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## COUNTING OF DAYS

When notice is to be given within a defined number of days before a specified event, the deadline includes the last day.

## Example: Notice of EDA General Meeting

## EDA General Meeting Notice

"Notice of at least twenty-eight (28) days" must be given to every Registered Liberal residing in the riding. To calculate the meeting date, do not include the date Notice was given, but do include the $28^{\text {th }}$ day.

In this example, where an EDA General Meeting is called on August $2^{\text {nd }}$, the earliest possible meeting date is August $30^{\text {th }}$.

## Intent to stand

A Registered Liberal wishing to stand for an office to be elected an EDA AGM must submit a notice of their intention to stand for such office "not later than fourteen (14) days prior to such Electoral Event." In this example, for an EDA General Meeting held on August 30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$, the Intent to Stand cutoff is August $16^{\text {th }}$.

Eligibility to Vote at an EDA General Meeting
"All Registered Liberals who are registered not later than seven (7) days prior to the occurrence of such Electoral Event will be eligible to vote." In this example, for an EDA General Meeting held on August $30^{\text {th }}$, the voter cut-off is August $23^{\text {rd }}$.

| August |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |  |  |

## Example: Call of a Nomination Meeting

Notice of the Nomination Meeting shall between fourteen (14) and twenty-eight (28) days prior to the Nomination Meeting.

In this example, where the Call of the Nomination Meeting is September $4^{\text {th }}$, the earliest possible date for the Nomination Meeting is September $18^{\text {th }}$. The latest possible date for the Nomination Meeting is October $2^{\text {nd }}$.

| September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |  |
| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |  |
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| October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |  |
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