STATE ELECTION COMMISSION, HARYANA S.C.O. 16-17, SECTOR-20D, DAKSHIN MARG, CHANDIGARH.

NOTIFICATION

No.SEC/1ME/2002/8174

Dated:- 27.11.2002

Whereas the State Government has constituted a Municipality in the name of Municipal Council, Panchkula vide Commissioner & Secretary to Government Haryana, Local Government Department notification No.18/4/96-2C1, dated 25.01.2001.

And whereas the work relating to delimitation and reservation of 31 wards/constituencies created for Municipal Council, Panchkula was completed by the State Govt. and notified vide Commissioner & Secretary to Government Haryana, Urban Development Department notification No. 18/4/96-2-C1,dated 25.10.2001.

And whereas the State Government has constituted the Municipalities in the name of Municipal Committee, Beri, District Jhajjar, Municipal Committees, Taoru, Haily Mandi & Pataudi, District Gurgaon, Municipal Committees, Kalayat & Pundri, District Kaithal, Municipal Committee, Narnaund District Hissar, Municipal Committee, Kharkhoda, District Sonepat, Municipal Committee, Kalanaur, District Rohtak, Municipal Committees, Indri & Nilokheri, District Karnal, Municipal Committees, Siwani & Bawani Khera, District Bhiwani vide Commissioner & Secretary to Government Haryana, Urban Development Department, Haryana notification No.15/21/97-2C1, Dated 18.10.2001.

And whereas the work relating to delimitation and reservation of wards/constituencies created in respect of Municipal Committees, Pataudi, Haily Mandi, Taoru, Beri, Kalanaur, Pundri, Kalayat, Siwani, Kharkhoda, Narnaund, Nilokheri, Indri & Bawani Khera vide notification Nos.18/8/2K-2C1, Dated 04.07.2002, 18/5/2K-2C1, Dated 11.07.2002, 18/10/2K-2C1, Dated 11.07.2002, 18/1/2002-2C1, Dated 11.07.2002, 18/4/96-2C1, Dated 11.07.2002, 18/4/2000-2C1, Dated 11.04.2002, 18/9/2K-2C1, Dated

05.07.2002, 18/6/2K-2C1, Dated 11.07.2002, 18/7/2K-2C1, Dated 05.07.2002, 18/4/96-2C1, Dated 04.07.2002, 18/4/96-2C1, Dated 04.07.2002 and 18/4/96-2C1, Dated 04.07.2002 respectively.

And whereas in pursuance of the provisions of sub-section (2) of Section 12 of the Haryana Municipal Act, 1973 an election to the Municipalities has to be completed within a period of one year of its being notified as a municipality.

Now, therefore, in exercise of powers vested under clause (1) of Article 243ZA of the Constitution of India, Section 3A of the Haryana Municipal Act, 1973 and rule 19(1) of the Haryana Municipal Election Rules, 1978 and all other powers enabling me in this behalf, I, T.D.Jogpal, State Election Commissioner, Haryana hereby prescribe the following election programme for the conduct of Municipal Election in all the Wards of Municipal Council, Panchkula and Municipal Committee, Beri, District Jhaijar. Municipal Committees, Taoru, Hailymandi & Pataudi, District Gurgaon, Municipal Committees, Kalayat & Pundri, District Kaithal, Municipal Committee, Narnaund District Hissar, Municipal Committee, Kharkhoda, District Sonepat, Municipal Committee, Kalanaur, District Rohtak, Municipal Committees, Indri & Nilokheri, District Karnal, Municipal Committees, Siwani & Bawani Khera, District Bhiwani:-

(1) Date on which notice shall be published by the Returning Officer for inviting nominations under rule 20.

19/12/2003(Friday)

(2) Dates on which Nomination papers shall be presented under Rule 19(2) (i).

30/12/2002(Thursday) to 03/01/2004 (Saturday) 11.00 A.M. to 03.00 P.M.

(3) Date on which the list of nomination papers received shall be posted under Rule 19(2)(ii).

30/12/2003(Thursday) to 03/01/2004 (Saturday)

(4) Date of by which information shall be furnished by the candidate in the format prescribed, to the concerned Returning Officer that he is not suffering from any disqualification.

05/01/2004(**Monday**) Before 10.00 A.M.

(5) Date on which the nomination papers shall

05/01/2004(Monday)

be scrutinized under Rule 19 (2) (iii).

(6) Last date for making application for the revision of order of the authority scrutinizing the nomination papers to the Deputy Commissioner under Rule 19(2)(iv).
(7) Last date by which the revision applications 10/01

08/01/2004(Thursday)

(7) Last date by which the revision applications filed under Rule 19(2)(iv) shall be decided by the Deputy Commissioner under Rule 19(2)(v). 10/01/2004(Saturday)

(8) Last date for withdrawal of candidature by a candidate under Rule 19(2)(vi).

