



Tanzania nach den Wahlen

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On October 28, 2020, Tanzania held presidential and parliamentary elections.

President Magufuli was running for a second term.

In the last five years, he had presented himself as a doer and fighter against corruption.

At the same time, the opportunities for action by the press, opposition and civil society were severely curtailed.

During the election, the availability of social media was also restricted.

The official results of the elections show a resounding victory for Magufuli and his party, the CCM. The opposition criticized many irregularities during the elections, and opposition politician Tundu Lissu called on foreign countries not to recognize the results. In Zanzibar, however, the opposition party ACT-Wazalendo accepted participation in a government of national unity.

Topics-Online will try to trace some aspects of the political developments of the last five years and the electoral process. A look at the development and important cornerstones of the Tanzanian constitution will help to understand the current political situation. A concluding article addresses a tendency toward authoritarian structures that can also be observed in Tanzania. Their supporters claim that these can most effectively drive a country's development.

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Programm:

9.30 Welcome and technical introduction

9.45 The last five years under Magufuli (Hans Köbler), The time since the elections (Michael Seitz)

10.40 Exchange: What have I heard about the elections from Tanzania? What do I think?

11.00 Break

11.15 The long road to a multiparty system (Dorcas Parsalaw)

12.00 Break

12.15 Ideological trends in Africa: a focus on Tanzania

13.00 conclusion

13.15 Networking offer online

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