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## **RE-RUN OF COUNCIL OF STATE ELECTIONS IN THE NORTH EAST AND ASHANTI REGIONS**

The Electoral Commission wishes to inform the General Public that, the Council of State Elections in two regions, namely North East and Ashanti, will be re-run on Monday, the 17<sup>th</sup> of February, 2025.

This is because there was a tie in the Election in the North East Region. The top two candidates each had six (6) votes. As such, the Election has to be re-run. In the Ashanti Region, the Election was disrupted by thugs and could therefore not be concluded.

The Commission has written to the Ghana Police Service and copied the National Election Security Taskforce to heighten security at the venues of the elections to prevent any disruptions.

Thank you.

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