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The Chairman National Electoral Commission Tower Hill - Freetown Dear Sir.

PROTEST OVER THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF PROVISIONAL RESULT FOR COUNCILLOR FOR WARD 155 IN KOINADUGU DISTRICT.

I write on behalf of the APC Party to bring to your attention an unfortunate incident that took place today at the NEC Office in Wellington during the Tally process for Councillor for Ward 155.

I wish to let you know that during the Tally process, your ICT Staff tampered with the results for Station 1, at the MCA Primary School in Fumbakoro in favour of the SLPP. It was appalling to note that instead of entering the correct score of APC 083 and SLPP 049 for that Station, they fraudulently entered APC 083 and for SLPP 149 thus giving the SLPP Candidate 100 extra votes. This tampering affected the final outcome of the bye election for Councillor for Ward 155. Please find attached a copy of the said agent Reconciliation and Result Form (RRF) to confirm the facts. For reasons of integrity kindly ensure that this provisional result is reversed and the correct result is recorded in the best interest of transparency and fairness in the electoral process.

Please note also that on Sunday 3rd October, 2021 during the Tally process in Kabala, your Assistant Director of Operations - Northern Region, Mr. Paul M. Damba was caught tampering with results in favour of the SLPP when he changed one of the results from APC 101 and SLPP 69 to APC 101, and SLPP169 for Polling Centre Code 06096, MCA Primary School, Alkalia.

In another case at Polling Centre Code 06096, MCA Primary School, Alkalia the NEC Officers transposed the figures. Instead of recording APC 122 and SLPP 88, they recorded APC 88 and SLPP 122 (See Copies of RRFs attached). This case of fraud was later corrected and Mr. Damba removed from the process pending further investigations.

We hereby call on NEC to do the following:-

- 1. Reverse the wrong entries for the Councillor Election for Ward 155 in Koinadugu District and correct the final result.
- 2. Hand over the NEC Staff involved in these electoral malpractices to the Sierra Leone Police for further investigations and appropriate action apart from the administrative disciplinary measures we expect NEC to take

We hope that you can save the image and good name of NEC by acting speedily and decisively on our submissions. The APC will utilize all legal and reasonable means at our disposal to seek redress if these Provisional Results are not reversed.

Yours sincerely,

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