## Restructuring a Local Government

A proponent (one or more local government councils, the Minister of Local Government, or 25+ residents in a rural district) must submit a proposal to the LGC.



The LGC then determines whether the proposal meets the legislative requirements. If it does, the LGC will notify:

The Minister.

All affected local governments.

The applicable Regional Service Commission (RSC).

Any other entities affected by the proposal.

Following public engagement (by the proponent), the proponent must prepare a report for the LGC's review.



If the LGC deems that the report meets the legislative requirements. The LGC will:

Provide **notice to all affected local governments**, the Minister, and the applicable RSC.

Provide notice of the report in the Royal Gazette.

Post the report on its website for at least 30 days for public review and feedback.

Accept feedback on the report for up to 10 days, once the 30-day period has elapsed.

The LGC will then have 45 days to review the report and any additional information before making a recommendation to the Minister, who will ultimately determine whether to proceed with the restructuring.



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