Lima Constituency was not free and fair as the same was marred with violence, intimidation and threats directed at my supporters and agents.

20) That as regards the contents of paragraph 18 of the Affidavit in Opposition, I wish to maintain the contents of paragraph 22 of my Affidavit.

21) That as regards the contents paragraph 19 of the Affidavit in Opposition, I wish to maintain the contents of paragraph 19 above.

22) That as regards the contents of paragraph 20 of the Affidavit in Opposition, it appears the 1st Respondent is conflicting himself. In paragraph 15 of the said Affidavit hereto, the 1st Respondent stated that he does not know the Petitioner's supporters.

23) That in respect of the above, I have been advised by my Advocates and believe the same to be true that the conduct of the 1st and 2nd Respondents is wrongful and the same, contravened the electoral rules as such, renders the election of the of the Respondent as Member of Parliament for Lima Constituency void and I seek, the reliefs stated in my Petition.

24) That the contents of this my Affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SWORN by the said)
LEE KABASO MUKUPA) **DEPONENT**
At Lusaka this ....11.....day of)
.....Sept.....2026)

BEFORE ME:.....
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS

REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA
HIGH COURT OF ZAMBIA
11 SEP 2026
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P.O. BOX 50067, LUSAKA

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AND

KELVIN KAUNDA **1ST RESPONDENT**

ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA **2ND RESPONDENT**

2nd RESPONDENT'S AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF ANSWER

I, Nchimunya Austern Hamuvwimi, a Zambian National of plot 6476 Meanwood Kwamwene in Chongwe District, in the Lusaka Province of the Republic of Zambia **DO HEREBY** make **OATH** and say as follows:

1. That my name, nationality and residential address is as stated above.

2. That I was the Returning Officer for the Lima Constituency elections as an agent of the 2nd Respondent and by reason thereof competent to depose to this affidavit from facts within my personal knowledge and belief.
3. That I have read what purports to be an affidavit verifying facts in election petition ("the affidavit") deposed to by one **Lee Kabaso Mukupa** and therefore wish to respond as follows;
4. That the contents of paragraph 1 and 2 of the affidavit are within the deponents peculiar office.
5. That the contents of paragraph 3 of the affidavit are not disputed.
6. That in response to the contents of paragraph 4 to 6 of the affidavit, I wish to respond as follows;
7. That I am aware that on the 13th August, 2026 the Parliamentary elections in Lima Constituency, situate in the Lusaka District were conducted on the 13th August, 2026 the date on which the General Elections were held throughout the Republic of Zambia.
8. That I am also aware that four candidates participated in the in Lima Constituency Parliamentary elections as follows:
    i) Kaunda Kelvin – National Reconciliation Party for Unity and Prosperity (NRPUP);
    ii) Maramwidze C Barbra – Socialist Party (SP);
    iii) Mukupa K Lee – United Party for National Development (UPND); and
    iv) Sinyangwe Moffat – Zambia Must Prosper (ZMP).
9. That after the voting and counting of the votes, on 15th August, 2026 I announced and declared the 1st Respondent as duly elected Member of Parliament for Lima Constituency following results for Member of Parliament for Lima Constituency as follows;

    i) Kaunda Kelvin – National Reconciliation Party for Unity and Prosperity (NRPUP) – 22,760 votes;
    ii) Mukupa K Lee – United Party for National Development (UPND) – 8,041 votes;
    iii) Sinyangwe Moffat – Zambia Must Prosper (ZMP) – 477 votes;
    iv) Maramwidze C Barbra – Socialist Party (SP) – 412 votes;

    Now shown and produced before me marked **"NAH 1"** is a copy of the declaration of the results of the poll.
10. That the contents of paragraph 7 to 17 are within the deponents' peculiar knowledge.

11. That in response to the contents of paragraph 18 of the affidavit, I shall repeat the contents 8 and 9 of this affidavit.
12. That the contents of paragraph 19 to 22 of the affidavit are within the deponents' peculiar knowledge.
13. That in response to the contents of paragraph 23 of the affidavit insofar as the allegation relates to the 2nd Respondent, I shall repeat the contents of paragraph 8 and 9 of this my affidavit.
14. That further to paragraph 13 above, I am advised by my advocates on record, Messrs Nsapato & Co. Advocates and verily believe the same to be true and correct that the contents of paragraph 23 of the affidavit form a basis upon which this Honourable Court has been called upon to inquire.
15. That I depose to the above facts verily believing the same to be true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SWORN BY the said)

NCHIMUNYA AUSTERN HAMUVWIMI) _____

At Lusaka this 7) DEPONENT

Day of Sept 2026)

Before me: _____

Commissioner for oaths

REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA
HIGH COURT OF ZAMBIA
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REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA HIGH COURT OF ZAMBIA 07 SEP 2026 PRINCIPAL REGISTRY P.O. BOX 50067, LUSAKA

CERTIFICATE OF EXHIBIT

This is the exhibit referred to in the affidavit of one Nchimunya Austern Hamuvwimi marked as **"NAH 1".**

Dated at Lusaka this 7 day of Sept 2026

Before me: .....

