

# **T** The Tanganyika Law Society

## The Bar Association Of Tanzania Mainland

### **2024 TANGANYIKA LAW SOCIETY GENERAL ELECTIONS.**

#### **LIST OF ELIGIBLE CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION IN VARIOUS ELECTORAL POSITIONS AT THE TANGANYIKA LAW SOCIETY ELECTIONS FOR THE YEAR 2024.**

The Electoral Committee issued a call for nominations on 8<sup>th</sup> May, 2024 through TLS official email and Mwananchi Newspaper. The nomination submission ended on 28<sup>th</sup> May, 2024. The Electoral Committee extended the period of nomination to 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 to allow for additional nominations due to the fact that there were no sufficient candidates to enable it proceed with vetting.

One of the functions of the Electoral Committee is to examine and vet the TLS members who are nominated to contest various leadership positions after satisfying itself that such members meet the eligibility criteria prescribed in the TLS election regulations and the Tanganyika Law Society Act Cap 307 as amended for the position they wish to stand for.

Following the closing of the extended period, the Electoral Committee met on 11<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 for vetting process as per Regulation 29 of the Election Regulations GN. No.598 of 2022.

Regulation 30 of the TLS Election Regulations GN. No. 598 of 2022 requires the Chairperson of the Electoral Committee to send to every members of the Society the names of all candidates eligible to vie for election.

In compliance to this requirement, I, Hon. Judge (Rtd) Joaquine De-Mello, being the Chairperson of the Electoral Committee hereby declare that the following members have been vetted to contest for the following electoral positions:

#### **PRESIDENT POSITION:**

1. BONIFACE A.K. MWABUKUSI (MBEYA)
2. CAPT. IBRAHIM MBIU BENDERA(ILALA)
3. EMMANUEL AUGUSTINO MUGA (ILALA)
4. REVOCATUS LUBIGILI KIBWE KUULI (MZIZIMA)
5. PAUL REVOCATUS KAUNDA (WESTERN ZONE)
6. SWEETBERT NKUBA (KINONDONI)

#### **VICE PRESIDENT POSITION:**

1. AZIZA OMARI MSANGI (ILALA) - She was found to be ineligible for election in terms of section 15 (3) (d) of the Tanganyika Law Society Act Cap. 307 as amended by the Legal Sector Laws (Miscellaneous Amendment) Act, No. 11 of 2023 because she does not either run or manage a law firm which has five or more employees or served in any recognized governing board.
2. LAETITIA PETRO NTAGAZWA (IRINGA)

#### **HONORARY TREASURER POSITION:**

1. STELLA MODEST RWEIKIZA (KINONDONI)

#### **CHAIRPERSON OF THE ASSOCIATION OF YOUNG LAWYERS (AYL) POSITION:**

1. EMMANUEL PHALET UKASHU (ILALA)
2. VICTOR KWEKA (DODOMA) - He was found to be ineligible in terms of Regulation 17 (f) of the Tanganyika Law Society (Elections) Regulations, GN. No.598 of 2022 because he is a Public Servant.
3. JOSEPH GIDION LAMECK (KINONDONI) - He was found to be ineligible in terms of Regulation 17(b) of the Tanganyika Law Society (Elections) Regulations, GN. No. 598 of 2022 because he had not been in practice as an advocate for a period of not less than two years
4. MOSES MATIKO MISIWA (MWANZA) - He was found to be ineligible in terms of Regulation 17 (b) of the Tanganyika Law Society (Elections) Regulations, GN. No. 598 of 2022 because he had not been in practice as an advocate for a period of not less than two years
5. DENIS BWANA ELIASAPH (KINONDONI)

### **ZONES:**

#### **1. MZIZIMA**

##### **(a) Zonal Leader (Council Member)**

1. GODLUCK WALTER (ILALA)
2. IPILINGA PANYA (MZIZIMA ZONE)
3. JOHN JOSEPH RAMADHAN NYANGE (TEMEKE)

##### **(b) Zonal EXCOM member-Young Lawyer**

1. FATUMA ABDUL THABIT

## 2. BAGAMOYO

### Zonal Leader (Council Member)

1. DR. ANNA ALOYS HENGA (BAGAMOYO)
2. GRACE NAKABUGO (KINONDONI) - She was found to be ineligible for election in terms of section 15 (3) (d) of the Tanganyika Law Society Act Cap. 307 as amended by the Legal Sector Laws (Miscellaneous Amendment) Act, No. 11 of 2023 because she does not either run or manage a law firm which has five or more employees or served in any recognized governing board
3. REGINALD SHIRIMA (UBUNGO)

## 3. LAKE ZONE

### Zonal Leader (Council Member)

1. SAMWEL ANGELO (KAGERA) - He was found to be ineligible for election in terms of section 15 (3) (d) of the Tanganyika Law Society Act Cap. 307 as amended by the Legal Sector Laws (Miscellaneous Amendment) Act, No. 11 of 2023 because he does not either run or manage a law firm which has five or more employees or served in any recognized governing board
2. SELEMAN KASSIM GILLA (MWANZA)
3. STEPHEN KITALE CLEOPHACE (MWANZA) - He was found to be ineligible for election in terms of section 15 (3) (d) of the Tanganyika Law Society Act Cap. 307 as amended by the Legal Sector Laws (Miscellaneous Amendment) Act, No. 11 of 2023 because he is not a senior member of the Society with ten or more years of experience neither at the time of nomination nor at the time of election.

