STATE ELECTION COMMISSION, HARYANA, S.C.O. NO.16-17, SECTOR-20 D, CHANDIGARH.

NOTICIATON

Dated the 14th March, 2005.

No.SEC/2E-III/2005/17778:- Whereas the Haryana Government in Development & Panchayats Department by its notification dated 11.03.2005 in exercise of powers conferred by Sub-Section (1) of Section 211 of the Haryana Panchayati Raj Act, 1994 (Act 11 of 1994) and all powers enabling it in this behalf directed that General Elections of Panches and Sarpanches of Gram Panchayats, Members Panchayat Samitis and Zila Parishads shall be held and made in the State of Haryana by 10.04.2005 as specified by the State Election Commission.

- 2. And whereas the General elections of Panches & Sarpanches of Gram Panchayats Loharu and Tosham of District Bhiwani, Hathin & Hassanpur of District Faridabad, Jakhal Mandi of District Fatehabad, Punhana & Nakanpur of District Gurgaon, Uklana Mandi of District Hisar, Julana of District Jind, Ateli Mandi of District Mehendergarh and Radaur, Chhachhrauli, Buria & Sadhaura of District Yamuna Nagar could not be conducted because the tenure of these Gram Panchayats will expire in the year 2006 & 2007, but the voters of these Gram Panchayats will exercise their votes to elect the Members of Panchayat Samitis and Zila Parishads.
- 3. Now, therefore, in exercise of powers vested under clause (i) of Article 243K of the Constitution of India and under Rule 24 of the Haryana Panchayati Raj Election Rules, 1994 and all other powers enabling me in this behalf and in pursuance of provisions contained in sub-section (1) of Section 161 and Sub-section (2) of Section 211 of the Haryana Panchayati Raj Act, 1994, I, Chander Singh, State Election Commissioner, Haryana hereby prescribe the time schedule for conduct of elections to Panchayats i.e. for Panches, Sarpanches, Members of Panchayat Samitis and Zila Parishads. The time schedule as prescribed by the Commission given below:-

TIME SCHEDULE

a) Date on which notice shall be published by the District Election Officers (Panchayat) in Form 2 or 3 as the case may be, for inviting nominations under Rule 24 of the Haryana Panchayati Raj Election Rules, 1994.

17.03.2005 (Thursday)

b) Period for making nomination under Rule 24(a).

18.03.2005 (Friday) to 19.03.2005 (Saturday) (10.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M.) c) Date by which information shall be furnished by the candidate that he/she is not suffering from any discqualification in the format prescribed, to the Returning Officer (Panchayat)

21.03.2005 (Monday) **Before 10.00 A.M.**

c) Date of Scrutiny under Rule 24 (b).

21.03.2005 (Monday) (From 10.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M.)

d) Date of Withdrawal under Rule 24(c).

22.03.2005 (Tuesday) (From 10.00 A.M. to 3.00 P.M.)

e) Date of Poll (if required) under Rule 24 (d)

03.04.2005 (Sunday) and 09.04.2005 (Saturday) (in two phases)

(i) First Phase on 03.04.2005 (Sunday) (From 8.00 AM to 4.00 PM)

Name of Blocks where poll would be Name of Districts held

Ambala-I, Shahzadpur & Saha Ambala (a) Badhra, Bawani Khera, Bhiwani & Dadri Bhiwani (b) & Behal Panipat & Israna (c) **Panipat** (d) Kalanaur & Lakhan Majra Rohtak Jhaiiar & Bahadurgarh Jhajjar (e) Jind, Uchana, Safidon & Alewa Jind (f) Radaur, Sadhaura & Mustafabad Yamuna Nagar (g) Guhla at Cheeka, Kalayat & Siwan Kaithal (h) Fatehabad, Tohana & Jakhal Fatehabad (i) Ladwa & Thanesar Kurukshetra (j) Karnal, Nissing at Chiro & Assandh Karnal (k) Sonipat, Mundlana, & Kathura Sonipat (l) Farukh Nagar, Sohna, Pataudi & Taoru (m) Gurgaon Ballabhgarh, Hodal & Faridabad (n) Faridabad Ateli Nangal & Kanina Mahendergarh (o) Rewari & Khol at Rewari Rewari (p) Hansi-I, Hisar-I, Barwala & Narnaund Hisar (q) Dabwali, Baragudha & Ellanabad Sirsa (r)

(ii) Second Phase on 09.04.2005 (Saturday) (From 8.00 AM to 4.00 PM).

