

राज्य निर्वाचन आयोग हिमाचल प्रदेश STATE ELECTION COMMISSION HIMACHAL PRADESH

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Dated, the

29 th May, 2017

NOTIFICATION

Consequent upon the orders of the Hon'ble High Court of Himachal Pradesh passed while disposing of the CWP No.975 of 2017 titled as Raju Thakur versus State Election Commission and others and in exercise of the powers vested in it under Article 243-ZA of the Constitution of India, Section 9 of the Himachal Pradesh Municipal Corporation Act, 1994 read with Rule 33 of the Himachal Pradesh Municipal Corporation Election Rules, 2012, the State Election Commission Himachal Pradesh hereby notifies the Election Programme for the conduct of general elections to Municipal Corporation Shimla as under:-

1	Nomination papers shall be presented;	On 2nd, 3rd and 5 th June, 2017 (between 11.00 am to 3.00 pm). Nomination papers shall be filed at designated places and before the Officers appointed by the Returning Officer for the
2	The nomination papers shall be scrutinized;	purpose. On 6 th June, 2017 (From 10.00 am onwards)
3	A candidate may withdraw his candidature;	On 8 th June, 2017 (Before 3.00 p.m.)
4	The list of contesting candidates alongwith their photograph showing the name of symbols allotted to them immediately after the time of withdrawal is over shall be prepared and affixed;	On 8th June, 2017 Immediately after the time of withdrawal is over.
5	The list of Polling stations shall be pasted;	On or before 2nd June, 2017.
6	The Poll, if necessary, shall be held from 8.00 AM to 4.00 PM	On 16th June, 2017.
7	Counting of votes, in the event of poll, shall be done	On 17th June, 2017 at 9.00 a.m. at District Headquarters Shimla.

Note: The process of election shall be completed by 17th June, 2017.



By Order State Election Commissioner Himachal Pradesh. Copy to:

The Returning Officer (Municipal Corporation) Shimla -cum-Deputy Commissioner Shimla with the request to ensure that Notice of Election Programme in accordance with the provisions contained in Rule 34 of the Himachal Pradesh Municipal Corporation Election Rules, 2012 is issued on the same date on which the State Election Commission has issued, supra notification. A copy of notice in Form-19 issued under ibid rules may be sent to this Office immediately

> (Dr. Ashwani Sharma) State Election Commission Himachal Pradesh.

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Copy is hereby forwarded for information to the following:-

The Secretary to H.E. the Governor of H.P.
 The Principal Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister, H.P.

3. The Chief Secretary to the Govt. of H.P.

4. The Additional Chief Secretary (UD) Government of Himachal Pradesh.

5. The Secretary, Vidhan Sabha Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-4.

- 6. All the Special / Sr. Private Secretaries to the Cabinet Ministers / Chief Parliamentary Secretaries to the Govt. of H.P.
- 7. The Director General of Police, Himachal Pradesh.8. All the Additional Chief Secretaries to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.

9. All the Principal Secretaries/Secretaries to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.

- 10. The Secretary (GAD) to the Govt. of HP with the request that the day of poll in the territorial jurisdiction of Municipal Corporation Shimla may be declared a paid holiday. It should also be declared a public holiday under the Negotiable Instrument Act in order to enable the electors to exercise their right to franchise.
- 11. Director Urban Development Department, Shimla-9.

The Superintendents of Police Shimla H.P.

- 13. The Director, Information and Public Relation Department Shimla with the request that wide publicity may please be ensured to the election programme as issued above.
- 14. The Director AIR/ Doordarshan, Shimla-4, with the request that wide publicity may please be ensured of the Election Programme.

15. The Commissioner Municipal Corporation Shimla District Shimla, HP.

16. E- Gazette. /Guard File.

Dr. Ashwani Sharma)

State Election Commission Himachal Pradesh.