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The Director General
Independent Broadcasting Authority
Level 2, The Celicourt
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Dear Sir

**Re Directives for Private and Public Broadcasters
The Village Council, Municipal City Council and Municipal Town Council Elections 2012**

Your letter d/d 30 November 2012; ADM/VMC/R1/12/303 refers.

We are pleased to advise as follows:

Preamble :

To ensure compliance with the IBA Act and codes and to ensure fairness and pluralism in phone-in programs in political and politically related programs,

We hereby agree that:

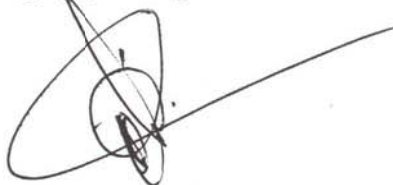
- (1) we shall ensure, within the limits of presently available technologies
 - (a) no capture by the same individuals or group and
 - (b) allow as many callers as possible with a view to having a diversity of views expressed.
- (2) necessary mechanisms for control will be put in place to ensure fairness on air, balance and avoid any slippage.
- (3) the hosts of programs will assume the responsibility in 1 and 2 above and will abstain from giving their personal opinion and views to ensure fairness and impartiality.
- (4) the Broadcast Delay mechanism will be strictly applied with a view to preventing any character assassination, defamation or insult on air.
- (5) no statements will be made that may disrupt social peace and harmony.

We further agree not to broadcast any live or recorded phone-in or call-in programmes on political matters or politically-related matters during the 48 hours starting at midnight immediately preceding Polling Day and up to close of Polling Day.

Yours faithfully



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Executive Chairman
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