



ALLIED PEOPLES' MOVEMENT

INTEGRITY, SACRIFICE AND SERVICE



May 16, 2026

The Honourable Chairman,
Independent Electoral Commission (INEC),
Abuja – Nigeria.

Sir,

MODE OF PRIMARIES

The above subject matter refers.

Kindly find details of our mode of primary elections below:

MODE OF PRIMARIES: DIRECT AND CONSENSUS

- 1a. Nomination of candidates for all elective offices of our Party at all levels shall be conducted strictly in compliance with the provisions of the Electoral Act, and our Constitution.
 - b. The approved modes of primary elections pursuant to Section 84(2) of the Electoral Act 2026 shall be by Direct Primaries or Consensus.
 - c. **Consensus:** The Party shall obtain the written consent (**Withdrawal Letter**) of cleared withdrawing aspirant(s) stating voluntary withdrawal from the contest and indicating support for a consensus aspirant before the adoption of such aspirant by party members.
2. **Direct Primaries**
 - a) The basic voting unit for the conduct of direct primaries shall be the ward levels.

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- b) All duly registered and verified card-carrying members of the Party shall vote for aspirants of their choice at designated voting centres located in each Ward within the relevant constituency.
- c) Voting under the direct primary system shall take place as follows:
- **Presidential Primaries:** All card-carrying Party members shall vote for aspirants of their choice at designated voting centres in each Ward of the Federation.
 - **Governorship Primaries:** All card-carrying Party members shall vote for aspirants of their choice at designated voting centres in each Ward of the State.
 - **Senatorial Primaries:** All card-carrying Party members shall vote for aspirants of their choice at designated voting centres in each Ward of the Senatorial District.
 - **House of Representatives Primaries:** All card-carrying Party members shall vote for aspirants of their choice at designated voting centres in each Ward of the Federal Constituency.
 - **State House of Assembly Primaries:** All card-carrying Party members shall vote for aspirants of their choice at designated voting centres in each Ward of the State Constituency.
 - Where there is a sole aspirant for any elective office, he/she shall automatically be returned elected.
3. The Ward Chairman, Ward Secretary and Ward Organizing Secretary shall constitute the team of Electoral Officers for the exercise. The same thing shall apply to other levels:
- a. **Local Government Areas:**
Local Government Chairman

Local Government Secretary
Local Government Organizing Secretary

b. **States:**

State Chairman
State Secretary
State Organizing Secretary

c. **National:**

National Chairman
National Secretary
National Organizing Secretary

3. ELIGIBILITY TO VOTE

A person shall be eligible to vote at the primary election conducted by the Electoral Committee if he/she is a registered member of the Party, such membership must be validated by cross-checking the presented valid membership card with the membership register.

4. COLLATION OF RESULTS

i. Results from each each ward shall be collated at the Local Government designated centres by the Local Government Electoral Team and transmitted afterwards to the State Electoral Team. The collation and announcement of results for Houses of Assemblies, House of Representatives, Senates shall be done at the State Level.

The final collation and announcement of results for presidential election shall be done at the National Secretariat by the National Election Team.

D. CONVENTION/CONGRESS FOR PARTICIPATION OF PRIMARIES

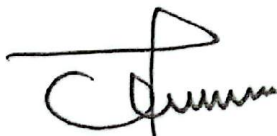
i. A Special Convention or nomination Congress shall be held to ratify the choice of Consensus Candidate at designated centres at the National, State, Senatorial, Federal and State Constituencies as the case may be, in compliance

with Section 87(3) of the Electoral Act, 2026, with respect to the Consensus Mode of Primary Election.

- ii. The following shall be the delegates' Special Convention/Congress for Direct Primary Election or Consensus Mode of Primary Election:
 - a. The three (3) elected Ward Delegates constituting the State Constituency shall be the DELEGATES to ratify the nomination of the House of Assembly Candidates at the Special Congress.
 - b. The five (5) elected Local Government Area (LGA) Delegates constituting the Federal Constituency shall be the DELEGATES to ratify the nomination of the House of Representatives Candidates at the Special Congress.
 - c. The five (5) elected Local Government Area (LGA) Delegates constituting the Senatorial District shall be the DELEGATES to vote to ratify the nomination of the Senatorial Candidates of the Party at the Special Congress.
 - d. The five (5) elected State Delegates shall be the DELEGATES to ratify the nomination of the Governorship Candidates of the Party at the Special Congress.
 - e. At least, 2/3 percent of the Governorship Candidates of the party shall be delegates to ratify the nomination of the presidential candidates.

Attached to this, is the copy of the timetable/guidelines earlier submitted.

While thanking you for your usual cooperation, kindly accept the assurances of our esteemed regards.



Yusuf Mamman Dantalle
National Chairman

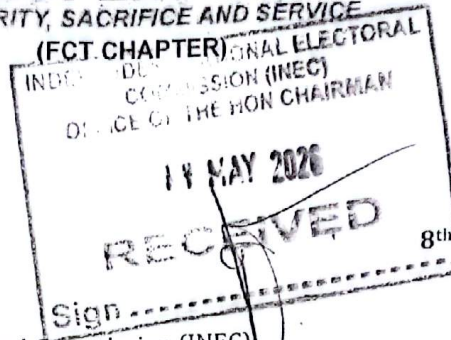


Oyadeyi Ayodele Adebayo
National Secretary



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8th May, 2026

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ALLIED PEOPLES' MOVEMENT (APM) TIMETABLE FOR THE 2027 GENERAL ELECTIONS

- a) WARD CONGRESSES – 21st May, 2026
- b) LOCAL GOVERNMENT CONGRESSES – 22nd May, 2026
- c) STATE CONGRESSES – 23rd May, 2026

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY/GOVERNORSHIP AND STATE ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS

28th May, 2026

Primary Elections will hold from 10.00am - 1.00pm (State
Assembly/HOR/Senate). 2.30pm - 4.30pm (Governorship)

Resolution of disputes (if any) holds from 5.00pm - 6.00pm same day.

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION

30th May, 2026

Presidential Election Primary holds from 11.00am - 3.00pm

Resolution of disputes (if any) arising from the primary election holds from
4.00pm - 5.00pm same day.

Mode of Primaries:
Consensus and Direct

Accept as always, our esteemed regards.

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