
IRAQ LOCAL POLLS DELAYED TO 2019: ELECTORAL COMMISSION

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Iraqs upcoming municipal polls -- initially slated for Dec. 22 -- have been postponed to sometime next year, Iraqs official electoral commission announced Wednesday.

In a statement, the commission attributed the move to the ongoing failure of the countrys leading political parties to form a new government in the wake of hotly-contested May 12 parliamentary polls.

It also said that at least six months was needed to prepare for the upcoming municipal election.

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