



**ELECTORAL COMMISSION**  
**CONSTITUENCY AND WARD BOUNDARY DESCRIPTIONS FOR**  
**CONFIRMATION**

**1. NKHOTAKOTA**

**1.1. NKHOTAKOTA DWANGWA CONSTITUENCY**

The constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 45,764.

*The constituency comprises the area covering the whole of Traditional Authority Kafuzira and the Northern part of Traditional Authority Kanyenda.*

The constituency boundary commences at the point where the boundaries of Nkhotakota, Mzimba and Nkhata Bay districts converge, which is at the confluence of Kaunga and Dwambazi Rivers, thence Easterly along the Nkhotakota-Nkhata Bay district boundary along the Dwambazi River, up to Lake Malawi, thence South Easterly along the shoreline of Lake Malawi up to the estuary with Dwangwa River, thence Southerly along Dwangwa River up to the Nkhotakota-Mzimba district boundary, thence North Westerly along the said district boundary, then North Easterly up to the point where the boundaries of Nkhotakota, Mzimba and Nkhata Bay districts converge, which is the point of commencement.

**WARDS**

**(1) Kasitu Ward**

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 14,307. It is to the North of the constituency.

**(2) Nkhunga Ward**

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 31,457. It is to the South of the constituency.

The wards are demarcated by the boundary between Traditional Authorities Kafuzila and Kanyenda.

## **1.2. NKHOTAKOTA LIWALADZI CONSTITUENCY**

The constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 44,100.

*The constituency comprises the Southern part of Traditional Authority Kanyenda and North Eastern part of Traditional Authority Mphonde.*

The constituency boundary commences at the estuary of Dwangwa River into Lake Malawi, thence Easterly along the shoreline of Lake Malawi, and then Southerly up to the estuary of Bua River into Lake Malawi, thence North Westerly along Bua River and then Southerly up to the boundary between Traditional Authority Kanyenda and Nkhotakota Game Reserve, thence North Westerly along the said boundary, up to the point where it meets Dwangwa River, thence North Easterly along Dwangwa River up to its estuary into Lake Malawi, which is the point of commencement.

### **WARDS**

#### **(1) Kabiza Ward**

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 21,905. It is to the North of the constituency.

#### **(2) Msenjere Ward**

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 22,195. It is to the South of the constituency.

The wards are demarcated by the Liwaladzi River.

## **1.3. NKHOTAKOTA CENTRAL CONSTITUENCY**

The constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 50,262.

*The constituency comprises the Northern part of Nkhotakota Game Reserve, a large part of Traditional Authority Mphonde, Nkhotakota Boma and the Northern Part of Traditional Authority Malengachanzi.*

The constituency boundary commences at the point where the boundary between Nkhotakota Game Reserve and Traditional Authority Kanyenda meets the Nkhotakota-Mzimba district boundary, thence South Easterly along the boundary between the game reserve and Traditional Authority Kanyenda crossing M5 Road up to the point where it meets Bua River, thence Northerly and then South Easterly along Bua River up to its estuary into Lake Malawi, thence Southerly along the shoreline up to the estuary of Kanjamwano River into Lake Malawi, thence North Westerly along Kanjamwano River up to its confluence with Chamakuwi River, thence North Westerly along Chamakuwi River up to M5 Road, thence Southerly joining an earth road, through Mazengera, Tandwe 1 and Sasani Villages, up to Thale II School. Thence South Westerly along an unnamed earth road up to the Nkhotakota Game Reserve boundary, thence South Easterly, along the game reserve boundary up to the point where the boundary intersects with Mbambara River at a point 633076E, 8553348N, thence through Nkhotakota Game

Reserve up to a point 614916E, 8548829N along the Nkhotakota-Ntchisi district boundary. Thence Northerly along the district boundary, thence Westerly, then South Westerly, then North Westerly up to the point where the boundaries of Nkhotakota, Kasungu and Ntchisi districts converge, thence North Easterly along Nkhotakota-Kasungu district boundary, then North Westerly up to the point where the boundaries of Nkhotakota, Mzimba and Kasungu districts converge, thence North Easterly along Nkhotakota-Mzimba district boundary up to the point where it meets the boundary between Nkhotakota Game Reserve and Traditional Authority Kanyenda which is the point of commencement.

