



**REPORT ON BIOMETRIC VOTER REGISTRATION AT DISTRICT OFFICES, PROVINCIAL OFFICES AND BLITZ CENTRES AS AT 19.10.17 (1600 hours): DAY 10 OF NATIONAL BLITZ, PHASE 1**

Below are cumulative voter registration statistics per province:

Province	No. of kits	Total Registered by 19/10/17 (2)	Provincial ZIMSTATS 2018 Projected Voter Population (3)	% age Registered to Date	Centres Submitted on 19.10.17	Centres Not Submitted on 19.10.17	Turned Away (4) to Date	Reasons for Turned Away
Bulawayo <b>(Wards 1-5,7 &amp; 8)</b>	112	22,971	409,389	5.6	104	8	1,297	<b>No ID</b> , Driver's licence, alien, <b>under age</b> , no proof of residence
Harare <b>(Chitungwiza, Epworth)</b>	248	99,240	1,345,818	7.4	248	0	259	No ID, NCR, <b>alien</b> , defaced ID, dreiver's licence, <b>under age</b>
Manicaland <b>(Chipinge, Chimanimani, parts of Buhera &amp; Mutare)</b>	353	127,936 (network challenges)	912,762	14.0	202	151	3,441	Defaced ID, no ID, under age, <b>aliens in Chimanimani and Chipinge</b>
Mash Central <b>(Mbire, Muzarabani, part of Mt. Darwin)</b>	234	97,135	620,279	15.7	200	34	2,934	Defaced ID, NCR, <b>alien</b> , no ID, <b>under age</b> , <b>proof of residence</b>
Mash East <b>(Mudzi, Mutoko, part of UMP)</b>	310	128,174	735,790	17.4	283	27	1,653	<b>Alien</b> , driver's licence, no ID, <b>under age</b>
Mash West <b>(Kariba, part of Hurungwe)</b>	328	54,843	834,414	6.6	327	1	3,132	<b>Defaced ID</b> , <b>driver's licence</b> , <b>alien</b> , no ID, <b>proof of residence</b>
Masvingo <b>(Chiredzi, Mwenezi, part of Chivi)</b>	338	104,429	754,314	13.8	172	166	2,787	<b>Tokwe Mukosi registrants have no IDs</b> , driver's licence, defaced ID, <b>proof of residence</b>

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Mat North <b>(Binga, part of Lupane)</b>	228	31,565 (network challenges)	389,592	8.1	39	189	908	Defaced ID, photocopied ID, <b>no ID, proof of residence</b>
Mat South <b>(Insiza, part of Umzingwane)</b>	173	31,781	356,586	8.9	50	123	461	<b>No. ID</b> , produced birth certificate as proof of residence
Midlands <b>(Gokwe North, part of Gokwe South)</b>	369	114,862 (network challenges)	865,185	13.3	265	104	2,823	<b>Defaced ID</b> , photocopied ID, no ID, driver's licence, <b>under age</b> , alien
HQ	4	1,245					2	driver's licence, alien
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>2697</b>	<b>814,181</b>	<b>7,224,129</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>1,890</b>	<b>803</b>	<b>19,697</b>	

Take Note:

1. Voter registration was launched on 14th September 2017. Voter Registration at static centres (63 ZEC District Offices) started on 18th September 2017 and the National Blitz on 10th October 2017 with 2 697 kits deployed and 303 as back-up.
2. Total voters registered to date is **814,181**. This figure includes figures from the static registration centres for the period 18/9 – 9/10/2017. The above figures show that there are no returns/submissions from **803/2 697** centres on **19/10/17 at 1600 hrs** due to network and communication challenges. Figures from these remote and inaccessible centres are coming at different intervals as and when they manage to get the network or travel to accessible areas. However as and when the figures come in, they become part of the cumulative total.
3. Projected Voter Population figures are for 2018 and include aliens, foreigners and persons without IDs as well as people turning 18 in 2018. Also note that under Zimbabwean law, Voter Registration is not compulsory.
4. Turned Away: The law stipulates age, citizenship and proof of residence as requirements for Voter Registration. Turned aways are persons not complying with these requirements including illegible/defaced documents. Some of the turned away will find their way back once they get the relevant documentation e.g. proof of residence or ID. These issues are being tackled through Voter Education and Publicity Campaigns. The electorate is urged to comply with Voter Registration requirements and prepare their documentation in advance.