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**Eleven Political Parties Will Formally Compete in the 4<sup>th</sup> Mandate**  
**Election of Members of the 2008 National Assembly**

The National Election Committee (NEC) would like to announce that eleven (11) political parties were officially approved for the 4<sup>th</sup> National Assembly Election. These political parties are in the following table:

N°	Name of Political Parties	Number of Constituencies	Number of Titular		Number of Titular and Alternate	
			Total	Female	Total	Female
1	Cambodia People's Party	24	123	20	265	46
2	Norodom Ranariddh Party	24	123	11	264	26
3	Hang Dara Democratic Movement Party	24	123	10	264	27
4	Human Rights Party	24	123	11	264	26
5	Society of Justice Party	07	46	13	92	31
6	League for Democracy Party	24	123	24	264	67
7	Sam Rainsy Party	24	123	17	264	33
8	Khmer Anti-Poverty Party	07	60	10	120	39
9	Funcinpec Party	24	123	10	264	27
10	Khmer Republican Party	09	72	10	146	25
11	Khmer Democratic Party	24	123	37	271	53

For the 4<sup>th</sup> Mandate Election of Members of the 2008 National Assembly, twelve (12) political parties registered. The United People of Cambodia Party's application was rejected due to the party not completing the required conditions as prescribed in the Law.

On May 17, 2008, the United People of Cambodia Party's application filed a complaint with the Constitutional Council. On May 26, 2008, the Constitutional Council opened a public hearing and rejected the complaints, stating that the Law on the Organization and Functioning of Constitutional Councils does not give jurisdiction to the Constitutional Council on the replacement of candidates whose names are not on the voter list.