**Press release**

2013 Bundestag elections: opening hours of the German Bundestag's Accreditation Office

In the week leading up to the Bundestag elections, the German Bundestag's Accreditation Office (address: Wilhelmstr. 65), will be open at the normal times:

**Monday: 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Tuesday to Thursday: 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.
Friday: 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.**

In addition, on the day of the election itself, **Sunday 22 September, the Accreditation Office will be open from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.**

Please bear in mind that, on Election Day, only the Federal Returning Officer will be in the Reichstag Building – he will set up his temporary computer centre there and later announce the preliminary election results (www.bundeswahlleiter.de). Media representatives who wish to report on the work of the Federal Returning Officer require valid accreditation from the German Bundestag. The accreditation form can be found at: <http://www.bundestag.de/presse/akkreditierung/index.html>

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