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No. JS/PRI/DMN/Diu/EP/2023/327

Dated :- 19/07/2023

**Sub :-** Regarding Publishing of Delimitation of newly created Gram Panchayats in Diu District, UT of DNH & DD in Official Gazette reg --

With reference to the above cited subject, the notification for Delimitation of newly created Gram Panchayats in Diu District, UT of DNH & DD notified by the Election Commissioner for UTs vide Notification No. 7-5/EC/DNH&DD/2022, dated 19/07/2023, is hereby publish in the Official Gazette of this UT Administration of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu for general information.

Sd/-  
(Ashish Mohan)  
Joint Secretary (PRI),  
UT of DNH & DD.

**Election Commission**  
Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu,  
F-Block, M.S. Apartments, KG Marg,  
New Delhi 110 001

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Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2023

### **NOTIFICATION**

No. 7-5/EC/DNH&DD/2022: Whereas, the proposal for delimitation of wards of 06 newly created Gram Panchayats, i.e. Maharani Laxmibai Gram Panchayat, Vanakbara Gram Panchayat, Maharana Pratap Gram Panchayat, Saudwadi Gram Panchayat, Shaheed Bhagat Singh Gram Panchayat and Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Gram Panchayat in Diu District of the UT of Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu were published in the Official Gazette vide Notification No. 7-5/EC/DNH&DD/2022 dated 19<sup>th</sup> May, 2023, inviting suggestions and objections by 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2023 in compliance of the provisions of sub-Section 4 of Section 12 of the Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu Panchayat Regulation, 2012 read with Rule 3 (1) and (2) of the Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu Panchayats (Election Procedure) Rules, 2023;

And whereas, suggestions and objections received by the specified date have been considered by the Election Commission;

And whereas, opportunity of being heard was afforded to all persons who had submitted suggestions and objections in a public hearing at 9.30 AM on 12.07.2023 at Conference Hall, Circuit House, Jalandhar Beach, Diu;

And whereas, after due consideration of all suggestions/objections, detailed discussions with the applicants in the public hearing and the views of the UT Administration, the Commission has disposed of all suggestions/objections vide its order appended to this Notification, as Annexure-I;

Now, therefore in pursuance of the provisions of Section 12 (4) of the said Regulation and Rule 3 (2) (c) and Rule 3 2(d) (i) of the said Rules, the Election Commission of Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu after considering all the suggestions and objections received and taken-up during the aforesaid public hearing, hereby determines the delimitation of all wards of 06 (six) newly created Gram Panchayats, i.e. Maharani Laxmibai Gram Panchayat, Vanakbara Gram Panchayat, Maharana Pratap Gram Panchayat, Saudwadi Gram Panchayat, Shaheed Bhagat Singh Gram Panchayat and Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Gram Panchayat in Diu District of the UT of Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu, as detailed in Annexure-II appended to this notification;

Sd/-  
**(Sudhanshu Pandey)**  
**Election Commissioner**

**Annexure-I**

[Notification No. 7-5/EC/DNH&amp;DD/2022 dated 19.07.2023]

Order for final disposal of suggestions/objections received in response to draft delimitation proposal of newly created 06 Gram Panchayats, i.e. Maharani Laxmibai Gram Panchayat, Vanakbara Gram Panchayat, Maharana Pratap Gram Panchayat, Saudwadi Gram Panchayat, Shaheed Bhagat Singh Gram Panchayat and Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Gram Panchayat in Diu District of the UT of Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu, vide Notification dated 19.05.2023

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Suggestions/objections received from the following persons, which are common in nature and content, have been considered and disposed of, as per the details in the table given below:

1. Shri Shankar B Baraiya, Ex Sarpanch, Saudwadi VP (Letter No 70-11-2023-24/Deli/Elec/20, dated 09/06/2023)
2. Shree Samast Vadi Vistar Koli Samaj, Saudwadi (Letter No.70-11-2023-24/ Deli/Elec/21, dated 09/06/2023)
3. Shri Umesh R. Bamania, Member, DP, Diu (Letter No.70-11-2023-24/Deli/ Elec/22, dated 09/06/2023)
4. Shri Lakhman Varjang Baraiya & Others (Letter No. 70-11-2023-24/Deli/ Elec/23, dated 09/06/2023)

