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## VOTER REGISTRATION

The Office of the Election Commissioner announces that the registration of all eligible voters for the 1974 Congress of Micronesia Election will begin, Monday, February 11, 1974.

TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE, A PERSON MUST:

1. Be a Marianas Citizen. Have attained his/her 18th birthday by election day, November 5, 1974.
2. Have actually resided in the Trust Territory for nine months and in the election district for three months preceding the date of registration. Temporary absences for studies or business purposes are exempted from this requirement.
3. Not be under judgment for mental incompetency or insanity.
4. Not be currently under parole, probation, or sentence for any felony for which he has been convicted by any court of the Trust Territory or any court within the jurisdiction of the United States.
5. Have registered no later than 30 days prior to election day.

Marianas Residents who have already reached or would have reached their eighteenth birthday on November 5, 1974 must register no later than October 6, 1974 in order to be eligible to vote. Those persons who have registered for any of the previous elections of the Congress of Micronesia need not re-register in order to vote. However, any voter who changes his residence from one voting precinct to another, or who changes his name, after registration in any general district register, may register again in such general district register under the proper voting precinct or the proper name.

Registration must take place within the Trust Territory and within the Administrative District in which the voter resides, except for full-time students. This means that permanent residents of the Marianas District must return to the Marianas in order to register.

REGISTRATION IS NOW BEING UNDERTAKEN BY THE FOLLOWING AUTHORIZED OFFICIALS:

- On Saipan: 1. Election Registrar.  
Office of the District Legislative Liaison Division.
2. Members of the election board.
3. Mayor, Municipality of Saipan.
- On Tinian: 1. Mayor, Municipality of Tinian.
2. Members of the election board.
- On Rota: 1. Mayor, Municipality of Rota.
2. Members of the election board.

Once again, residents are reminded that the deadline for registration for this year's Congress of Micronesia election is October 6, 1974.

Register now!

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