

FORM 8 (Section 39(7))
THE ELECTIONS ACT

**STATUTORY DECLARATION OF A PERSON NOMINATED AS A
CANDIDATE FOR ELECTION AS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE
OF ASSEMBLY**

Qualification of
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nominated as a candidate for election as a member of the House of
Assembly for the Electoral District.

I,
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in the of
do solemnly and sincerely declare that —

- (a) I am a citizen of Saint Lucia;
- (b) I am not below the age of 21;
- (c) I was —
 - (i) born in Saint Lucia and am domiciled and resident there at the date of my nomination for election; or
 - (ii) born outside Saint Lucia but have resided in Saint Lucia for a period of 12 months immediately preceding the date of my nomination for election;
- (d) I am able to speak and read the English language with a degree of proficiency sufficient to enable me to take an active part in the proceedings of the House of Assembly;
- (e) I am not by virtue of my own under any acknowledgement of allegiance, obedience or adherence to a foreign power or state;
- (f) I am not a minister of religion;
- (g) I am not a person certified to be insane or otherwise adjudged to be of unsound mind under any law in force in any part of the Commonwealth;
- (h) I do not hold, nor am I acting in any public office;
- (i) I am not under sentence of death imposed on me by a court in any part of the Commonwealth nor am I serving a sentence of imprisonment (by whatever named called) exceeding 12 months imposed on me by such a court or substituted by competent authority for some other sentence imposed on me by such a court, nor am I under such a sentence of imprisonment the execution of which has been suspended;
- (j) I am not disqualified for membership of the House of

Assembly by any law enacted by the Parliament of Saint Lucia by reason of my having any interest in any such Government contract as may be prescribed by any law;

- (k) I have not been adjudged or otherwise declared bankrupt under any law in force in any part of the Commonwealth and have not been discharged;
- (l) I am not disqualified for membership of the House of Assembly by virtue of any law enacted by the Parliament of Saint Lucia relating to offences connected with elections;
- (m) I am not disqualified for election by any law enacted by the Parliament of Saint Lucia by reason of my holding or acting in any office the functions of which involve —
 - (i) any responsibility for, or in connection with, the conduct of any election; or
 - (ii) any responsibility for the compilation or revision of any electoral register.

I make this declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and according to the Statutory Declaration Act and I am aware that if there is any statement in this Declaration which is false in fact which I know or believe to be false or do not believe to be true, I am liable to imprisonment.

(Signed)

Declared before me this day of 20.....

(Signed)