

STATE ELECTION COMMISSION, HARYANA NIRVACHAN SADAN, PLOT NO. 2, SECTOR- 17 PANCHKULA, HARYANA – 134109

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NOTIFICATION

Dated: 10.09.2021

No. SEC/1ME/2021/3779: - The State Election Commission, Haryana vide notification No. SEC/1ME/2021/3098 dated 19.08.2021 had issued detailed programme for the conduct of bye-elections for the seat of President, Municipal Committee, Dharuhera, district Rewari and of five wards, namely, ward Nos. 3, 4, 7, 8 & 9 of Municipal Committee, Ateli Mandi, district Mahendergarh. According to the programme, the nomination papers were to be presented from 27.08.2021 to 02.09.2021 (except on 29.08.2021 & 30.08.2021 being gazetted holidays) and the poll was to be held on 12.09.2021 and result was also to be declared same day immediately after completion of counting.

2. Sh. Kanwar Singh was elected as President, Municipal Committee, Dharuhera, Rewari during the general elections of the Committee held on 27.12.2020. He was later on disqualified/removed from the seat of President, Municipal Committee, Dharuhera, Rewari by the Commission vide its order No.SEC/1ME/2021/653 dated 15th March, 2021. He has challenged these orders in the Hon'ble Punjab

and Haryana High Court, Chandigarh through Civil Writ Petition No. 8093 of 2021 and has prayed for quashing the same.

3. The Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court during the course of hearing of Civil Writ Petition No. 8093 of 2021 titled Kanwar Singh Versus State of Haryana and Others has passed the following orders on 10.09.2021: -

"Argument heard.

Writ petition is allowed.

Impugned order dated 15.03.2021 (Annexure P-4) is set aside.

For detailed reasons to be assigned, list on 13.09.2021."

Therefore, in compliance with the orders of the Hon'ble Punjab 4. and Haryana High Court, Chandigarh and in exercise of the powers vested under clause (1) of the article 243 ZA of the Constitution of India, section 3A of the Haryana Municipal Act, 1973 and rule 19 (1) the Haryana Municipal Elections Rules, 1978 and all other powers enabling me in this behalf, I, Dhanpat Singh, State Election Commissioner, Haryana, hereby order to stop all activities pursuant to the bye- election of the seat of President, Municipal Committee, Dharuhera and withdraw the name of Municipal Committee, Dharuhera, Commission's Notification Rewari from No. SEC/1ME/2021/3098 dated 19.08.2021 and from all other notifications/orders issued subsequently in this regard.

- **5.** Whereas, all activities pertaining to the bye-elections of ward Nos. 3, 4, 7, 8 & 9 of Municipal Committee, Ateli Mandi, district Mahendergarh shall continue as notified earlier by the Commission.
- **6.** It is further directed that the security deposits of all the candidates who have filed nomination to contest the election of the seat of President, Municipal Committee, Dharuhera must be refunded.

Dhanpat Singh State Election Commissioner, Haryana

Endst. No. SEC/1ME/2021/3780-3790 Dated: 10th September, 2021

A copy of above is forwarded to the following for information and immediate compliance of above orders:-

- 1. Chief Secretary to Government of Haryana, Chandigarh.
- 2. Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Haryana, Home Department, Chandigarh.
- 3. Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Haryana, Urban Local Bodies Department, Chandigarh.
- 4. Divisional Commissioner, Gurugram.
- 5. Director General of Police, Haryana, Panchkula.
- 6. Director General, Urban Local Bodies, Haryana, Panchkula.
- 7. Director General, Information, Public Relations and Languages Department, Haryana, Chandigarh.
- 8. Deputy Commissioner, Rewari and Mahendergarh.
- 9. Superintendent of Police, Rewari and Mahendergarh.

Asstt. State Election Commissioner for State Election Commissioner, Haryana