

Canvassing Activities which are Forbidden
Within a No Canvassing Zone

- (Note: (1) This list only serves to illustrate some of the common forms of canvassing activities and is by no means an exhaustive list of the canvassing activities which are prohibited within a no canvassing zone (“NCZ”).
- (2) For **buildings other than the building in which a polling station is located** within an NCZ (including residential and commercial premises such as restaurants or shops), if permission has been obtained for entry to the building for canvassing votes, door-to-door canvassing will be allowed on **storeys above or below street level (i.e. excluding the storey at the street level) in the building** provided that obstruction is not caused to any person and no sound amplifying system or device is used. During door-to-door canvassing, display or wearing of any promotional material is allowed (e.g. badge, emblem, clothing or head-dress) or any material making direct reference to a body a member of which is standing as a candidate in the election or a prescribed body the registered name or emblem of which has been printed on ballot paper for that election. **Nevertheless, canvassing activities are strictly prohibited on the storey at the street level of all the buildings within an NCZ.**
1. Unauthorised static display of election advertisements (“EAs”) on walls (including the outer walls of the polling station), windows, railings, fences, etc.
 2. Exhibition of portable displays on vehicles (whether in motion or parked within the NCZ), or such holding exhibit in person.
 3. Except for the purpose of door-to-door canvassing referred to in Note (2) above, displaying or wearing any promotional material, e.g. badge, emblem, clothing, carrier bags or head-dress which:
 - (a) may promote or prejudice the election of a candidate or candidates at the election; or
 - (b) makes direct reference to a body any member of which is standing as a candidate in the election or a prescribed body the registered name or registered emblem of which has been printed on ballot paper for the election.

4. Distribution of EAs.
5. Canvassing for votes by:
 - (c) talking to electors;
 - (d) greeting electors by smiling, waving, nodding, or shaking hands, etc.;
 - (e) shouting slogans or the name or number of a candidate or any appeal message;
 - (f) singing or chanting; or
 - (g) making signals or signs to electors.
6. Broadcast of audio or video recording to appeal to or induce electors to vote or not to vote.
7. Using loud-hailers or loudspeakers (whether hand-held or mounted on a vehicle or installed in any other manner) to broadcast any message which appeals to or induces electors to vote or not to vote.
8. Wilfully staying or loitering in the NCZ and show goodwill to electors, thereby constitutes canvassing for votes.