Sl. No.	Contents/gist of the suggestions/ objections	Comments/views of the UT Administration	Election Commission's decision
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1.	House No. 1182-1 to 786-1 (Total 417 voters), of Mithiwadi in Ward No. 7 of Vanakbara Gram Panchayat may be shifted to Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Gram Panchayat as the Mithiwadi area was covered in the erstwhile Saudwadi Gram Panchayat before 2015 and the House Tax/Professional Tax of some part of Mithiwadi was also collected by the erstwhile Saudwadi Gram Panchayat till date.	<p>May not be considered. The Mithiwadi was included in the Vanakbara Village Panchayat during delimitation-2015 as the Mithiwadi is contiguous to Vanakbara Village as per the revenue map.</p> <p>In the proposed Ward No. 7 of Vanakbara Village Panchayat, there are two sections i.e. Mithiwadi (from House No.1182-1 to 786-1) and Pinjarasheri-1 (from House No. 1133 to 2459) with total voters 417. The voters of Mithiwadi area are 254. If Mithiwadi is included in the Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Gram Panchayat, then the geographical and revenue boundaries will get disturbed.</p> <p>As the proposal is to change the areas of two Gram Panchayats, the</p>	<p>The suggestion is to alter/ change areas of two Gram Panchayats which have been defined by the Administrator of the Union Territory vide Notifications No.BDO/DIU/GP-VNK/2022-23/52 and No.BDO/DIU/GP-VNK/2022-23/58, both dated 16.01.2023.</p> <p>Taking into consideration the comments of the UT Administration and after having heard the applicants, the Commission is of the considered opinion that the given house numbers of the Mithiwadi area are rightly placed in the proposed/draft delimitation Notification dated 19.05.2023, considering the geographical boundaries, physical features, revenue records and ratio between</p>

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		same doesn't fall in the purview of the present delimitation process as powers to make alterations in the territorial area of a Gram Panchayat is vested with the Administrator of UT.	the population of each ward and the number of seats allotted to a Gram Panchayat. The Commission orders accordingly.
2.	The area of Gaduliwadi of Ward No. 1 in the Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Gram Panchayat may be shifted to the Shaheed Bhagat Singh Gram Panchayat for maintaining the numbers of Voters and Population.	<p>May not be considered. The bifurcation of Saudwadi Village Panchayat has been done on the basis of voter ratio as well as section of the voters (clock wise) there is no need to change.</p> <p>As the proposal is to change the areas of two Gram Panchayats, the same doesn't fall in the preview of the present delimitation process as powers to make alterations in the territorial area of a Gram Panchayat is vested with the Administrator of UT.</p>	<p>The suggestion is to alter/change areas of two Gram Panchayats which have been defined by the Administrator of the Union Territory vide Notifications No.BDO/DIU/GP-VNK/2022-23/52 and No.BDO/DIU/GP-VNK/2022-23/58, both dated 16.01.2023.</p> <p>Taking into consideration the comments of the UT Administration and after having heard the applicants, the Commission is of the considered opinion that Gaduliwadi area is rightly placed in the proposed/draft delimitation Notification dated 19.05.2023, considering the geographical boundaries, physical features, revenue records and ratio between the population of each ward and the number of seats allotted to a Gram Panchayat. The Commission orders accordingly.</p>
3.	Erstwhile Saudwadi Gram Panchayat had 02 seats in the District Panchayat. Further, since the erstwhile Saudwadi Gram Panchayat has been spilt into 03 Gram Panchayats, each newly created Gram Panchayat may be given one seat in the District Panchayat.	May not be considered. The jurisdictions of District Panchayat and Gram Panchayats are different and the District Panchayat is bigger than Gram Panchayat. The proposed delimitation is only for newly created Gram Panchayats.	<p>The powers to determine the number of seats in a District Panchayat are vested in the Administrator of the UT under Section 55(1) of the Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu Panchayat Regulation, 2012.</p> <p>The present delimitation exercise is being undertaken only for the newly created Gram Panchayats. As such this suggestion/objection is beyond the purview of the present delimitation exercise. As such, the applicants may take up this issue with the UT Administration independently.</p>

Sd/-

(Sudhanshu Pandey)  
Election Commissioner

**Annexure-II**

[Notification No. 7-5/EC/DNH&amp;DD/2022 dated 19.07.2023]

Final Delimitation of newly created Gram Panchayats, i.e., Maharani Laxmibai Gram Panchayat, Vanakbara Gram Panchayat, Maharana Pratap Gram Panchayat, Saudwadi Gram Panchayat, Shaheed Bhagat Singh Gram Panchayat and Sardar Vallabhbai Patel Gram Panchayat in Diu District of the UT of Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu

