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THE ELECTION EXPENSES ACT,
(CAP. 278)

REGULATIONS

(Made under section 31)

THE ELECTION EXPENSES (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2025

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| Citation | 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Election Expenses (Amendment) Regulations, 2025 and shall be read as one with the Election Expenses Regulations hereinafter referred to as the “principal Regulations”. |
| GN. No.
246 of 2010 | |
| Amendment
of regulation 4 | 2. The principal Regulations are amended in regulation 4(2) by deleting the word “age” appearing in paragraph (b) and substituting for it the words “date of birth”. |
| Amendment
of regulation 7 | 3. The principal Regulations are amended in regulation 7(3), by-
(a) adding immediately after paragraph (a) the following:
“(b) details of the bank account;” and
(b) renaming paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) as paragraphs (c), (d) and (e) respectively. |
| Amendment
of regulation
13 | 4. The principal Regulations are amended in regulation 13(1) by deleting the words “District Administrative Secretary and the Ward Executive Officer” and substituting for them the words “Returning Officer and Assistant Returning Officer”. |
5. The principal Regulations are amended by
_____ deleting regulation 15 and substituting for it the following:

Deletion and
substitution of
regulation 15

“Report, funds,
verification
and submission
of returns

15.-(1) A candidate in a general election or by-election shall prepare a financial report of election expenses pursuant to section 18 of the Act.

(2) The financial report of election expenses prepared under subregulation (1) shall be in Form EE.11 set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.

(3) Upon receipt of the report from the candidate, the Secretary General, shall before submitting that report to the Board of Trustees, verify the correctness of the report and may, where necessary request additional information from the particular candidate for purposes of satisfying himself.

(4) Upon receipt of the financial report, the Board of Trustees shall submit the report to the Registrar in Form EE.12, set out in the Schedule to these Regulations, containing the following particulars:

- (a) an account of funds received;
- (b) an account of or expenses incurred;
- (c) bills and receipts; and
- (d) amount of funds apportioned to candidates sponsored by that political party.

(5) Subject to section 13 of the Act, the management of an organisation which participated in advocacy or public awareness activity shall submit a report of true returns in Form EE.13 set out in the Schedule to these Regulations containing the follo

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SCHEDULE

Form EE. 1



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

DISCLOSURE OF FUNDS FOR ELECTION EXPENSES BY A CANDIDATE
(Made under regulation 7(2))

I, the undersigned.....a candidate for an office of the
*President/Member of Parliament/Councillor for (name of
country/constituency/ward).....do hereby declare that,
I have in my possession (amount)..... and expected to receive
(amount).....as election expenses.

A. Own Source (Name)

Amount/Value

(1)
(2)
(3)

B. Other Sources (Name)

Amount/Value

(1)
(2)
(3)

Total (A and B)...

FORM EE. 2



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

CERTIFICATE FOR DISCLOSURE OF FUNDS
(Made under regulation 9(1))

I, the undersigned..... *Secretary
General/District Secretary of a political party known as
..... do hereby declare that
..... Candidate for an office of the
*President/Member of Parliament/Councillor for
.....(name of the country/constituency/ward) has
complied with the requirements for disclosure of funds provided for in the Act.

Dated this day of20.....
Name:Designation.....Signature.....

Official stamp of the party.....

**Delete whichever is not applicable.*

FORM EE. 3



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

DISCLOSURE OF FUNDS FOR ELECTION EXPENSES BY A POLITICAL PARTY
(Made under regulation 8(1))

We, the undersigned, members of the Board of Trustees of a political party known as Do hereby declare that, our political party intends to expend.....(amount) as election expenses.

	Source (Name)	Amount/Value
1)
2)
3)
4)
5)

Dated this Day of20

Name	Designation	Signature
1)
2)

Official stamp of the party.....

FORM EE. 4



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

DISCLOSURE OF FUNDS APPORTIONED TO CANDIDATES BY A POLITICAL
PARTY

(Made under regulation 8(3))

We, the undersigned, members of the Board of Trustees of a political party known as
.....Do hereby declare that we intend to apportion
.....(amount) of funds for presentation and promotion of our
candidates in the election.

Name of Candidate	Constituency/Ward	Amount apportioned
1.
2.
3.

Dated this Day of 20

Name	Designation	Signature
1)
2)

Official stamp of the party.....



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

DISCLOSURE OF FUNDS RECEIVED AS LOAN, GIFT, ADVANCE, DEPOSIT
AND DONATIONS

(Made under regulation 9(3))

We, the undersigned, members of the Board of Trustees of a political party known as
..... Declare that, have received.....(amount) from
the following source of election expenses.

Source	In form of	Amount / Value
1.
2.
3.

Dated thisDay of20.....

Name	Designation	Signature
1)
2)

Official stamp of the party.....

