



# ELECTION COMMISSION OF BHUTAN

(Ensuring Free, Fair & Democratic Elections & Referendums)



ECB/NOTIF-01/2013/3031



Dated: 24<sup>th</sup> of April 2013

## NOTIFICATION

**Subject: Declaration of the Results of the National Council Elections 2013**  
**for**  
**the Second Parliament of Bhutan**

The Election Commission of Bhutan is pleased, as per Section 444 of the Election Act of the Kingdom of Bhutan 2008, to hereby declare the Election Results of the National Council Elections, 2013 for information of the general public.

Out of the total **67** Candidates who contested the National Council Elections, the **20** who have been elected by the voters of the 20 Dzongkhags to be their representative as the Members of the National Council of the Second *Parliament* of the Kingdom of Bhutan are:

Sl. No.	Name	CID/VPIC	Dzongkhag	Photo
1	Nima	10103000508	<b>Bumthang</b>	
2	Pema Tenzin	11410006470	<b>Chhukha</b>	

3	Sonam Dorji	10305001620	<b>Dagana</b>	
4	Sangay Khandu	10402000085	<b>Gasa</b>	
5	Tshering Dorji	10501000467	<b>Haa</b>	
6	Tempa Dorji	10602000012	<b>Lhuentse</b>	
7	Sonam Wangchuk	10710001978	<b>Monggar</b>	
8	Kaka Tshering	10811001791	<b>Paro</b>	
9	Jigme Rinzin	10905002564	<b>Pema Gatshel</b>	
10	Rinzin Dorji	11009001202	<b>Punakha</b>	
11	Jigme Wangchuk	11104002493	<b>Samdrup Jongkhar</b>	

12	Sangay Khandu	11216000365	<b>Samtse</b>	
13	Dhan Bdr. Monger	11303001900	<b>Sarpang</b>	
14	Nima Gyeltshen	11402000256	<b>Thimphu</b>	
15	Sonam Kinga	11513002276	<b>Trashigang</b>	
16	Tashi Phuntsho	11607002667	<b>Trashi Yangtse</b>	
17	Tharchen	11703001857	<b>Trongsa</b>	
18	Kamal Bahadur Gurung	11806001593	<b>Tsirang</b>	
19	Tashi Dorji	11913000025	<b>Wangdue Phodrang</b>	
20	Pema Dakpa	12001001711	<b>Zhemgang</b>	

Out of **379,819** registered voters in the 20 Dzongkhags **171,544** voters exercised their franchise. 147,577 of them cast their votes in person on the Electronic Voting Machines in the 850 Polling Stations and 23967 voters through the Postal Ballots.

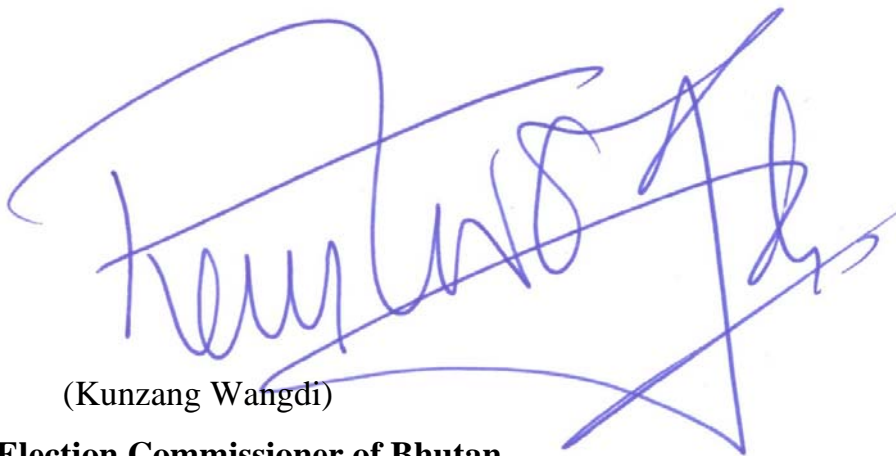
The Voter Turnout percentage is **45.16 %**.

The Final Results are available on the Election Commission's web page [www.election-bhutan.org.bt/NCResult2013](http://www.election-bhutan.org.bt/NCResult2013)

Upon issue of this Notification, the National Council shall be deemed to have been duly constituted under Section 452 of the Election Act of the Kingdom of Bhutan, 2008.

The general public is also advised that the Election Petition period starts from today and shall end at 5.00 p.m. of 8<sup>th</sup> of May 2013.

Issued on the Fourteenth Day of the Third Month of the Water Female Snake Year corresponding to 24<sup>th</sup> of April 2013.



(Kunzang Wangdi)

**Chief Election Commissioner of Bhutan**

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17. Drangpon, Royal Court of Justice, All Dzongkhags/ Dungkhags
18. Election Security Coordinator, Royal Bhutan Police, Thimphu
19. Chief Election Coordinator, 20 Dzongkhag
20. Dy. Chief Election Coordinator, All Dzongkhag
21. Assistant Chief Election Coordinator, 205 Gewogs
22. All Thrompons, 4 Dzongkhag
23. National Observers
24. Micro Observers
25. Returning Officers
26. Assistant Returning Officers
27. Office of Media Arbitrator, Thimphu
28. Dzongkhag Electoral Officers, 20 Dzongkhags

29. Dungpa, All Dungkhag Administrations
30. Gups, 205 Gewogs
31. Postal Ballot Focal Officers, Armed Forces
32. Managing Director, BBSC, Thimphu.
33. Managing Director, Kuensel Corporation, Thimphu.
34. Managing Director, Bhutan Times, Thimphu.
35. Managing Director, Bhutan Observer, Thimphu.
36. Managing Director, Bhutan Today, Thimphu.
37. Managing Director, Business Bhutan, Thimphu.
38. Managing Director, The Journalist, Thimphu.
39. Managing Director, Dzongkha Neytsuel, Thimphu.
40. Chief Executive Officer, Radio Valley, Thimphu.
41. Coordinator, Kuzoo FM, Thimphu.
42. Chief Executive Officer, Centennial Radio, Thimphu.
43. Chief Executive Officer, Radio High, Thimphu.
44. Chief Executive Officer, Radio Waves, Thimphu.

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