12/01/2004(Monday) (Between 11.00 AM and 03.00 PM)

(9) Date on which the list of contesting candidates shall be posted under Rule 19(2)(vii).

12/01/2004(Monday)

(10) Date on which list of polling stations shall be posted under Rule 19(2)(viii).

12/01/2004(Monday)

(11) Date on which the Poll, if any, shall be held under Rule 19(2)(ix).

02/02/2004(Sunday)

(12) Timing of the Poll.

Between 8.00 AM and 04.00 PM

(13) Date on which the votes polled shall be counted.

Immediately after the polling is closed

(14) Date on which the election Result would be declared.

Immediately after the account of ballot papers received from the Presiding Officers of the Polling Stations of the constituency (Ward) is consolidated by the Returning Officer.

2. The Returning Officers shall publish the above election programme on 05.12.2002 by notices posted at their offices, at the office of the Deputy Commissioners, at the offices of the concerned Municipal Council/ Committee and at such other conspicuous places in the Municipal area of the Municipal Council/ Committees in which the election would be held as may be determined

by them in this behalf under Rule 20 of the Haryana Municipal Election Rules, 1978.

- 3. The State Election Commission further directs that the Returning Officer shall on receiving the nomination papers under sub-rule (1) of Rule 20 of the Haryana Municipal Election Rules, 1978 inform the person or persons in the format as in Annexure-I annexed to this notification, delivering the same, of the date, time and place fixed for the scrutiny of the nominations and shall enter on the nomination paper its serial number and sign thereon a certificate stating the date on which and the hours at which the nomination papers have been delivered to him and shall as soon as may be thereafter cause to be affixed in some conspicuous places in their offices, the notices of the nominations containing description similar to those contained in the nomination papers, both of the candidates and proposer.
- 4. The State Election Commission further directs that immediately after the expiry of the period within which candidatures may be withdrawn under Rule 28 of the Haryana Municipal Election Rules, 1978, the Returning Officers shall prepare in Hindi the lists of contesting candidates, that is to say, lists of candidates who have been included in the lists of validly nominated candidates, and those who have not withdrawn their candidatures within the prescribed period. The lists shall be caused to be posted at the some conspicuous place, in the office of the Returning Officer or at the Municipal Council/ Committee office.
- 5. The State Election Commission further directs that the Returning Officers on receiving the nomination papers under sub-rule (1) of Rule 23 of the Haryana Municipal Election Rules, 1978 shall require the person or persons to submit an affidavit in the format as at Annexure-II annexed to the notification, furnishing information under Section 8 of the representation of the People Act, 1951 and sub-section (1) of Section 13-A of the Haryana Municipal Act, 1973 read with sub-rule (1) of Rule 21 of the Haryana Municipal Election Rules, 1978 by 10.00 AM on 23.12.2002.
- 6. The State Election Commission further directs that the Returning Officer or as the case may be, the Assistant Returning Officer shall at every stage prepare the notices of the nominations containing descriptions similar to

those contained in the nomination papers both of the candidates and the proposers, the lists of candidates whose nomination papers have been rejected, the list of validly nominated candidates, the notices of withdrawal of candidatures and the lists of contesting candidates and affix the same at some conspicuous places, at the notice board of their office and at the office of the Municipal Council/ Committees and shall submit one copy thereof to the State Election Commission direct at every stage and one copy through the concerned Deputy Commissioner.

7. The State Election Commission further directs that the counting of votes for elections of Member of Municipal Council/Committees shall be taken up at respective polling stations on the date of Poll immediately after the close of the poll. The details of counting shall be tabulated separately in the prescribed forms and shall be forwarded by the Presiding Officers to the Returning Officers for compilation of final result and declaration of the same.

The State Election Commission further directs that after the declaration of result of election under Rule 62, the Returning Officers shall forthwith prepare the returns showing the names of the candidates, the number of votes polled for each and name of the candidates declared to have been elected and shall forthwith post a copy of return in a conspicuous place at his office and send with a copy thereof to the Deputy Commissioner, who shall immediately forward the names of the candidates elected to the State Election Commissioner, Haryana for notifying the same in official gazette

Dated Chandigarh the 27th November 2002 T.D. Jogpal State Election Commissioner, Haryana.

Copy to :-

- The Commissioner & Secretary to Govt. Haryana, Urban Development Department, Haryana Chandigarh
- 2. The Deputy Commissioner, Panchkula, Gurgaon, Bhiwani, Kaithal, Hissar, Sonepat, Rohtak, Karnal & Jhajjar.
- 3. Director, Urban Development Department, Haryana, Chandigarh.