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Specified Persons Eligible to Inspect Registers[1] for Rural Area

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(1) Omissions list and (2) Provisional register ("PR") of electors	(a) a person who subscribes to the Government News and Media Information System maintained by the Director of Information Services; (b) a body or organisation that is incorporated, or is registered or exempt from registration, under any law of Hong Kong – (i) to which an extract was made available by the Electoral Registration Officer ("ERO") for a purpose related to a previous election[2]; (ii) and was represented by a validly nominated candidate at a previous election; or (iii) and has publicly declared an intention to arrange for any person (including a person yet to be specified) to stand as a candidate at a coming election[3]; (c) the Heung Yee Kuk; (d) a Rural Committee (for inspecting a copy of the specific division of the PR of electors that relates to the respective Rural Area only);

[1] Applicable to registers for Existing Villages ("EVs"), Indigenous Villages ("IVs"), Composite Indigenous Villages ("CIVs") and Market Towns ("MTs").

[2] "Previous election" means –
(a) the last rural ordinary election that was held before the publication date; or
(b) any rural by-election that was held after the election mentioned in item (a) and before the publication date.

[3] "Coming election" means any of the following elections that is held within one year after the publication date –
(a) a rural ordinary election; or
(b) a rural by-election.

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	(e) a resident of an EV (for inspecting a copy of the specific division of the PR of electors that relates to the EV only); (f) an indigenous inhabitant of an IV or a CIV (for inspecting a copy of the specific division of the PR of electors that relates to the IV or the CIV only); or (g) a resident of an MT (for inspecting a copy of the specific division of the PR of electors that relates to the MT only). [Ss 19 and 22 of the Electoral Affairs Commission (Registration of Electors) (Rural Representative Election) Regulation (Cap. 541K) ("EAC (ROE) (RRE) Reg")]
(3) Final register ("FR") of electors	(a) a person who subscribes to the Government News and Media Information System maintained by the Director of Information Services; (b) a body or organisation that is incorporated, or is registered or exempt from registration, under any law of Hong Kong– (i) to which an extract was made available by the ERO for a purpose related to a previous election[4]; (ii) and was represented by a validly nominated candidate at a previous election; or

[4] See footnote 2.

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	(iii) and has publicly declared an intention to arrange for any person (including a person yet to be specified) to stand as a candidate at a coming election[5]; (c) a person who is a validly nominated candidate for a Rural Area at a coming election; (d) the Heung Yee Kuk; (e) a Rural Committee (for inspecting a copy of the specific division of the FR of electors that relates to the respective Rural Area only); (f) a resident of an EV (for inspecting a copy of the specific division of the FR of electors that relates to the EV only); (g) an indigenous inhabitant of an IV or a CIV (for inspecting a copy of the specific division of the FR of electors that relates to the IV or the CIV only); or (h) a resident of an MT (for inspecting a copy of the specific division of the FR of electors that relates to the MT only). [S 30 of the EAC (ROE) (RRE) Reg]

[5] See footnote 3.