Commissioner for oaths

REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA HIGH COURT OF ZAMBIA 07 SEP 2026 COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS P.O. BOX 50067, LUSAKA

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SWORN BY the said)

NCHIMUNYA AUSTERN HAMUVWIMI) _____

At Lusaka this) DEPONENT

Day of 2026)

Before me: _____

Commissioner for oaths

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ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF ZAMBIA — 2ND RESPONDENT

REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA HIGH COURT OF ZAMBIA 03 SEP 2026 PRINCIPAL REGISTRY 4 P.O. BOX 50067, LUSAKA

1ST RESPONDENT'S ANSWER

The 1st Respondent responds as follows to the Petitioner's petition:

1. Paragraphs 1 to 4 of the petition are not in contention.

2. The 1st Respondent vehemently denies paragraph 5 of the petition and the Petitioner shall be put to strict proof. The 1st Respondent states that he was duly elected as Member of Parliament for Lima Constituency and that his election was in compliance with all relevant provisions of the Constitution of the Republic of Zambia and the Electoral Process Act No. 35 of 2016.

3. Paragraphs 6 and 7 of the petition are denied. The 1st Respondent states that he did not at any point engage in any illegal practices, whether directly by himself or indirectly through any of his agents and polling agents.

4. The 1st Respondent categorically denies having engaged with his agents in acts of undue influence, threats, intimidation, violence or campaigning at polling stations in the wards within the constituency, or at all. The 1st Respondent states that he conducted his campaigns in a cordial and peaceful manner and did not engage in any campaigns on the polling day, whether directly by himself or through his agents.

5. Paragraph 8 of the petition is vehemently denied and the petitioner will be put to strict proof. The 1st Respondent states as follows:

    i. Apart from going to Barlastone polling station where he was registered as a voter to cast his vote, the 1st Respondent did not go round polling stations in the constituency to canvas for votes on the polling day. The 1st Respondent thus denies having been seen or heard on the polling day telling voters at polling stations to vote for him.

    ii. The 1st Respondent denies having any engagement with voters at George polling station and states that he did not in fact visit George poling station during voting hours. After casting his vote at Barlastone polling station, the 1st Respondent joined the delegation which accompanied the NRPUP presidential candidate to cast his vote at Olympia Park Secondary School, a polling station which is in a different constituency, and after that he returned home to wait for the election results. The 1st Respondent further states that none of his agents engaged in campaign activities on the poling day.

    iii. The 1st Respondent denies that his election agents and himself threatened voters in the wards and at the polling stations, or at all, and repeats that his campaigns were cordial, orderly and peaceful on his part. Even when he faced provocation, threats to his person and his team, as well as actual violence against his team, which was propagated by persons clad in campaign materials for the ruling UPND, the 1st Respondent exercised restraint and advised his team not to fall into the trap and retaliate.

    iv. The 1st Respondent denies that the alleged Peter Mumbi and Tom Sakala were his agents and state that he did not tender any of these names to the 2nd Respondent as his agents. He further states that any form of violence which was propagated by these individuals or any other person, if at all, had nothing to do with the 1st Respondent and his agents.

6. Paragraph 9 of the petition is denied. The 1st Respondent states that he did not prevent any voter from casting their votes by reason of his actions or the actions of any of his agents. To the contrary, during his campaigns, the 1st Respondent encouraged all voters to turn out in large numbers and cast their votes. The 1st Respondent will also demonstrate that the voter turnout in Lima Constituency was consistent with the national turnout for the 2026 general elections as consolidated by the 2nd Respondent.

7. Paragraph 10 of the petition is denied and the petitioner will be put to strict proof. The 1st Respondent states that the results were counted and totalled at each polling station in the presence of the candidates' representatives and no representative was forced to sign for the results.

8. Paragraph 11 is within the peculiar knowledge of the Petitioner and will be accordingly put to strict proof thereof.

9. The 1st Respondent denies paragraphs 12 and 13 of the petition. The 1st Respondent further states that his election was valid and was a true reflection of the voters in Lima Constituency. For this reason, the Petitioner is not entitled to any of the reliefs sought under paragraph 13 of the petition.

Dated at Lusaka this _____ day of _____ 2026

Signed _____

Respondent

This Answer was prepared and filed by: Messrs. Emmanuel & Onesimus Legal Practitioners of Villa 38 Millennium Village, Off Birdcage Road, Long Acres, P.O. Box 51128, Lusaka – Advocates for the 1st Respondent.