



ELECTORAL OPERATIONAL CALENDAR FOR PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION MAY 21, 2023



No	ACTIVITY	LEGAL BASE n°6/2006, with amendment law n° 9/2017	DATE	Remarks
MARKING OF ELECTION CALENDAR				
1	President of Republic decree No 9/2023, February 13, Marking the election date. Publication in the state official Gazette(Jornal da República)	Art.º 17no.1	13/02/2023	At least 80 days before the election date
2	STAE publishes the calendar of electoral operations in the state gazette	Art.º 18.	until 21/02/2023	Up to 8 days after the publication of the presidential decree marking the election
APLICATOINS AND RESPECTIVE LITIGATION				
3	Formation of party coalitions and communication to CNE	Art.º 20 no.2	until 05/03/2023	In the immediate 20 days after the presidential decree marking the election date
4	STAE publishes in the official gazette a notice about existing party and coalitions	Art.º 20 no.3	-	It depends on the date of communication of the formation of coalitions to the CNE, which then communicates to STAE
5	Presentation list of candidates to Supreme Tribunal of Justice(STJ) / Court of Appeal	Art.º 22	until 15/03/2023	Up to 30 days after the publication of the presidential decree
6	STJ /Court of appeal verifies applications (autenticity, eligibility of the candidates) and notifies the representatives of the candidates	Art.º 23 no. 1 & 5	until 25/03/2023	Court decides up to 10 days after the deadline for receipt of applications and notifies the representative of candidates on admission/ rejection of applications
7	Appeal to the STJ/ court of appeal against decision on admission/ rejection of candidates	Art.º 24 no.1	until 26/03/2023	Deadline of 1 day after notification of the decision to accept/ reject application
8	Collective panel of STJ/ Court of appeal decides on appeals filled against admission/ rejection decision of the candidacies	Art.º 24 no. 3	until 28/03/2023	Appeal are decided by the court within 2 days after the deadline for their submission
9	Publication in the Official gazette and the admitted candidacies	Art.º 25 nu. 1	27/03/2023 or 29/03/2023	Variable term depending on whether or not appeals are lodged against the decision to admit/ reject applications
10	Drawing of admitted candidacies for the attribution of sorting/ sequence on ballot papers +posting of minutes	Art.º 25 nu 1 & 2	Between 28/03/2023 or 30/03/2023	Variable term depending on the filling of the appeals on the decision to admit/ reject application. The draw takes place the day after the publication of the accepted candidacies, and the result is posted on the door of the STJ and forwarded to CNE and STAE

CONSTITUTION OF POLLING CENTERS AND POLLING STATIONS				
11	STAE publishes the number of polling centers and polling stations	Art.º32 no. 4	21/04/2023	Up to 30 days before election day
Electoral Campaign				
12	Period of Electoral Campaign	Art.º 28	From 19/04/2023 -18/05/2023	Duration 30 days and ends 2 days before polling day
Election and counting of the result				
13	Election day (07:00am 15:00pm)	Art.º 33	21/05/2023 (Sunday)	Overseas runs on local time
14	Counting starts at polling centers and subsequent sending the ballot boxes for municipal/regional tabulation	Art.º 46	21/05/2023	Start after polling closes
15	Start of vote counting and tabulation of result in polling centers abroad	Art.º 47.º-A	21/05/2023	Result are immediately transmitted to STAE, which informs the CNE. Once the counting of votes and tabulation of result abroad have been finalised, the minutes and votes claimed are sent to CNE within 72 hours
16	Municipal/regional tabulation of results and sending of electoral minutes and other elements (claimed votes & complaint votes) to CNE	Art.º47, no. 3	From 21/05/2023 -23/05/2023	Submission to CNE within 2 days of the election date, with copy to STAE
17	National Tabulation of Result by CNE	Art.º 48	From 24/05/2023 -27/05/2023	72 hours after receipt of the municipal/regional/abroad tabulation minutes
18	The CNE prepare the minutes of the provisional tabulation of national result and post them at its Headquarter	Art.º48, no. 2	From 27/05/2023 - 30/05/2023	72 hours after national tabulation operation. A copy of minutes sent to STAE, political party's agent and the media .
19	Deadline for filling an appeal against provisional result to STJ panel	Art.º49, no. 1	Between 29/05/2023 -01/06/2023	To be lodged within 48 hours of posting the provisional minutes of the result
20	Collective of STJ decides on the appeals presented	Art.º 49 no. 1	Between 31/05/2023 -03/06/2023	Court decided in 48 hours
21	The CNE sends the minutes of the result to the court, if no appeals have been filled	Art.49 no. 2	Between 30/05/2023 -02/06/2023	Once the deadline for filling an appeal has expired without any appeals, the CNE sends all the result minutes to court
22	The court of appeal/STJ analyses the documentatoin sent by CNE , validates and proclaim the results	Art.º 50 no. 1	Between 04/06/2023 -06/06/2023	72 hours, counting from the decision of the STJ collective panel on the appeals presented
23	Publication in the official gazette of the judgment of the court of appeal	Art.º 50 no. 2	Until 07/06/2023	



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