



**National Electoral Commission (NEC)  
OAU Drive, Tower Hill**



**PRESS RELEASE**

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**EXTENSION OF VOTER REGISTRATION EXERCISE IN SIERRA LEONE**

The National Electoral Commission hereby announces the extension of the voter registration process in Sierra Leone for a period of **two (2) weeks** starting from **Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2017** and ending on **Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2017**.

Registration Centres will continue to be opened from **7 am to 5 pm daily**, including all public holidays that fall within this period.

The Commission encourages all eligible Sierra Leoneans to take the opportunity provided by the extended period to register. However, the public is reminded that the registration of minors and other ineligible persons is an offence.

The Commission continues to encourage all eligible Sierra Leoneans to exercise patience and restraint as it strives to make the voter registration exercise credible, accurate and transparent. Citizens are assured that registration is free of cost, that is, no payment is required at any stage of the process.



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