Name of Blocks where poll would be Name of Districts held

(a)	Barara, Naraingarh & Ambala-II	Ambala
(b)	Kairu, Loharu, Bond kalan, Tosham &	Bhiwani
· /	Siwani	
(c)	Bapauli, Samalkha & Madlauda	Panipat
(d)	Rohtak, Meham & Sampla	Rohtak
(e)	Sahlawas, Matenhail & Beri	Jhajjar
(f)	Julana, Pilukhera & Narwana	Jind
(g)	Bilaspur, Jagadhari & Chhachhrouli	Yamuna Nagar
(h)	Pundri, Kaithal & Rajaound	Kaithal
(i)	Bhattu Kalan, Ratia & Bhuna	Fatehabad

(j) Shahbad, Babain & Pehowa Kurukshetra(k) Indri, Gharaunda & Nilokheri Karnal

(I) Rai, Kharkhoda, Ganaur & Gohana Sonipat

(m) Gurgaon, Nuh, Nagina, Ferozpur, Jhirka Gurgaon & Punhana

(n) Hassanpur, Hathin & Palwal Faridabad

(o) Mahendergarh, Narnaul & Nangal Mehendergarh at Narnaul Chaudhary

(p) Bawal, Nahar & Jatusana Rewari(q) Hisar-II, Adampur, Agroha, Uklana & Hisar

Hansi-II

(r) Sirsa, Nathusari Chopta, Rania & Sirsa Odhan

(t) Morni, Raipur Rani, Pinjore & Barwala Panchkula

(f) Counting of votes

- (i) For elections to Panches & Sarpanches :- Immediately after the closing of Poll.
- (ii) For elections to Members of Panchayat Samitis and Zila Parishads the counting shall be held on 10.04.2005 at 8.00 A.M. except where repoll is recommended by the District Election Officer at Block & District Headquarters respectively at the places to be specified and notified by the District Election Officer (Panchayat).
- 4. The District Election Officers (Panchayat) shall by Notice in Form 2 or 3, as the case may be, specify the above programme i.e. last date, time and place of making nominations, and also notify the date, time and place for scrutiny of Nomination Papers and the date on which and the time during which the poll will be completed and the date, time and place of counting of votes in accordance with the provisions contained in sub-rule (a), (b) and (e) of Rule 24 of the Haryana Panchayati Raj Election Rules, 1994 and send a copy of the notice to the Commission by fax.
- 5. The State Election Commission further directs that nominations papers for election to Members of Gram Panchayats and Sarpanch of Gram Panchayat shall be filed and received at Gram Panchayat Head Quarter, to the election to Members of Panchayat Samitis shall be filed and received at Block Head Quarter by the Returning Officer (Panchayat)/Returning Officer (Panchayat Samiti)/ Assistant Returning Officer (Panchayat)/Assistant Returning Officer (Panchayat Samiti) and for election to Members of Zila Parishad shall be filed and received at District Head Quarter by the Deputy Commissioner who is a Returning Officer to the Zila Parishad. The work of scrutiny of nomination papers should not be delegated to the Assistant Returning Officer (Panchayat).
- 6. The State Election Commission also directs that the Returning Officer (Panchayat)/Returning Officer (Panchayat Samiti)/Returning Officer (Zila Parishad) shall supply copies of the prescribed forms regarding criminalization of politics to the contesting candidates which will be given to Returning Officer by the concerned Deputy Commissioners. A contesting candidate for the office of Panches and Sarpanches would be required to make declaration on prescribed proforma annexed with the nomination paper before the Returning Officer (concerned) at the time of

filing nomination paper. For the office of Member Panchayat Samiti and Member Zila Parishad a candidate would be required to file an affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper/document paper (pakka paper) and sworn before the 1st Class Magistrate or Notary Public or a Commissioner (Oath) appointed by the Hon'ble High Court or before the Sub Divisional Officer (Civil)/Tehsildar/Naib Tehsildar (conferred with the powers of Executive Magistrate) having jurisdiction of the area.

7. The State Election Commission further directs that at the time of receiving nomination papers, the Returning Officer (Panchayat)/Returning Officer (Panchayat Samiti)/Returning Officer (Zila Parishad) shall issue a copy of the prescribed proforma of the affidavit to be furnished by the candidate that he/she is not suffering from any disqualification, making it clear to the candidate that he /she is required to submit this affidavit in the prescribed format. The Returning Officer (Panchayat)/Returning Officer (Panchayat Samiti)/Returning Officer (Zila Parishad) shall also obtain a dated receipt in the prescribed form of issuing the copy of the proforma for the affidavit and retain with the nomination papers.

Dated, Chandigarh the 14th March,2005 CHANDER SINGH State Election Commissioner, Haryana.

Dated: 14/03/2005.

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A copy is forwarded to all the District Election Officers (Panchayat) (Deputy Commissioners in the State of Haryana) for information and further necessary action.

They are directed to issue notice in Form 2 or 3, as the case may be, specifying the above programme i.e. last date, time and place of making nominations, and also the date, time and place for scrutiny of nomination papers for counting of votes in accordance with provisions contained in Sub-Rule (a), (b) and (e) of Rule 24 of the Haryana Panchayati Raj Election Rules, 1994 on 17.03.2005 and send a copy of the notice to the Commission by fax.

(S.K.Khanna)
Superintendent/E-III,
for State Election Commissioner,
Haryana.

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(S.K.Khanna)
Superintendent/E-III,
for State Election Commissioner,
Haryana.

Dated: 14/03/2005

CC to:

- 1. Chief Secretary to Govt. Haryana.
- 2. Financial Commissioner & Principal Secretary to Govt. Haryana, Development and Panchayat Department Haryana.
- 3. Director, Panchayat Haryana, Chandigarh.