## **WARDS**

### **(1) Mpondagaga Ward**

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 16,842. It is to the North of the constituency.

### **(2) Mawira Ward**

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 33,420. It is to the South of the constituency.

The wards are demarcated by Kaombe River

## **1.4. NKHOTAKOTA CHIA CONSTITUENCY**

The constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 39,038.

*The constituency comprises the whole area of Sub Traditional Authority Kalimanjira, the Southern part of Traditional Authority Malengachanzi, the Northern part of Traditional Authority Mwadzama and the Southern part of Nkhotakota Game Reserve.*

The constituency boundary commences at the estuary of Kanjamwano River into Lake Malawi. Thence Southerly along the Lake Malawi Shoreline up to the estuary of Lifuliza River into Lake Malawi, at a point 642842E, 8528943N, thence South Westerly along Lifuliza River up to the Nkhotakota-Ntchisi district boundary. Thence Northerly along the district boundary up to a point 614599E, 8548822N, thence North Easterly through Nkhotakota Game Reserve up to a point 633138E, 8553372N, on the convergence point of the boundaries between Traditional Authority Malengachanzi and Sub Traditional Authority Kalimanjira and Nkhotakota Game Reserve, thence proceeding North Easterly along the Nkhotakota Game Reserve boundary, then North Westerly up to Sasani Village where the boundary intersect with an earth road at a point 631167E, 8560287N, thence North Easterly along the earth road up to Thale II School up to its junction with the road from Tandwe Village, thence South Easterly along the road up to a junction with an earth road at a point 635109E, 8559732N, then North Easterly along the earth road through Tandwe 1 Village, then intersecting with M5 Road at Chota Village, thence Easterly, joining Chamakuwi River, thence South Easterly along the river up to its confluence with Kanjamwano River, thence North Easterly along Kanjamwano River up to its estuary into Lake Malawi which is the point of commencement.

## **WARDS**

### **(1) Kalimanjira Ward**

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 25,878. It is to the North of the constituency.

### **(2) Matamangwe Ward**

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 13,160. It is to the South of the constituency.

The wards are demarcated by a boundary which commences at a point 633138E, 8553372N on the boundary between Traditional Authority Malengachanzi and Nkhotakota Game Reserve, thence South Westerly along the said boundary, then along the boundary between Sub Traditional Authority Kalimanjira and Nkhotakota Game Reserve, then between Nkhotakota Game Reserve and Traditional Authority Mwadzama, up to the point where it joins Likoa River, thence Easterly along Likoa River up to Malowa Village, then joining an earth road thence North Easterly up to Chikwawa School, thence South Easterly through Ngalauka Village then intersecting M5 Road up to the Lake Malawi Shoreline at a point 644481E, 8542787N, which is the constituency boundary.

## **1.5. NKHOTAKOTA MKHULA CONSTITUENCY**

The constituency has a projected eligible voter population of 59,135.

*The constituency comprises the Southern parts of both Traditional Authorities Mwadzama and Mwansambo.*

The constituency boundary commences at the estuary of Lifuliza River into Lake Malawi, thence Southerly along the shoreline up to the point where the Nkhotakota-Salima district boundary meets the shoreline, thence South Westerly along the Nkhotakota-Salima district boundary up to a point where the boundaries of Nkhotakota, Salima, Ntchisi districts converge, thence Northerly along Nkhotakota-Ntchisi district boundary, up to the where it intersects with Lifuliza River, thence North Easterly along Lifuliza River up to its estuary into Lake Malawi, which is the point of commencement.

## **WARDS**

### **(1) Kasangazi Ward**

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 35,489. It is to the North of the constituency.

### **(2) Mtosa Ward**

The ward has a projected eligible voter population of 23,646. It is to the South of the constituency.

The wards are demarcated by a boundary which commences at the estuary of Lipyodzi River into Lake Malawi, thence Northerly along Lipyodzi River up to its confluence with Nauikoko River. Thence Westerly along Nauikoko River up to its confluence with Mkumbaleza River, thence South Westerly along Mkumbaleza River up to the point where it meets the boundary between Traditional Authorities Mwansambo and Mwadzama. Thence South Westerly along the said boundary, up to the Nkhotakota-Ntchisi district boundary, which is the constituency boundary.