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THE PUBLIC HOLIDAYS ACT,
(CAP. 35)

PROCLAMATION

(Made under section 3)

THE PUBLIC HOLIDAYS (DECLARATION OF ELECTION DAY AS A PUBLIC
HOLIDAY) PROCLAMATION, 2020

WHEREAS section 3 of the Public Holidays Act, Cap. 35 vests in the President the powers to declare any day to be a public holiday in addition to the days set out in the Schedule to the Act or substitute any of them and thereupon such day be a public holiday as if it were mentioned in that Schedule;

AND WHEREAS for purposes of facilitating all eligible persons to exercise their right to vote, the President is minded to declare the Election Day to be a public holiday;

AND WHEREAS the 28th day of October, 2020, Wednesday, which is a working day, has been declared the Election Day for the 2020 General Elections by the National Electoral Commission;

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers vested in the President by section 3 of the Public Holidays Act, Cap. 35, I, **JOHN POMBE JOSEPH MAGUFULI**, President of the United Republic of Tanzania, do hereby proclaim and declare the 28th day of October, 2020 to be a public holiday.

Given under my hand and sealed this Proclamation with the Public Seal at Dodoma this 22nd day of July, 2020.



JOHN POMBE JOSEPH MAGUFULI
President