## 4. SOUTHERN ZONE

### Zonal Leader (Council Member)

1. BARAKA H. MBWILO (MBEYA)
3. IRENE JOEL MWAKYUSA (MBEYA) - She was found to be ineligible for election in terms of section 15 (3) (d) of the Tanganyika Law Society Act Cap. 307 as amended by the Legal Sector Laws (Miscellaneous Amendment) Act, No. 11 of 2023 because she is not a senior

member of the Society with ten or more years of experience neither at the time of nomination nor at the time of election.

## **5. WESTERN ZONE**

### **Zonal Leader (Council Member)**

1. EMMANUEL THOMAS MSASA (KIGOMA)

## **6. CENTRAL ZONE**

### **Zonal Leader (Council Member)**

1. BARNABAS PASCAL NYALUSI (IRINGA)
2. AZIZI MAHENGE (MOROGORO) - He was found to be ineligible for election in terms of section 15 (3) (d) of the Tanganyika Law Society Act Cap. 307 as amended by the Legal Sector Laws (Miscellaneous Amendment), Act No. 11 of 2023, because he is not a senior member of the Society with ten or more years of experience neither at the time of nomination nor at the time of election.

## **7. NORTHERN ZONE**

### **Zonal Leader (Council Member)**

1. DAVID SHILATU (MOSHI)

## **OTHER POSITIONS:**

### **TLS REPRESENTATIVES IN THE COUNCIL FOR LEGAL EDUCATION:**

1. DR. MUTABAAZI JULIUS LUGAZIYA (ILALA)
2. SILWANI GALATI MWANTEMBE (MWANZA)
3. CLARA THEDEUS MRAMBA (KINONDONI)
4. RUNYORO ADOLF (ILALA)

### **TRUSTEES OF THE DATF:**

1. PROF. ANGELO M. MAPUNDA (UBUNGO)
2. MICHAEL JOACHIM TUMAINI NGALO

3. DEUSDEDITH MAGINGA KELANGA (KINONDONI) - He was found to be ineligible in terms of Regulation 21 (1) (f) of the Tanganyika Law Society (Elections) Regulations, G.N. No. 598 of 2022 because he has not been in practice as an advocate for a period of ten years.
4. AUGUSTINE DOMINIC SHIO (MZIZIMA)
5. FRANCIS KILIAN KIWANGA (KINONDONI)
6. KALEB LAMECK GAMAYA(KINONDONI)

**TRUSTEES OF THE WAKILI TRUST (TRUSTEES OF TANZANIA MAINLAND ADVOCATES PROPERTY TRUST):**

1. AKIDA MAJENGA (SHINYANGA) - He was found to be ineligible in terms of Regulation 21 (1) (f) of the Tanganyika Law Society (Elections) Regulations, GN. No. 598 of 2022 because he has not been in practice as an advocate for a period of ten years
2. DANIEL SAMWEL (KILIMANYARO) - He was found to be ineligible in terms of Regulation 21 (1) (f) of the Tanganyika Law Society (Elections) Regulations, GN. No. 598 of 2022 because he has not been in practice as an advocate for a period of ten years
3. MARTHA J.J. MAEDA (KINONDONI)
4. MARIAM TIMOTH KAPAMA (MOROGORO)
5. REBECCA PETTER (KILIMANJARO)
6. NASAMA MIGAYO MAHANYU MASSINDA (ILALA)
7. DR. RUGEMELEZA ALBERT KAMUHABWA NSHALA (ILALA)

**CAMPAIGN PERIOD:**

In terms of Regulation 32 of the Tanganyika Law Society Election Regulations, GN No. 598 of 2022, candidates may commence their campaigns from Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 up to Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2024 at 6:00PM for General Elections; from Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday, 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 at 6:00PM for both Association of Young Lawyers elections and Chapter Zones' Elections. All persons involved in the election process are urged to observe the TLS Elections Regulations and the Committee Guidelines on Conduct of Elections campaign in carrying out their campaigning.

**ELECTION DATES:**

In terms of Regulation 31 of the Tanganyika Law Society (Elections) Regulations, G.N. No. 598 of 2022, Association of Young Lawyers election will be held during their AYL Annual Meeting scheduled to be held in Dodoma on 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2024.

Chapter Zones' elections will be held during their respective Chapter Zone Annual Meeting scheduled to be held in Dodoma on 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2024.

General elections will be held during the Society's General Meeting scheduled to be held at the Jakaya Kikwete Convention Centre (JKCC) in Dodoma on 2<sup>nd</sup> August, 2024 from 06.30am to 12.00pm.

For any inquiries relating to the TLS Elections process, please contact Mr. Nelson Frank through his email address nfrank@tls.or.tz or his mobile number 0779 626298.

***Published on 24<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2024 on behalf of the Electoral Committee.***



Hon. Judge (Rtd) Joaquine De-Mello  
CHAIRPERSON  
ELECTORAL COMMITTEE



Adv. Nelson Frank  
SECRETARY  
ELECTORAL COMMITTEE