NOTE: All information contained in this form is and shall remain confidential and may
only be used for purposes stipulated in the Regulations.



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

DISCLOSURE OF FUNDS FOR ELECTION EXPENSES BY AN ORGANISATION
(Made under regulation 9(4))

I, the undersigned Head of an organisation known as do hereby declare that, my organisation intends to expend (amount) for purposes of advocacy and public awareness during election campaign.

Source (Name)	Amount/Value
1)
2)
3)
4)
5)
Total

Dated this Day of 20

Name.....Designation.....Signature.....

Official stamp of the organisation.....

FORM EE. 7



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

DISCLOSURE OF VOLUNTARY DONATION BY A CANDIDATE EXCEEDING
*ONE/TWO MILLION SHILLINGS
(Made under regulation 10(1))

I, the undersigned a candidate for an office of the
**President/Member of Parliament/Councillor for (Name of
country/constituency/ward).....of a political party known as
.....Declare that, I have received contribution from the following sources as
election expenses:

Name of Donor	Physical Address of Donor	Source of Donation	Nature of Donation	Amount/Value	Date

Dated this day of 20.....

Name:.....Designation:.....Signature:.....

...

*In the case of an individual donor exceeding one million shillings;

In the case of an organisation donor exceeding two million shillings.

**Delete whichever is not applicable.



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

DISCLOSURE OF VOLUNTARY DONATION BY A POLITICAL
PARTY EXCEEDING *ONE/TWO MILLION SHILLINGS
(Made under regulation 10(1))

We, the undersigned, members of the Board of Trustees of a political party known as do hereby declare that, we have received voluntary donations from the following sources as election expenses.

Name of Donor	Physical Address of Donor	Source of Donation	Nature of Donation	Amount/Value	Date

Dated this day of 20.....
Name Designation Signature

- 1)
2)

Official stamp of the party.....



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

DISCLOSURE OF FUNDS EXCEEDING THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT BY A
POLITICAL PARTY
(Made under regulation 11(a))

We, the undersigned, members of the Board of Trustees, of a political party known as
.....hereby declare that, our political party expended an amount
of funds in excess of prescribed limit as shown here in bellow:

Amount Prescribed	Excess amount expended
.....

Reasons for exceeding the maximum amount:

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.....
.....

Dated thisday of20.....

Name	Designation	Signature
1)
2)

Official stamp of the party.....



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

DISCLOSURE OF FUNDS EXCEEDING THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT BY A
CANDIDATE

(Made under regulation 11(b))

I, the undersigned, a candidate for an office of the
*President/Member of Parliament/Councillor for (Name of
country/constituency/ward).....do hereby declare that, I have
expended amount of funds in excess of prescribed limit as shown herein below:

Amount Prescribed	Excess amount expended
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Reasons for exceeding the limit:

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.....

Dated thisday of20.....

Name: DesignationSignature.....

*Delete whichever is not applicable.



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

TRUE RETURNS OF ELECTION EXPENSES BY A CANDIDATE
(Made under regulation 15(2))

I, the undersigned, a candidate for an office of the
*President/Member of Parliament/Councillor for (Name of
country/constituency/ward)..... do hereby
submit a verified report of election expenses.

A. CANDIDATE OWN EXPENDITURE

Amount.....

B. OTHER SOURCES EXPENDITURE

Amount.....

Total (A and B)

.....

Dated this Day of 20
Name: Designation Signature.....

*Delete whichever is not applicable.



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

TRUE RETURNS OF ELECTION EXPENSES BY A POLITICAL PARTY
(Made under regulation 15(4))

We, the undersigned, being members of the Board of Trustees, of a political party known as.....do hereby submit true returns of election expenses as stated below:

A. AMOUNT OF FUNDS RECEIVED

Amount.....

B. EXPENSES INCURRED BY A POLITICAL PARTY

Amount (*Exclude amount apportioned to candidates)

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C. AMOUNT OF FUNDS APPORTIONED TO CANDIDATES

Name of Candidate	Country/Constituency/Ward	Amount apportioned
1)
2)
3)

D. TOTAL AMOUNT OF FUNDS SPENT

Amount (B and C)

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Dated this day of20.....

Name	Designation	Signature
1)
2)

Official stamp of the party.....



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF POLITICAL PARTIES

TRUE RETURNS OF ELECTION EXPENSES BY AN ORGANISATION
(Made under regulation 15(5))

I, the undersigned on behalf of an
organisation known as..... do
hereby submit true returns of the amount expended as election expenses in accordance with
the activity plan.
Amount expended

Dated thisday of.....20.....

Name	Designation	Signature
1)

Official stamp of the organisation

Dodoma,
....., 2025

WILLIAM V. LUKUVI
*Minister of State, Prime Minister's Office,
Policy, Parliament and Coordination*