



PROCLAMATION

GENERAL ELECTION

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2024

WHEREAS:

The Electoral Code of Puerto Rico of 2020, Act No. 58 of June 20, 2020, hereinafter “Electoral Code”, in its Article 9.1, states that a General Election will be held every four (4) years on the Tuesday after the first Monday of November. The General Election will occur on Tuesday, November 5, 2024, for the current electoral cycle.

WHEREAS:

The Electoral Code furthermore states that any citizen of the United States of America who is living in Puerto Rico and is at least eighteen (18) years old on the day of the vote and is duly qualified as an active voter before the election according to the law and its regulations, and has not been deemed mentally incapacitated by a court of law, is eligible to vote in Puerto Rico

THEREFORE:

The State Elections Commission, in accordance with The Puerto Rico Electoral Code hereby PROCLAIMS that:

a) On Tuesday, November 5, 2024, a general election will be held in all the electoral precincts of Puerto Rico and all citizens in general are hereby called to participate in the in same. The voting process shall be conducted through the open polling system from nine (9:00) in the morning until five (5:00) in the afternoon and five ballots will be use to vote; a state ballot (for the candidates for governor of Puerto Rico and resident commissioner in Washington DC), a legislative ballot (for the at-large and district candidates, a municipal ballot (for the mayoral and municipal legislature candidates, a presidential ballot (for president and vice president candidates of the United States of America) and a plebiscite ballot (for status options).

b) According to the Electoral Code, you can use the Commission's Electoral Identification Card for electoral transactions and voting, and its digital version. Additionally, you can use valid identification cards with photos such as those issued under the Real ID Act of 2005, U.S. Passport, U.S. Global Entry, U.S. Armed Forces and U.S. Merchant Marine Identification Cards, and driver's license issued by the Puerto Rico Department of Transportation and Public Works (DTOP), and its digital version.

c) Article 12.4 of the Electoral Code provides that no public or private employer may prevent its employees from exercising their right to vote in an election, provided they are qualified.

d) Under Article 12.22 of the Electoral Code, the “Dry Law” shall apply only from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 5, 2024. The establishments listed in the same Article are exempted from the preceding provision.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Proclamation is issued, and the Seal of the Commission is hereunto affixed, in San Juan, Puerto Rico, this 3rd day of September 2024.

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Secretary State Election Commission

