



DIASPORA VOTE 2008

Symbolic Mock Elections

Disenfranchised Zimbabweans in the Diaspora are hereby urged to cast their symbolic votes as a sign of protest for being excluded from the 2008 elections.

1) Cast your vote at the following polling stations:

Canada, Ottawa, Zimbabwe Embassy in Ottawa, at 12 noon on Friday 28th March, 2008. For further information please contact: Albert + 1 416 648 0855, Andrew +1 416 439 2781, Olga +1 647 501 4112 or Gabriel +1 416 439 2781

United Kingdom, London, Zimbabwe Embassy in London, from 6am to 6pm on Election Day, Saturday 29th March, 2008. For further information please contact: Rose Benton + 44 (07970 996 003) or Dumi Tutani+44 (07960 039 775).

For further information on how to vote in Australia, Botswana, USA, and South Africa please contact James +1 214 274 2992 or Phil + 1 512 788 6355

2) Postal Voting

Send your ballot paper to the Embassy of Zimbabwe in your country of residence, by email from an internet village, fax from a business center or post.

In denying us our right to vote the government issued the following statement: "Most of the countries in which Zimbabweans were living have adopted measures and sanctions that prohibited government officials from entering such countries. This would create an uneven political playing field where the ruling party would not have access to would-be voters while the opposition would have easy access."







The above government statement is a stunt designed to merely deprive us of our right to vote. Travel restrictions only target certain government officials who are not permitted to travel to the EU, USA, Australia, and New Zealand. If teachers can conduct the elections in Zimbabwe, then the same teachers should supervise the Diaspora vote.

Please find attached below the ballot paper and contact details for the relevant Zimbabwean diplomatic missions.

Email: vhoti2008@gmail.com

DIASPORA BALLOT PAPER

2008

PARTY	CANDIDATE	PARTY SYMBOL	VHOTI YAKO IVHOTI YAKO YOUR VOTE
MDC	<p>MORGAN TSVANGIRAI</p> 		
MAVAMBO KUSILE DAWN	<p>SIMBA MAKONI</p> 		
ZANU (PF)	<p>ROBERT MUGABE</p> 		

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