## STATE ELECTION COMMISSION HARYANA NIRVACHAN SADAN, PLOT NO.2, SECTOR 17, PANCHKULA

## The 13.07.2019

SUBJECT:- PANCHAYAT GENERAL ELECTIONS-2016 DISQUALIFICATIONS OF DEFAULTING CANDIDATES REG.

No.SEC/2E-II/2019/963 The General Elections of Zila Parishad, Panipat were held in January, 2016 and the results of the elected candidates were declared on 28.01.2016.

- 2. As per provisions contained in the Haryana Panchyati Raj Election Expenditure (Maintenance and Submission of Accounts) Order, 1996, every candidate contesting election to the post of Member of Zila Parishad shall have to maintain day to day election expenditure account in accordance with the procedure laid down in paras 4, 5 and 6 of these orders and shall have to lodge his account of election expenses within 30 days from the date of declaration of result of the election in the prescribed format with the Deputy Commissioner-cum-District Election Officer(Panchayat) or any other officer as specified by the Commission. The total of the expenditure shall not exceed such amount as may be notified by the State Election Commission from time to time.
- 3. Para 11 of these orders provides that if the State Election Commission is satisfied that a person
  - (a) has failed to lodge an account of election expenses, within the time and in the manner required by or under this Act, and
  - (b) has no good reason or justification for the failure the State ElectionCommission shall, by order published in the Official Gazettee, declare him to be disqualified and may such person shall be disqualified for a period of three years from the date of the order.
- 4. The Commission, vide its notification No. SEC/2E-II/2015/5782, dated 03.06.2015 prescribed the limit of expenditure of Rs. 2,00,000/- that may be incurred by the contesting candidate or his authorized agent in connection with election of Member Zila Parishad.
- 5. As reported by the Deputy Commissioner-cum-District Election Officer, Panipat through his letter No. 2806/Panchayat, dated 18.05.2016, sixty one contesting candidates of Zila Parishad, Panipat failed to submit their election expenditure

statement within the prescribed time. The Commission had served a show cause notice upon them to explain as to why they should not be disqualified on account of non submission of election expenditure account within the prescribed period. I had given an opportunity of personal hearing to thirty six candidates, heard and decided accordingly. Three candidates had already submit their expenditure statement. The remaining twenty two candidates were given an opportunity of personal hearing by me on 02.07.2019 in my office chamber in the interest of justice. Sh.Ashok Kumar, Assistant O/o District Development and Panchayat Officer, Panipat was present on behalf of Deputy Commissioner-cum-District Election Officer(P), Panipat.

6. The following candidates did neither respond to the show cause notice nor appeared before me, details as under:-

कुम	उम्मीदवार का	पिता/पति का	पता	वार्ड
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	सर्व श्री/श्रीमति	सर्वश्री/श्रीमति		
1.	ओम प्रकाश	तिलक राम	गांव-सनौली कलां, सनौली खुर्द	1 3
2.	मुशप्पा	लियाकतअली	गांव-गढीबेसिक, सनौलीखुर्द	1 3
3.	अजीत अहलावत	सतनारायण	गांव-बाबैल,पानीपत	14
4.	मनोज कुमार	अजमेर सिंह	गांव-निम्बरी, पानीपत	14
5.	रामकुमार सिंह	ओम प्रकाश	गांव-उग्रा खेड़ी, पानीपत	14
6.	सुनीता देवी	नेमपाल	गांव-काबड़ी, पानीपत	16
7.	दिनेश	बीर सिंह	गांव-बबैल, पानीपत	17
8.	देवेन्द्र सिंह	मक्कड़ सिंह	गांव-बाबरपुर, पानीपत	17
9.	धनपत राय	सोरण सिंह	गांव-चन्दौली, पानीपत	17
10.	मुकेश कुमार	देई चन्द	गांव-बाबैल, पानीपत	17
11.	रमेश कुमार	ओम कंवर	गांव-पलहेड़ी, पानीपत	17
12.	रामकुमार	मांगे राम	गांव-कचरौली, पानीपत	17
13.	सुभाष चन्द्र	गोरधन राम	गांव-चन्दौली, पानीपत	17
14.	संजय कुमार	ज्योतिराम	गांव-बराना, पानीपत	17

Therefore, it can be concluded that the above mentioned fourteen candidates have nothing to say in the matter. Hence, they deserve to be disqualified. I, Dr. Dalip Singh, State Election Commissioner, Haryana, in exercise of powers vested under Article 243K of the Constitution of India and Section 212 of the Haryana Panchayati Raj Act, 1994 and all other powers enabling in this behalf hereby order that the fourteen candidates mentioned in para 6 above be disqualified for being chosen as, and for being a member of Panchayats i.e. Gram Panchayat, Panchayat Samiti and Zila Parishad for a period of three years from the date of this order.

- I further direct that a copy of this order be sent to all the candidates 7. mentioned above through Deputy Commissioner-cum-District Election Officer, Panipat.
- I further direct that a copy of this order be hosted on website of the 8. Commission www.secharyana.gov.in.

Dated, Panchkula The 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 2019

Dr. DALIP SINGH State Election Commissioner, Haryana

Endst. No. SEC/2E-II/2019/ 964-70

Dated:/ § .07.2019

A copy is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

- The Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana, Development & 1. Panchayats, Chandigarh.
- Director, Panchayats Department, Haryana, Chandigarh. 2.
- Deputy Commissioner-cum-District Election Officer (P), Panipat. 3.
- District Development & Panchayat Officer, Panipat. 4.
- Chief Executive Officer, Zila Parishad, Panipat. 5.
- Candidate concerned. 6.

The Controller, Printing & Stationery Department, Haryana. He is 7. requested to notify in the Haryana Government Gazette.

Assistant State Election Commissioner, Haryana