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No. SEC-16-70/20014-II- 1852

Dated the 3rd July, 2018

NOTIFICATION

In accordance with Article 243K of the Constitution of India and Section 160 of the Himachal Pradesh Panchayati Raj Act, 1994, it is hereby directed that the Model Code of Conduct as notified by this Commission vide Notification No. SEC-16-29/2001-3464 dated 06th October, 2015 shall come into force with the issuance of this notification in the territorial jurisdiction of those Panchayat where by-elections are to be held on 29th July, 2018 till the election process is complete. In the case of by-elections to Member Zila Parishad entire district except territorial jurisdiction of Municipalities, while for by-elections to Member Panchayat Samiti entire Development Block except the territorial jurisdiction of Municipalities, the Model Code of Conduct shall come into force. In the case of by elections to Pradhan, Up-Pradhan and Ward Member the entire Gram Panchayat shall come under the Model Code of Conduct.

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(P. Mitra)

State Election Commissioner
Himachal Pradesh.

No. SEC-16-70/20014-II-1853-2009

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1. The Secretary to H.E. the Governor of H.P.
2. The Add. Chief Secretary-cum-Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister, H.P.
3. The Principal Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister H.P.
4. The Secretary, Vidhan Sabha Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-4.
5. All the Special / Sr. Private Secretaries to the Ministers to the Govt. of H.P.
6. The Chief Secretary to the Govt. of H.P.
7. The Director General of Police, Himachal Pradesh.
8. All Additional Chief Secretaries to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.
9. All Principal Secretaries/Secretaries to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.
10. The Secretary (Panchayat Raj) to the Govt. of H.P.
11. The Secretary (GAD) to the Govt. of HP.
12. The Director Panchayati Raj Department Shimla-9.
13. All the Deputy Commissioners of Himachal Pradesh.
14. All the Superintendent of Police of Himachal Pradesh.
15. Director, Information and Public Relation Department Shimla-2, for wide publicity.
16. Director AIR / Doordarshan, Shimla-4, for wide publicity.
17. All the Assistant District Election Officers-cum-District Panchayat Officers HP.
18. All The Block Development Officers Himachal Pradesh.
19. E- Gazette.
20. Guard File. and file No. SEC-16-29/2000-I

(Signature)
(Surjeet Singh Rathore)

Secretary
State Election Commission
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No. SEC .16-70/2014-II- **1694**

Dated

3rd July, 2018

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers vested in it under Article 243-K of the Constitution of India, Section 160 of the Himachal Pradesh Panchayati Raj Act, 1994 read with Rule 32 of the Himachal Pradesh Panchayati Raj (Election) Rules, 1994, the State Election Commission Himachal Pradesh hereby notifies the Election Programme for the conduct of by-elections to fill up the casual vacancies occurred up to date in Panchayati Raj Institutions as under:-

1	List of Polling stations shall be published:	On or before 11 th July, 2018
2	Nomination papers shall be presented:	On 11 th , 12 th and 13 th July, 2018 (between 11 am to 3 pm). Nomination papers for the office bearers of Gram Panchayat, Panchayat Samiti & Zila Parishad shall be filed at designated places and before the Officers appointed by the District Election Officers (Panchayat) – cum- Deputy Commissioner for the purpose.
3	The nomination papers shall be scrutinized:	On 16 th July, 2018 (From 10.00 am onwards)
4	A candidate may withdraw his candidature:	On 18 th July, 2018 (Between 10.00 am to 3.00 p.m.)
5	List of contesting candidates showing the name of symbol allotted to them shall be prepared and affixed on the Notice Board of Returning / Assistant Returning Officer:	On 18 th July, 2018 immediately after the time of withdrawal is over.
6	The Poll, if necessary, shall be held from 7 AM to 3 PM	On 29 th July, 2018

7	Counting of votes, in the event of Poll, shall be done	<p>(i)The counting of votes for the Ward Members, Up-Pradhan and Pradhan of Gram Panchayats shall be taken up immediately after the close of the poll at the Gram Panchayat Headquarters.</p> <p>(ii)The counting of votes for the members of Panchayat Samiti and Zila Parishad shall be taken up on 30th July, 2018 at 8.30 A.M. at respective Block Headquarters. The counting for a Ward once started shall continue until it is completed.</p>
8.	The results of election shall be declared.	<p>The results of the election of Member, Up-Pradhan & Pradhan of Gram Panchayat shall be declared immediately after the counting is over.</p> <p>The result of election of Members of Panchayat Samiti shall be declared on the day of counting at the Block Headquarters immediately after the counting process is over. The result of election to Zila Parishad shall be declared in accordance with the provisions contained in rule 75(vi) of the Himachal Pradesh Panchayati Raj (Election) Rules, 1994.</p>

Note: **The process of election shall be completed by 31st July, 2018.**

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(P. Mitra)
State Election Commissioner
Himachal Pradesh

Endst. No. SEC .16-70/2014-II-1695-1706 Dated

3rd July, 2018

All the **District Election Officers (Panchayat) –cum-**Deputy Commissioners for information and necessary action. They shall issue Notice of Election Programme in accordance with the provisions contained in Rule 33 of the Himachal Pradesh Panchayati Raj (Election) Rules, 1994 on the same date on which the State Election Commission has issued, supra notification. A copy of notice in Form-17 required under ibid rule may be ensured to send to this Office for information.


(Surjeet Singh Rathore)
Secretary


State Election Commission
Himachal Pradesh.

Endst. No. SEC .16-70/2014-II- 1707-1851 Dated

3rd July, 2018

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7. The Director General Police, Himachal Pradesh.
8. All the Additional Chief Secretaries to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.
9. All Principal Secretaries to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.
10. The Secretary (Panchayat Raj) to the Govt. of H.P.
11. The Secretary (GAD) to the Govt. of HP with the request that the day of poll in Panchayat concerned be declared a paid holiday under Negotiable Instrument Act in order to enable the electors to exercise their right of franchise.
12. Director Panchayati Raj Deptt. Shimla-9.
13. All Superintendents of Police in H.P.
14. Director, Information and Public Relation Deptt. Shimla with the request that wide publicity may please be ensured to the election programme as issued above.
15. Director AIR/ Doordarshan, Shimla-4, with the request that wide publicity may please be ensured of the Election Programme.
16. All the Asstt. District Election Officer(P)-cum-Distt. Panchayat Officer in H.P.
17. All the Block Development Officers in HP.
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