Pursuant to Article 34, paragraph 1, item 18 of the Law on the Election of Members of Parliament (“Official Gazette of RS”, nos. 35/00, 57/03 – CC decision, 72/03 - other law, 18/04, 85 / 05 - other law, 101/05 - other law, 104/09 - other law, 28/11 - CC decision, 36/11, and 12/20),

The Republican Electoral Commission, at its meeting of 11 May 2020, adopted the following

**C A L E N D A R**

**OF ELECTORAL ACTIVITIES IN THE PROCESS OF ELECTIONS FOR MPs TO THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, CALLED FOR 21 JUNE 2020**

1. The deadlines for the implementation of electoral activities in the process of elections for MPs to the National Assembly, called for 21 June 2020, are determined by:

- Decision on calling elections for MPs ("Official Gazette of RS", no. 19/20),

- Decision on amending the Decision on calling elections for MPs ("Official Gazette of RS", no. 68/20),

- the Law on the Election of Members of Parliament,

- Law on Single Electoral Roll (“Official Gazette of RS”, nos. 104/09 and 99/11),

- Decision on amending the Instructions for the conduct of elections for MPs to the National Assembly, called for 26 April 2020, 02 No: 013-53 / 20 of 11 May 2020,

- Instructions for the implementation of the Law on the Single Electoral Roll (“Official Gazette of RS”, nos. 15/12 and 88/18 and 67/20).

2. The Decision on calling the elections for MPs came into force on the day of publication, 10 May 2020.

Under this Decision, the elections for MPs have been called for 21 June 2020.

