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

No.SEC/1ME/2016/169

Dated: 11.02.2016

Τo

The Chief Secretary to Government of Haryana, (Political Branch),

Chandigarh.

Subject:

Municipal Bye Election, 2016 --- Model Code of Conduct.

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Sir,

I am directed to address you on the subject noted above and to say that the State Election Commission, Haryana vide its notifications No.SEC/1ME/2015/112, dated 11.02.2016 has issued the election programme for holding the bye elections of Ward No.4, Municipal Corporation, Ambala.

2. As the election programme has been declared by this Commission on 11.02.2016, the Model Code of Conduct prescribed by the State Election Commission has come into operation with w.e.f. 11/02/2016 in the above said ward i.e. ward No.4 of the Municipal Corporation, Ambala

3. I am, therefore, directed to request you that the above provisions may be brought to the notice of Hon'ble Chief Minister/Ministers/Chief Parliamentary Secretaries/ Parliamentary Secretaries and other authorities and they may be requested to strictly follow the same. I am further directed to request you to invite attention of Hon'ble Chief Minister/Ministers/Chief Parliamentary Secretaries/Parliamentary Secretaries towards Para No.9 of the Model Code of Conduct that no grant be sanctioned by them from the discretionary fund or from the Govt. fund nor will they sanction any scheme for the said ward till elections are completed in all respect. During this period, neither any foundation stone shall be laid nor will any scheme / plan be inaugurated. Any violation of the Model Code of Conduct will be viewed seriously by the State Election Commission.

- 4. I am further directed to say that State Election Commission will not hesitate to cancel the election in respect of ward No.4 of the Municipal Corporation, Ambala in case of any violation of the Model Code of conduct.
- 5. 20 Copies of Model Code of Conduct are sent herewith for making them available to all concerned. It is also available on the Commission's web-site www.secharyana.gov.in.

Yours faithfully,

(Parmal Singh)

Asstt, State Election Commissioner, Haryana

Dated: 11/02/2016

Endst. No.SEC/1ME/2016/170-173

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

- 1. Principal Secretary to Govt. Haryana, Urban Local Bodies Department, Chandigarh.
- 2. Divisional Commissioner, Ambala.
- 3. Director Public Relation, Haryana, Chandigarh.
- 4. The Deputy Commissioner, Ambala.

(Parmal Singh)

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