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## 10 new municipalities

### Running fast to catch up

**The 10 new municipalities will follow the same schedule as the other 43**, with registration finishing on 23 July and elections on 20 November, National Elections Commission (Comissão Nacional de Eleições, CNE) president Abdul Carimo told a press conference today. That means running to catch up.

In the haste to set up district election commissions, civil society will have only 7 days from today to make nominations. Each commission will have five civil society members.

Registration in these small towns will be for just one month, starting on 20 June and ending 23 July – the same day as the in the other 43. Registration began 25 May in the other 43.

The 10 new municipalities are: Boane (Maputo province), Praia do Bilene (Gaza), Quissico (Inhambane), Nhamatanda (Sofala), Sussundenga (Manica), Nhamayábuè (Tete), Maganja da Costa (Zambézia), Malema (Nampula), Chiúre (Cabo Delgado) and Mandimba (Niassa).

Radio Mozambique reports that the extra registration cost for the 10 additional municipalities will be only \$9,000.

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