

GUYANA ELECTIONS COMMISSION

NOTICE

Call for Applications for Accreditation of LOCAL OBSERVERS

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 4E of the Representation of the People Act, Chapter 1:03, and in order to enhance transparency, credibility and impartiality in the conduct of the **General and Regional Elections which will be held in Guyana on 1st September, 2025**, the Guyana Elections Commission is pleased to invite Local/domestic Organisations/Groups that are desirous of observing the elections to apply for accreditation to observe the elections

All local observer groups would be required to fulfil the following minimum standards:

- Familiarity and experience with electoral laws and procedures;
- Previous experience of election monitoring and/or other relevant experience or know-how and specific training, national and/or international;
- Interpersonal skills (e.g. capacity of balanced judgement, ability to work in teams, ability to cope with difficult situations, respect for diverse attitudes, good communication skills, readiness to work in a multi-cultural environment);
- Ability to maintain professional independence and strict impartiality in the conduct of duties;
- Demonstrated commitment to democracy and human rights

Application for accreditation as Local Observers must contain the following information:

- Name, address and contact details of the eligible organisation or group.
- Name of the head of the eligible organisation or group and evidence of similar past experiences.
- The type of activity covered by the organisation or group and evidence of similar past experiences.
- Name and contact details for proposed observers.
- Official/registration documents etc.
- The proposed Electoral Divisions (Administrative Regions) to observe.

All decisions taken by the Guyana Elections Commission pertaining to approval/denial of applications for accreditation as local observers shall be final.

Applications by local observer groups must be in a prescribed form (**Observer Application Form**) which is **available at the Resource Hub on the GECOM website (www.gecom.org.gy)**. This form must be submitted to **no later than Thursday, July 31, 2025, to:**

Chief Election Officer
31, Fort Street
Kingston
Georgetown



GENERAL & REGIONAL ELECTIONS 2025

APPLICATION FORM FOR LOCAL OBSERVERS

Organisation Name

Address

Type of Organisation
attach business registration

Organisation Leader(s) / Principal(s)

Name(s)	Email(s)	Contact #(s)
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Previous Election Observer Experience

Type	Year	Type	Year
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List of Observers

Name	ID Number	Name	ID Number
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Proposed Areas
For Observation

Specify Regions

Name of Person Submitting	Date (dd/mm/yyyy)	Signature
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