

**ELECTION MATTER**  
**URGENT**



**राज्य निर्वाचन आयोग हिमाचल प्रदेश**

**STATE ELECTION COMMISSION HIMACHAL PRADESH**

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No.SEC.16-29/2000-I- 8837 8986

Dated, the 20<sup>th</sup> May, 2016.

**NOTIFICATION**

Whereas programme for the conduct of General Elections to Panchayati Raj Institutions in Lahaul & Spiti District and Pangi Sub-Division of Chamba District and By-Elections to fill up the vacancies in various Panchayati Raj Institutions and Urban Local Bodies in the state occurred up to date have been notified by the State Election Commission vide Notification No. SEC-16-70/2014- II- dated 20<sup>th</sup> May, 2016;

Whereas it is considered appropriate, desirable and necessary in the interest of free, fair smooth and peaceful conduct of elections to the Panchayati Raj Institutions, and Urban Local Bodies to enforce Model Code of Conduct;

Therefore, the State Election Commission, in exercise of the powers vested in it under Article 243-K and ZA of the Constitution of India, Section 160 of the H.P.Panchayati Raj Act, 1994, Section 281 of the Himachal Pradesh Municipal Act 1994, hereby directs that Model Code of Conduct in the areas mentioned below shall come into force w.e.f. 21.5.2016 till the election process is completed:-

1. District Lahaul & Spiti .
2. Pangi Sub-Division of District Chamba .
3. In respect of By-Election to Zila Parishad Wards:- Territorial jurisdiction of the concerned ward .
4. In respect of By-Election to Panchayat Samiti Ward:- Territorial jurisdiction of the concerned ward .
5. In respect of By-Election to Pradhan/Up-Pradhan/Member Gram Panchayat Territorial jurisdiction of the concerned Gram Panchayat .
6. In respect of By-Election to Municipal Member:- Territorial jurisdiction of the concerned Municipal Committee .

**By Order**

**(T.G.Negi)**

**State Election Commissioner  
Himachal Pradesh.**

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

1. The Secretary to H.E. the Governor of H.P.
2. The Principal Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister, H.P.
3. The Chief Secretary to the Govt. of H.P.
4. The Secretary, Vidhan Sabha Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-4.
5. All the Special / Sr. Private Secretaries to the Cabinet Ministers / Chief Parliamentary Secretaries to the Govt. of H.P.
6. The Director General of Police, Himachal Pradesh.
7. All Additional Chief Secretaries to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.
8. All Principal Secretaries/Secretaries to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.
9. The Secretary (Panchayat Raj) to the Govt. of H.P.
10. The Director Panchayati Raj Deptt. Shimla-9.
11. All The District Election Officers(P)-cum-Deputy Commissioners ,H.P.
12. All the Superintendents of Police,H.P.
13. Director, Information and Public Relation Deptt. Shimla with the request to ensure that that wide publicity of the election programme is made.
14. Director AIR/ Doordarshan, Shimla-4, with the request that wide publicity may please be ensured of the Election Programme.
15. All the Asstt. Distt. Election Officer(P)-cum-Distt. Panchayat Officers H.P.
16. All the Block Development Officers, H.P .
17. E- Gazette.
18. Guard File.



Secretary  
State Election Commission  
Himachal Pradesh.