

2023 District Council Ordinary Election
Outcome of Complaint Cases Investigated by the Electoral Affairs Commission
(Showing position as at 15 February 2024)

Nature		Outcome							Total
		Investigation underway	Action completed						
			Withdrawn	No further action	Referral made	Not substantiated	Partially substantiated	Substantiated	
1	Election advertisements	-	4	41	908	-	-	-	953
2	Electioneering activities on private/government premises	1	1	25	159	-	-	-	186
3	Entitlement to vote	-	-	16	1	-	-	-	17
4	Allocation/ designation of polling station	2	1	50	1	-	-	-	54
5	False statements	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	4
6	False claim of support	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
7	Corruption/bribery/ treating/duress/ undue influence	-	-	3	9	-	-	-	12
8	Impersonation in relation to voting	3	-	-	2	-	-	-	5
9	Disturbances to electors caused by loudspeakers/ broadcasting vehicles/ telephone canvassing/others	-	-	90	30	-	-	-	120
10	Personal data privacy	-	-	34	9	-	-	1	44
11	Polling arrangements	3	1	88	1	-	-	-	93
12	No Canvassing Zone arrangements	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
13	Illegal canvassing in No Canvassing Zone/ No Staying Zone	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5
14	Conduct of exit polls	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	8

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15	Against Returning Officer or his/her staff	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
16	Against polling staff	3	2	66	2	1	-	-	74
17	Nomination and candidature	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	7
18	Election expenses	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	3
19	Inaccurate voter registration particulars	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	7
20	Unfair and unequal treatment by the media	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
21	Counting arrangements	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
22	Complaints outside EAC's ambit	1	-	16	1	-	-	-	18
23	Illegal conduct at the polling station	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
24	Deception/obstruction in relation to voting	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
25	Inciting another person not to vote or to cast invalid vote by activity in public	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
26	Others	-	-	12	2	-	-	1	15
Total		13	9	471	1 146	1	-	2	1 642