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**FROM : CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

**TO : SALGA PROVINCIAL CHAIRPERSONS  
EXECUTIVE MAYORS / MAYORS  
SPEAKERS  
MUNICIPAL MANAGERS**

**CC : PROVINCIAL EXECUTIVE OFFICERS**

**DATE : 01 MARCH 2019**

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### MUNICIPAL OUTDOOR ADVERTISING BY-LAWS

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In preparation for the 2019 National and Provincial Elections and in an attempt to ensure the general smooth administration of the elections, SALGA has been approached to request all municipalities to accommodate political parties with regard to their Outdoor Advertising By-Laws. The request, in particular, is for municipalities to relax the said by-laws for a reasonable period leading up to the elections, in order to allow political parties to erect the necessary election posters.

The relaxation envisaged relates, amongst others, to the limitation on the number of posters to be erected, any prohibitions on the areas for the display of posters and the payment of deposits for the election of posters. Municipalities are, however, required to put arrangements in place to ensure the removal of all election posters by political parties immediately after the elections.

Municipalities are kindly requested to favourably consider this request, and to ensure that all registered political parties contesting the election received equal benefits in this regard.

Yours faithfully,

  
**XOLILE GEORGE**  
**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**