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Pursuant to its Constitutional and Statutory Mandate, the Political Parties Regulation Commission (PPRC), hereby informs the Leadership, Membership, and Supporters of the Sierra Leone People's Party (SLPP) that lower-level elections in the following constituencies have been put on hold until the Commission has disposed of petitions before it:

- 1. North West Region (Port Loko District) All Constituencies
- 2. Northern Region (Bombali District) Constituency 038
- 3. Eastern Region:

(Kono District) Constituencies 022,023,024,025,026,027,028 & 029)

(Kailahun District) - Constituency 008

(Kenema District) - Constituencies 011,013,015,018 & 019

(Bo District) - Constituency 087

(Moyamba District) - Constituency 095

4. Western Area Urban - Constituencies 113,116,123,124,127,130 & 131

Western Rural - Constituencies 105,106,107,108

It can be recalled that in the Commission's Press Release of Friday 7th February 2025, the leadership and membership were admonished to conduct themselves within the provisions of the SLPP Constitution of 11th August 2020; the 5th February 2021 Rules and Regulations for the Conduct of All Executive Elections for the SLPP; the Constitution of Sierra Leone (Act No.6) 1991; the Political Parties Act (Act No. 25) 2022 and the Public Order Act (Act No. 46) 1965.

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Furthermore, the Commission also encouraged them to ensure that those elections were held in compliance with Section 35 (2) of the Constitution of Sierra Leone (Act No. 6) 1991 which states; "The internal organization of a political party shall conform to democratic principles, and its aims, objectives, purposes and programmes shall not contravene, or be inconsistent with, any provisions of this Constitution".

In light of the aforementioned, the party can proceed with elections in Constituencies that have not been stated in this press release.

Finally, the Security Sector is hereby requested to ensure that this directive is complied with.

End of Press Release

Signed by

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