



POLITICAL PARTIES REGISTRATION COMMISSION

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Hon Justice Tolla Thompson addressing the meeting

The Political Parties Registration Commission (PPRC) will on Tuesday 7th April 2015 issue a temporal certificate of registration to the Alliance Democratic Movement (ADM).

Speaking to the Chairman and Leader of the movement, the Chairman of the Political Parties Registration Commission (PPRC) Hon Justice M.E. Tolla Thompson says political parties are a creation of the 1991 Constitution of Sierra Leone.

Political Parties he says should be established to participate in shaping the political will of the people, to disseminate information on political ideas, and social and economic programmes of a national character, and to sponsor candidates for Presidential, Parliamentary or Local Government elections. Justice Thompson says, the internal organisation of a political party must also conform to democratic principles, and its aims, objectives, purposes and programmes should not contravene, or be inconsistent with, any provisions of the 1991 Constitution.

Speaking on how to register a political party, Commissioner Mohamed N'fa Alie Conteh reminded members of the ADM of the provisions stated in Section 11(eleven) of the Political Parties Act of 2002. Politics he says is a serious business and should be treated as such.

In her statement, the Secretary to the Commission Haja Mariama Seray Kallay advised the Leader and Chairman of the ADM to also start the

process of closing the Company Limited by Guaranty so that it can be published on the gazette for objections.

Responding, the Chairman and Leader of the ADM, Mohamed K. Mansaray expressed his appreciation and promised that his movement will conform to the rules guiding political parties in Sierra Leone.



Cross section of ADM Executive members