

# INSTRUCTIONS

House of Assembly



Newfoundland and Labrador

## APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL BALLOT

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Electors who have reason to believe that they will have difficulty voting on the days set for the Advance Poll or Ordinary Poll may complete this Application for Special Ballot.

The Completed Application must be returned by the deadline that will be publicly advertised, to the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer, 39 Hallett Crescent, O'Leary Industrial Park, St. John's, Nfld., Canada, A1B 4C4.

Proof of identification must accompany the Application. This may consist of a copy of an official document bearing the elector's name, address and signature such as a valid driver's license. Alternatively, copies of two documents may be provided, one bearing the elector's name and signature such as a social security card and another bearing the elector's name and residence address such as a utility bill.

All applications received in the office of the Chief Electoral Officer by the deadline will be processed. If the application is approved, the applicant's name will be appropriately entered on the voter's list and a Special Ballot Kit will be sent by regular mail to the applicant. Applicants may make other arrangements to pick-up the Special Ballot Kit in person at the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer or to have it couriered at their own expense.

The Special Ballot Kit will enable the elector to write in the name of the Candidate or Political Party or both on a blank Special Ballot form. This Special Ballot must be returned, in a series of envelopes designed to provide voting secrecy, to the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer by the deadline that will be publicly announced.

It is the responsibility of the elector to make application in a timely fashion and to meet the deadlines established. Once an Application for a Special Ballot is approved and a Special Ballot Kit is distributed, the elector shall not vote in an Advance Poll or at an Ordinary Poll in the election.

***For further information or assistance, contact a Special Ballot Officer at (709) 729-0712***