3. Pursuant to the regulations referred to in item 1 of this Calendar, the deadlines are as follows:

| *Ord. no.* | *Activity* | *Deadline* |
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| **1. Uniform Standards and Forms** | | |
| 1.1. | Establish uniform standards, prescribe forms and rules for the implementation of electoral activities and make them available to participants in the elections  (Article 34, paragraph 3, and Article 43, paragraph 2, of the Law on the Election of Members of Parliament - LoEMP) | By 9 March, 00:00, at the latest |
| **2. Electoral Authorities and Bodies** | | |
| 2.1. | Adopt Decision on the appointment of the representative of the submitter of the electoral list to the expanded composition of the Republic Electoral Commission  (Article 39, paragraph 2 and 3 of the LoEMP) | within 24 hours from the receipt of the nomination from the submitter of the electoral list, and by 16 June, 00:00 at the latest |
| 2.2. | Submit the nomination of candidates for members in the working bodies  (Article 5, of the Decision on amending the Instructions for conducting the elections for MPs to the National Assembly, called for 26 April 2020 – Decision) | By 15 May, at the latest |
| 2.3. | Formation of the working bodies  (Article 3 of the Decision) | by 19 May, at the latest |
| 2.4. | Submit to the Republic Electoral Commission the List of parliamentary groups’ authorised persons to nominate candidates for members of the standing composition of the polling boards  (Article 8, paragraph 2 of the Decision) | By 2 June, at the latest |
| 2.5. | Submit to the working body parliamentary groups’ nomination of candidates for members of the standing composition of the polling boards  (Article 8, paragraph 1 of the Decision) | By 5 June, at the latest |
| 2.6. | Submit to the Republic Electoral Commission the nomination of candidates for members of the standing composition of the polling boards consolidated by the working body  (Article 9 of the Decision) | By 7 June, at the latest |
| 2.7. | Submit to the Republic Electoral Commission the nomination of candidates for members of the standing composition of the polling boards within the penal institutions and abroad  (Article 10 of the Decision) | By 7 June, at the latest |
| 2.8. | Form standing composition of the polling boards  (Article 36, paragraph 3 of LoEMO and Article 6 of the Decision) | By 10 June, 00:00, at the latest |
| 2.9. | Submit to the Republic Electoral Commission the List of authorised persons of the submitters of the electoral list to nominate members of the expanded composition of the polling boards  (Article 11, paragraph 3 of the Decision) | By 10 June, at the latest |
| 2.10. | Submit to the working body, i.e. the Republic Electoral Commission nomination for the candidates for members of the expanded composition of the polling boards  (Article 11, paragraph 1 and 2 of the Decision) | By 15 June, 10 a.m., at the latest |
| 2.11. | Submit to the Republic Electoral Commission the nomination of candidates for members of the expanded composition of the polling boards, consolidated by the working body  (Article 12, paragraph 1 of the Decision) | By 15 June, 5 p.m., at the latest |
| 2.12. | Adopt Decision on the appointment of members of the expanded composition of the polling boards  (Article 39, paragraph 2 and 3 of LoEMO, and Article 12, paragraph 2 of the Decision) | By 16 June, 00:00 at the latest |
| 2.13. | Replace a member or deputy member of the polling board in standing or expanded composition in case of his/her impediment or absence  (Article 13, paragraph 1 of the Decision) | By 19 June, 8 p.m., at the latest |
| 2.14. | Replace a member of the polling board who may not be included in the composition of the polling board, in terms of Article 27 of the Instructions  (Article 13, paragraph 2 of the Decision) | By 21 June, 7 a.m., at the latest |
| **3. Electoral List** | | |
| 3.1. | Submission of the electoral list  (Article 44, paragraph 1 of LoEMO and Article 14 of the Decision) | By 5 June, 0:00, at the latest |
| 3.2. | Proclamation of the electoral list  (Article 45 of LoEMO) | Within 24 hours from the receipt of the electoral list, subject to its compliance |
| 3.3. | Withdrawal of the electoral list  (Article 41, paragraph 1 of LoEMO) | By the day of establishing a collective electoral list, i.e. by 9 June, 00:00 at the latest |
| 3.4. | Establish and publish the collective electoral list in the "Official Gazette of RS"  (Article 47, paragraph 3 of LoEMO and Article 16, of the Decision) | By 10 June, 0:00, at the latest |
| 3.5. | Right to consult the submitted electoral lists (Article 47, paragraph 4 of LoEMO) | Within 48 hours from the day of publishing the collective electoral list |
| **4. Polling Stations** | | |
| 4.1. | Submission of municipal/city administration’s proposals for the designation of polling stations  (Article 17, paragraph 1 of the Decision) | By 13 May, at the latest |
| 4.2. | Submission of the proposals by the Ministry of Justice, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Office for Kosovo and Metohija on the designation of polling stations within penal institutions, abroad, and in Kosovo and Metohija  (Article 17, paragraph 2 and 3 of the Decision) | By 28 May, at the latest |
| 4.3. | Submission to the Ministry of Public Administration and Local Self Government, by the Ministry of Defence, of data on the voters who shall be serving the military service, be on military training, or attending education programs in units or institutions of the Serbian Armed Forceson the day of elections  (Article 19, paragraph 6 of the Law on the Single Electoral Roll – hereinafter "LoSER" and Article 18, paragraph 1 of the Decision) | Not later than 3 days before the day of concluding the electoral roll, i.e. by 1 June, at the latest |
| 4.4. | Determine certain of the already designated polling stations where voters serving military service, being on military training or attending education programs in units or institutions of the Armed Forces of Serbia will vote  (Article 73, paragraph 2 of LoEMO and Article 18, paragraph 2 of the Decision) | Immediately upon receiving information from the Ministry of public administration and local self-government, and by 31 May, at the latest |
| 4.5. | Determination and announcement of polling station numbers and addresses in the "Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia"  (Article 34, paragraph 1, item 7 of the LoEMO  and Article 17, paragraph 4 of the Decision) | By 31 May, 00:00, at the latest |
| **5. Single Electoral Roll** | | |
| 5.1. | Display excerpts from the Electoral Roll for the territories of the local self-government units  (Article 14 of LoSER, and item 10 of the Instructions for the implementation of the LoSER) | As of 5 March |
| 5.2. | Informing voters who are residing abroad that they can submit a request to enter on the electoral roll the information that they will vote in the upcoming elections abroad  (Article 16, paragraph 1 of the LoSER) | As of 5 March |
| 5.3. | Submission of applications to city/municipal administration for registration in or modifications to the electoral roll  (Article 5, paragraph 1, Article 10, paragraph 1 and Article 14, paragraph 1 of the LoSER and Article 20, paragraph 2 of the Decision) | By the conclusion of the Electoral Roll, 5 June |
