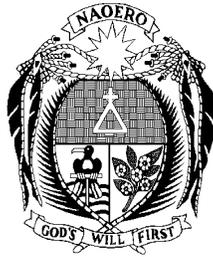


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In exercise of powers under section 29 of the *Referendum Procedures Act 2009*, Cabinet makes the following regulations:

Citation

- 1 These Regulations may be cited as the *Referendum Procedures (Proxy Voting) Regulations 2010*.

Commencement

- 2 These Regulations commence on the date of publication of these Regulations in the Gazette.

Modification of Electoral (Proxy Voting) Regulations 2004

- 3 Without limiting the necessary and appropriate modifications mentioned in section 13(3) of the Act, the *Electoral (Proxy Voting) Regulations 2004*, including the form prescribed for voting by proxy under those Regulations, are modified for voting in a referendum as follows:
 - (a) a reference to a general election or by-election is taken to be a reference to a referendum;
 - (b) a reference to a polling day is taken to be a reference to referendum day;
 - (c) a reference to the Returning Officer is taken to be a reference to the returning officer under the Act;

- (d) a reference to a Presiding Officer is taken to be a reference to a presiding officer under the Act;
- (e) a reference to a ballot paper is taken to be a reference to a ballot paper under the Act;
- (f) a reference to a polling place is taken to be a reference to a polling place under the Act;
- (g) a reference to an electoral dispute is taken to be a reference to a dispute under Part 5 of the Act.