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CDP reacts to election date

"The Deputy President's announcement that the Local Government elections are going to take place on the 18th May, has set in motion the run-up to the 4th such elections since 1995."

"As the Christian Democratic Party we look forward to an exciting campaign in which the electorate will be educated through good debate and not intimidated by threatening behaviour," says, Rev Theunis Botha, Leader of the Christian Democratic Party.

"The CDP has taken part in all Local Government elections since 1999 and is proud of the achievements of its councillors.

"Our prayer is that everything will run smoothly and without violence and that we will indeed have a fair and free election."

CDP reageer op verkiesingsdatum

"Die adjunk-president se aankondiging dat die plaaslike regeringsverkiesing op 18 Mei gaan plaasvind, het die wiele aan die rol gesit vir die 4de sodanige verkiesing sedert 1995.

"As Christen-Demokratiese Party (CDP) sien ons uit na 'n opwindende veldtog waartydens die kiesers deur goeie debatvoering, en nie intimidasie of dreigende gedrag nie, ingelig sal word," aldus ds. Theunis Botha, leier van die CDP.

Die CDP het aan alle plaaslike regeringsverkiesings sedert 1999 deelgeneem en is trots op die prestasies van sy raadslede.

"Dit is ons bede dat alles glad sal verloop, geweldsvry sal wees en dat ons werklik 'n vry en regverdige verkiesing sal beleef."