Timetable for Postage-free Election Mail **2025 Election Committee Subsector By-elections**

Key dates	Procedures
22 July – 25 August 2025 (except Saturday, Sunday and public holiday)	Candidates can submit their specimens of postage-free election mail at any one of the following Hongkong Post offices: General Post Office, Central G/F, Central Mail Centre, Kowloon Bay 10/F, Tsuen Wan Government Offices, Tsuen Wan 1/F, Sha Tin Government Offices, Sha Tin Remarks: (1) Under the prevailing legislation, letters that may be posted free of postage must not be larger than 165 mm x 245 mm in size and must not exceed 5 mm in thickness at any part of the letter; (2) To save time, candidates may consider submitting their specimen(s) of postage-free election mail before being assigned with candidate number or confirming the printing details of the election mail; and (3) Once the specimen(s) concerned has/have been approved in writing by Hongkong Post, candidates may insert the candidate number or printing details into that election mail without altering the approved design and content of the election mail.
22 July – 28 August 2025 (except Sunday and public holiday)	Candidates can post postage-free election mail at any one of the 17 designated acceptance offices. (For details, please refer to the Appendix II of "Notes on Free Postage for Election Mail".) Remarks: (1) Candidates must select one of the acceptance offices to post their postage-free election mail when handing in the specimen(s) and "Notice of Posting of Election Mail" to Hongkong Post; and (2) Candidates must furnish the Postmaster General with a security (i.e. full postage of all the election mail posted) if postings of their postage-free election mail are made before the publication of notice of valid nominations in the Gazette.