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**ELECTORAL ACT 1965-1992  
SECTION 28**

**PARLIAMENTARY BY-ELECTION FOR THE  
CONSTITUENCY OF BOE**

**DECLARATION OF RESULT**

I, **KELLY DEOURI EMIU**, being the duly appointed Returning Officer for the By-Election for a Member of the Parliament of Nauru for the Constituency of Boe on 21st February 1998 hereby make the following declaration in accordance with the provisions of Section 28 of the Electoral Act 1965-1992:-

A. **NO. OF VOTES CAST:** 354  
**NO. OF INFORMAL VOTES RECORDED:** 2  
**NO. OF FORMAL VOTES TO CONSIDER  
IN DETERMINING THE RESULT:** 352

B. On the count of first preferences, the votes were found to have been cast as follows:-

1.	<b>AROI, Michael Mathias</b>	57
2.	<b>BENJAMIN, Clinton Denton</b>	137
3.	<b>CAIN, Ross Melvin</b>	87
4.	<b>WAQA, Barön Divavesi</b>	71

TOTAL 352

C. No candidate having received an absolute majority of first preference votes a second count was made of the ballot papers showing Michael Mathias Aroi as first preference allocating such Ballot papers according to the second preferences shown.

As a result, the number of first and second preference votes allocated to each of the three candidates were as follows:-

1.	<b>BENJAMIN, Clinton Denton</b>	148
2.	<b>CAIN, Ross Melvin</b>	119
3.	<b>WAQA, Baron Divavesi</b>	85

TOTAL 352

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D. No candidate having received an absolute majority of first and second preference votes, a third count was made of the ballot papers showing Baron Divavesi Waqa as first or second preference, allocating such Ballot papers according to the third preference shown.

As a result, the number of first, second or third preference votes allocated to each of the remaining two candidates were as follows:-

1.	<b>BENJAMIN</b> , Clinton	169
2.	<b>CAIN</b> , Ross Melvin	183
	<b>TOTAL</b>	352

Having thus received an absolute majority of votes cast **Ross Melvin Cain** was declared elected.

**GIVEN** under my hand this Twenty First day of February, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety Eight

**KELLY D. EMIU**  
**RETURNING OFFICER**

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**ELECTORAL ACT 1965-1992**  
**SECTION 28**

**PARLIAMENTARY BY-ELECTION FOR THE**  
**CONSTITUENCY OF UBENIDE**

**DECLARATION OF RESULT**

**I, KELLY DEOURI EMIU**, being the duly appointed Returning Officer for the By-Election for a Member of the Parliament of Nauru for the Constituency of Ubenide on 21st February 1998 hereby make the following **declaration** in accordance with the provisions of Section 28 of the Electoral Act 1965-1992:-

A.	No. of Votes Cast:	708
	No. of Informal votes recorded:	5
	No. of Formal votes to consider in determining the result:	703

B. On the count of first preferences, the votes were found to have been cast as follows:-

1.	<b>AMWANO</b> , Aloysius Iyomago	301
2.	<b>HARRIS</b> , Lagumot Gagiemen	289
3.	<b>HIRAM</b> , Royden	57
4.	<b>RIBAUW</b> , Paul Maginkio	56
	<b>TOTAL</b>	703

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C. No candidate having received an absolute majority of first preferences votes a second count was made of the ballot papers showing Paul Lawrence Ribauw as first preference allocating such Ballot papers according to the second preference shown.

As a result, the number of first, second, third or fourth preference votes allocated to the remaining candidate were as follows:-

1.	<b>AMWANO, Aloysius Iyomago</b>	325
2.	<b>HARRIS, Lagumot Gagiemen</b>	307
3.	<b>HIRAM, Royden</b>	71
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>703</b>

D. No candidate having received an absolute majority of first and second preference votes a third count was made of the ballot papers showing Royden Hiram as a first or second preference, allocating such Ballot papers according to the third preference shown.

As a result, the number of first, second or third preference votes allocated to each of the remaining two candidates were as follows:-

1.	<b>AMWANO, Aloysius Iyomago</b>	370
2.	<b>HARRIS, Lagumot Gagiemen</b>	333
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>703</b>

Having thus received an absolute majority of votes cast Aloysius Iyomago Amwano was declared elected.

GIVEN under my hand this Twenty First day of February, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight.

**KELLY D. EMIU**  
**RETURNING OFFICER**

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**ELECTORAL ACT 1965-1992**

**SECTION 28**

**PARLIAMENTARY BY-ELECTION FOR THE  
CONSTITUENCY OF YAREN**

**DECLARATION OF RESULT**

I, **KELLY DEOURI EMIU**, being the duly appointed Returning Officer for the By-Election for a Member of the Parliament of Nauru for the Constituency of Yaren on 21st February 1998 hereby make the following declaration in accordance with the provisions of Section 28 of the Electoral Act 1965-1992:-

A. No. of Votes Cast: 256  
No. of Informal votes recorded 2  
No. of Formal votes to consider  
in Determining the result: 254

B. On the count of first preferences, the votes were found to have been cast as follows:-

1.	<b>AUDOA, Anthony D.</b>	129
2.	<b>EKWONA, Pres-Nimes</b>	69
3.	<b>KEKE, Leo D.</b>	56

TOTAL 254

Having thus received an absolute majority of votes cast **Anthony Kododo Audoa** was declared elected.

GIVEN under my hand this Twenty First day of February, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight.

**KELLY D. EMIU**  
**RETURNING OFFICER**



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**SECTION 28**

**PARLIAMENTARY BY-ELECTION FOR THE**  
**CONSTITUENCY OF MENENG**

**DECLARATION OF RESULT**

**I, KELLY DEOURI EMIU**, being the duly appointed Returning Officer for the By-Election for a Member of the Parliament of Nauru for the Constituency of Meneng on 21st February 1998, hereby make the following declaration in accordance with the provisions of Section 28 of the Electoral Act 1965-1992:-

A. No. of Votes Cast: 491  
No. of Informal votes recorded 4  
No. of Formal votes to consider  
in Determining the result: 487

B. On the count of first preferences, the votes were found to have been cast as follows:-

1.	<b>BOP, Joshua Porthos</b>	28
2.	<b>BOTELANGA, Nimrod</b>	247
3.	<b>BRECHTEFELD, John</b>	15
4.	<b>CLODUMAR, Vinci Neil</b>	197

TOTAL 487

Having thus received an absolute majority of votes cast **Nimrod Botelanga** was declared elected.

GIVEN under my hand this Twenty First day of February, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight.

**KELLY D. EMIU**  
**RETURNING OFFICER**