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Section 4.3.3.1 of the Rule is amended as:4
Section 5.2 has been inserted to the Rule:4
Section 6 has been inserted to the Rule:4

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Section 4.3.3.1 of the Rule is amended as:

Serving in an office in the public/private sector with exemplary conduct and performance for 5 years for assumption of office in the Thromde Tshogde for a post of Thrompon and National Assembly, and for 10 years for assumption of office in the National Council; and

Section 5.2 has been inserted to the Rule:

5.2 National Council Election Campaign Pledges

- 5.2.1 For the purpose of evaluating the campaign pledges of National Council candidates, the Commission shall constitute an Independent Evaluation Committee in addition to the Committee constituted under Section 5.1.4.
- 5.2.1 The composition of the committee shall be as per the Standard Operating Procedure developed for the purpose.

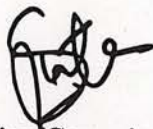
Section 6 has been inserted to the Rule:

6. Local Government Campaign Pledges

6.1 Local Government Campaign Pledges Evaluation Committee

- 6.1.1 The Committee constituted under Section 5.1.4 shall evaluate the campaign pledges of the Thrompon candidates.
- 6.1.2 The composition of the committee shall be as per the Standard Operating Procedure developed for the purpose.
- 6.1.3 The evaluation and approval process for the campaign pledges of the candidates to the posts of Gup, Mangmi, Thromde Ngotsab and Thromde and Gewog Tshogpa in Local Government elections shall be as notified by the Commission.

Done under the seal of the Election Commission of Bhutan on 25 May 2026, corresponding to the 9th Day of the 4th Month of the Fire Male Horse Year in the Bhutanese Calendar.



Election Commissioner



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Chief Election Commissioner