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To

The Deputy Commissioner, Mahendergarh at Narnaul

Subject:- Difference on name in matriculation certificate and other documents like voters list, PAN card, Addhar Card, Family Card etc.—Clarification reg.

Sir,

Kindly refer to your Memo No.E./LFA/2025/536 dated 16.02.2025 on the above subject.

2. Your attention in the matter is invited towards sub rule (5) of rule 23 of the Haryana Municipal Election Rules, 1978 which provides that:-

" 23. Nomination of candidates

(5) On the presentation of a nomination paper, the Returning Officer shall satisfy himself that the names and electoral roll numbers of the candidate and his proposer as entered in the nomination paper are the same as those entered in the roll:

Provided that the Returning Officer may-

- (a) permit any clerical error in the nomination paper in regard to the said names or numbers to be corrected in order to bring them in conformity with the corresponding entries in the roll; and
- (b) where necessary, direct that any clerical or printing error in the said entries shall be overlooked.

It is thus clear that any person whose name is registered in the electoral roll/voters list and seek to contest the election should have same name in the certificate(s) of educational qualification. Provided that he/she has not changed his/her name by adopting legal procedure.

3. In view of above, you are advised to act in the matter accordingly.

Asstt. State Election Commissioner for State Election Commissioner, Haryana

Encst. No. SEC/1ME/2025/2174

Dated 17.02.2025

A copy of the above is forwarded to the Returning Officer Municipal Committee, Kanina, district Mahendergarh for information and necessary.

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