| 5.4. | Submission of applications to the Ministry of Public Administration and Local Self-government for registration in or modifications to the electoral roll, upon its conclusion  (Article 5, paragraph 1 and Article 10, paragraph 1 of the LoSER and Article 20, paragraph 3 of the Decision) | From 6 to 17 June, at 00:00 |
| 5.5. | Right to consult and submit application for modifications to the electoral roll by submitters of the electoral lists or persons authorised by them  (Article 21 of the LoSER and item 9, paragraph 5 of the Instructions for the Implementation of the LoSER) | From the proclamation of the electoral list |
| 5.6. | Submission of application to enter on the Electoral Roll the information that the voter will vote according to his/her temporary residence in the country (selected voting place)  (Article 15 of the LoSER and Article 21, paragraph 2 of the Instructions) | By 30 May, at the latest |
| 5.7. | Submission of application to enter on the Electoral Roll the information that the voter will vote abroad  (Article 16, paragraph 1 of the LoSER and Article 22, paragraph 1 of the Decision) | By 30 May, at the latest |
| 5.8. | Submission of information necessary for the preparation of special excerpts from the electoral roll on voters serving military service, being on military training or attending education programs in units or institutions of the Armed Forces of Serbia, or on voters who are serving prison terms or are in custody  (Article 19, paragraph 6 of LoSER and Article 18, paragraph 1 of the Decision) | By 1 June |
| 5.9. | Adopt Decision on the conclusion of the Electoral Roll and establishment of the total number of voters  (Article 17, paragraph 1of the LoSER and Article 23, paragraph 1 of the Decision) | 5 June |
| 5.10. | Submit Decision on the conclusion of the Electoral Roll to the Republic Electoral Commission  (Article 17, paragraph 2 of the LoSER and Article 23, paragraph 2 of the Decision) | By 6 June, 00:00, at the latest |
| 5.11. | Announce the total number of voters in the "Official Gazette of RS"  (Article 18 of the LoSER) | Immediately upon receiving the Decision on the conclusion of the Electoral Roll |
| 5.12. | Submit to the Republic Electoral Commission certified excerpts from the Electoral Roll  (Article 19, paragraph 1 of the LoSER and Article 24 of the Decision) | By 7 June, 00:00, at the latest |
| 5.13. | Receipt in the Republic Electoral Commission of the Decisions of the Ministry of Public Administration and Local Self-Government which constitute basis for modifications to the Electoral Roll upon its conclusion  (Article 20, paragraph 2 of the LoSER and Article 26, paragraph 1 of the Decision) | By 18 June, 00:00 |
| 5.14. | Establish and announce in the "Official Gazette of RS" the final number of voters in the Republic of Serbia  (Article 20, paragraph 2 of the LoSER) | Immediately upon entering in the excerpts from the electoral roll or in special excerpts from the electoral roll, any changes based on the decision on changes in the electoral roll, made after the conclusion of the Electoral Roll |
| 5.15. | Submit lists of subsequent modifications to the Electoral Roll to working bodies, or polling boards  (Article 26, paragraph 2 of the Decision) | 20 June |
| **6. Observers** | | |
| 6.1. | Submission of applications to monitor the activities of the electoral authorities and working bodies, i.e. polling boards – foreign observers  (Article 32 and 33 of the Decision) | By 10 June |
| 6.2. | Submission of applications to monitor the activities of the electoral authorities and working bodies – domestic observers  (Article 31 of the Decision) | By 15 June |
| **7. The Conduct of Elections** | | |
| 7.1. | Deliver to each voter a notification with the date and time of elections  (Article 54, paragraph 1 of the LoEMO and Article 27 of the Decision) | By 15 June, at the latest |
| 7.2. | Delivery of election material to polling boards abroad by Republic Electoral Commission coordinator  (Article 30, of the Decision) | 15 June |
| 7.3. | Delivery of election material to working bodies prior to voting  (Article 29, paragraph 3 of the Decision) | By 17 June, 00:00, at the latest |
| 7.4. | Delivery of election material to the polling boards by the working bodies  (Article 62, paragraph 2 of the LoEMO and Article 29, paragraph 4 of the Decision) | By 18 June, 00:00, at the latest |
| 7.5. | "Election silence" - a ban on political campaigning  (Article 5, paragraph 3 of the LoEMO) | From 18 June, 00:00 until the closing of the polling stations, 21 June, 00:00 |
| 7.6. | Opening of polling stations and voting  (Article 56, paragraph 1 of the LoEMO) | 21 June  from 7 a.m. till 8 p.m. |
| **8. Establishment and announcement of election results** | | |
| 8.1. | Establishment of voting results at the polling station and delivery of election material to the Republic Electoral Commission  (Article 77 of the LoEMO) | by 22 June, at 2 p.m. |
| 8.2. | Establishment of the election results in the Republic Electoral Commission  (Article 78 of the LoEMO) | by 25 June, 8 p.m., at the latest |
| 8.3. | Announcement of the election results in the "Official Gazette of RS”  (Article 86 of the LoEMO) | by 25 June, 8 p.m., at the latest |
| 8.4. | Accessibility of election material for examination on the premises of the Republic Electoral Commission  (Article 64 of the LoEMO) | By 26 June, at 00:00 |
| **9. Protection of the Right to Vote** | | |
| 9.1. | Submission of complaints to the Republic Electoral Commission  (Article 95, para. 1 and 3 of the LoEMO) | within 24 hours of the relevant decision, action or omission |
| 9.2. | Issue and delivery of Decision on the complaint  (Article 96, paragraph 1 of the LoEMO) | Within 48 hours from the receipt of the complaint |
| 9.3. | Appeal to the Administrative Court against the Republic Electoral Commission’s decision on the complaint  (Article 97, paragraph 1 and 2 of the LoEMO) | Within 48 hours from the receipt of the decision |
| 9.4. | Submission of complaints with the case files to the Administrative Court  (Article 97, paragraph 3 of the LoEMO) | Within 24 hours from the receipt of the appeal |
| 9.5. | Issue of decision on the appeal  (Article 97, paragraph 5 of the LoEMO) | Within 48 hours from the receipt of the appeal |
| **10. Awarding seats and issue of certificates of appointment as MPs** | | |
| 10.1. | Award seats to candidates from the electoral list, in the order from the electoral list, starting from the first candidate on the list  (Article 84 of the LoEMO) | Within 10 days from the day of announcing the overall election results |
| 10.2. | Issue certificates of appointment as MP  (Article 87 of the LoEMO) | Immediately upon awarding the seat |
| **11. Reporting to the National Assembly** | | |
| 11.1. | Submit report on the carried out elections to the National Assembly  (Article 34, paragraph 1, point 16 of the LoEMO) | Immediately upon awarding seats |

4. This Calendar shall be published in the “Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia”.

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**REPUBLIC ELECTORAL COMMISSION**

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