NAME OF GRAM PANCHAYAT	WARD NO.	EXTENT OF WARD	HOUSE NO.		TOTAL VOTERS (2023)	TOTAL POPULATION (AS PER CENSUS 2011)
			FROM	TO		
<b>MAHARANI LAXMIBAI GRAM PANCHAYAT</b>	1	VADISHERI-1	101-1	174-1	313	372
	2	VADISHERI-2	176-1	259-2	293	305
	3	VADISHERI-3	26-1, 124	86, 871 311	289	300
	4	VADISHERI-4	31-2	362	273	322
	5	VADISHERI-5	364-2 82	80 98-2	365	394
	6	VADISHERI-6	360-2	559	383	405
	7	JALARAM SOCIETY-1	1798	509	299	338
	8	JALARAM SOCIETY-2 TIMBASHERI	510 2024	760 588	315	329
			<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>2530</b>	<b>2765</b>
<b>VANAKBARA GRAM PANCHAYAT</b>	1	TIMBASHERI-1	585	643	422	433
	2	TIMBASHERI-2	557	828	478	491
	3	TIMBASHERI-3	830	931-12	461	473
	4	TIMBASHERI-4 KHAJURIYA SHERI-1	936-2 1104	973-2 3185	510	525
	5	KHAJURIYA SHERI-2	1104	2369	398	409
	6	KHAJURIYA SHERI-3	2370	2330	246	252
	7	MITHIWADI PINJARASHERI-1	1182-1 1133	786-1 2459	417	428
	8	PINJARASHERI-2	2460	2980	410	424
			<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>3342</b>	<b>3435</b>
<b>MAHARANA PRATAP GRAM PANCHAYAT</b>	1	PINJARASHERI	1319	3078	455	503
	2	KHARVAWADA-1	1212-2	2676	392	442
	3	KHARVAWADA-2	2677	2742	359	405
	4	KHARVAWADA-3 DALKI FALIYU-1	2743 138-2	2672-1 2829-1	359	415
	5	DALKI FALIYU-2	2831	518	391	440
	6	SAMANTSHERI AGARIYASHERI VADLASHERI	1388 1745 1637	851 35 3168	470	510
	7	KALASHERI-1	1357, 1219	3305, 3229	335	378
	8	KALASHERI-2	3274,	707-1,	335	403
			<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>3096</b>	<b>3496</b>

NAME OF GRAM PANCHAYAT	WARD NO.	EXTENT OF WARD	HOUSE NO.		TOTAL VOTERS (2023)	TOTAL POPULATION (AS PER CENSUS 2011)
			FROM	TO		
<b>SAUDWADI GRAM PANCHAYAT</b>	1	ZINZUWADI	18-1	987-1	255	425
	2	KOTHAWADI NAGSHERI-1	1000-2, 1002	999-2, 8-2	250	393
	3	ANDHARWADI	1018/2	1048-1	157	321
	4	VADIWADI	1074-1	360	281	490
	5	SAUDWADI-1	1177-1	1236	217	399
	6	SAUDWADI-2	1239	666	243	391
	7	MOTIVACHHDAW ADI-1	1301	1351	145	265
	8	MOTIVACHHDAW ADI-2 BETAWADI	1353 1372	633 1444	125	230
			<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>1673</b>	<b>2914</b>
<b>SHAHEED BHAGAT SINGH GRAM PANCHAYAT</b>	1	NANIVACHHDAW ADI- VANIYAWADI-1	1449-1 1275-1	784-1 1503	214	329
	2	VANIYAWADI-2	1504-1	1555	217	343
	3	VANIYAWADI-3	1556	1615	249	384
	4	VANIYAWADI-4	1602/2	993	140	248
	5	CHANDWADI	1068	1698	233	331
	6	DHOLAWADI	1041	1734	170	304
	7	DHOLAWADI-1	1735	1777-2	185	263
	8	DHOLAWADI-2 TANKIWADI	1778-1 1249	2219-1 2447-2	177	237
			<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>1585</b>	<b>2439</b>
<b>SARDAR VALLABHBHAI PATEL GRAM PANCHAYAT</b>	1	GADULIWADI	1325	1965/3	180	292
	2	NAVIVAV CHADIKOWADI	1041-1 1887	2316-3 15	183	298
	3	FAFNIWADI-1	1016	1047	150	308
	4	FAFNIWADI-2	1948	3133-1	170	295
	5	HADMATYAWAD I-1	1551	1986-1	180	290
	6	HADMATYAWAD I-2	1986-2	2094-1	194	313
	7	HADMATYAWAD I-3	2096	G-22	229	320
	8	MEGHAWADI	1571	551	268	300
			<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>1554</b>	<b>2416</b>

Sd/-  
(Sudhanshu Pandey)  
Election Commissioner

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