

Indicators of Democratic Elections

Asian Electoral Stakeholder Forum II

Dili, Timor Leste

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Legal Framework

Universal suffrage and basic freedoms

Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR)

International Covenant of Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR)

Non-discrimination

The rule of law to all electoral stakeholders

Level-playing field

Fair Constituency Delimitation

Participation of Political Parties and Candidates

Free and Fair Campaigning

Fair Coverage of Media

Professional Electoral Management Body (EMB)

EMB as a Democratic Institution that is Independent and Impartial

Efficient, Transparent Pre-election Preparations

Well-organised Election Day, Free from Fraud

There is Timely Reporting of Election Result

Inclusive and Meaningful Participation of Citizens

Gender, race, religion, wealth

Voter education

Vulnerable and marginalised groups

Absentee voting mechanism

Effective, Efficient, and Impartial Electoral Justice & Electoral Dispute Resolution

An impartial, transparent, independent and timely manner consistent with respect for the rule of law.