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RASSED: 73 ELECTORAL LIST REGISTERED AS OF 12:00 PM

- High efficiency of the election committees in receiving applications for candidacy.
- 73 electoral lists were registered as of 12:00 pm.
- 420 elections candidates, including 94 women.
- 2 female lists running for elections in Karak and Ajloun.
- Aqaba's authority actions delayed the listing process.

* This work was carried out by long-term monitors as part of the process of monitoring the parliamentary elections 2020



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Hayat - RASED: In order to complete the monitoring of the upcoming parliamentary elections, the «RASED» team continued monitoring the process of submitting applications for candidacy for parliamentary elections, which started this morning, through 180 field monitors and observers who were trained on pre-prepared models inspired by international best practices in the process of monitoring candidacy.

As of 12 pm, 73 electoral lists were registered in all electoral districts, except for Mafraq's electoral district, in which no list was registered until 12 pm. Moreover, It was found that Amman's second district had registered the most electoral lists with 9, followed by Irbid's first district with 6 electoral lists.

In regards to candidates, their number reached 420 candidates, which includes 326 male and 94 female candidates, and it is reported that two lists consisting of women only were registered: the Nashmiyat al-Hayya list in Karak' district and the Nashmiyat list in Ajloun's district.

The start of the candidate registration process was characterized by relative calm without any incidents of violence or quarrels in any of the electoral districts, as candidate registration centers were opened on the specified date, at 8:30 am in all of Jordan's districts, and the registration process showed high efficiency by the election committees in receiving and registering of electoral lists.

According to the data reported by the field monitoring teams, the registration centers have been equipped to receive the electoral lists, with the monitors stating that 90% of the registration centers were suitable for persons with disabilities. As for the inconvenient centers, which were rated as such due to the allocation of registration offices on the second floor without an electric elevator, they were Zarqa's first and Amman's second district registration centers.

The Aqaba District's monitoring team reported deficiencies related to a delay in registering the electoral lists due to the lists and candidates facing some issues in paying insurance for advertising campaigns with the Aqaba Special Zone Authority, which contributed to delaying their registration and limiting the fluidity of the registration process. However, at 11 am, the problem was resolved after some communications by the Independent Election Commission.

The number of candidates and lists as of 12:00 pm of the first day of registration for the upcoming 2020 parliamentary elections

Country-level



Electoral level

