## **ELECTION URGENT**

## U.T. ADMINISTRATION OF DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI AND DAMAN & DIU OFFICE OF COLLECTOR/DISTRICT ELECTION OFFICER FOR PANCHAYAT ELECTION & MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, COLLECTORATE, DAMAN

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No. COL/DMN/MAG/DP&DMC Elec/2025-26/2753

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Read: Press Note dated 10/10/2025 issued by Election Commissioner, Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu, New Delhi.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

All Political Parties, Candidates, and the General Public of Daman District are hereby informed that the last date for withdrawal of nominations, earlier scheduled for **20th October 2025 (Monday)** as mentioned in the Press Note issued by the Election Commissioner, DNH & DD, has been postponed to **21st October 2025 (Tuesday)**.

This rescheduling has been done due to the public holiday on account of the Diwali Festival.

Further, as per Rule 37 of Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu Panchayats (EP) Rules, 2023 and Rule 29 of the Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu Municipal Councils (Election) Rules, 2025 which enables a candidate to withdraw his candidature by notice in writing in Form No. 8 to the Returning Officer before 3'O clock in the afternoon of the last day fixed i.e. **21st October 2025 (Tuesday)**. for such withdrawal.

Notice in any other form shall not be accepted for this purpose. Every notice of withdrawal must be delivered to the Returning Officer by -

- (i) the candidate, or
- (ii) his proposer, or
- (iii) his election agent

In case the proposer or election agent delivers the notice, he must have been authorised in writing by the candidate in this behalf. If the last day fixed for the withdrawal is a public holiday, such holiday should be excluded and notice for withdrawal can be given before 3'0 clock in the afternoon on the next succeeding day i.e. **21st October 2025 (Tuesday)**, which is not a holiday.

All the concerned are requested to take note of the same.

(SMT. AARTI AGARWAL)

Assistant Returning Officer for the General Elections to Panchayat & Municipalities-2025,

To,

All Political Parties, Candidates, and General Public of Daman District.

Copy for information and wide publicity to: -

- 1) The Deputy Inspector General of Police, DNH & DD,
- 2) The Superintendent of Police, DNH &DD.

- 3) The Director-cum-Joint Secretary (Elec), DNH & DD.
- 4) The Director-cum-Joint Secretary (IT), DNH&DD..... to upload in official website.
- 5) The Deputy Collector (HQ)/Returning Officer, Daman.
- 6) The Field Publicity Officer, Daman.....to publish the same in local newspapers.
- 7) The Chief Officer, DMC/ Returning Officer., Daman.
- 8) The Deputy Collector (Gen)/ Returning Officer, Daman.

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- 9) All the Assistant Returning Officers for General Elections to Panchayat & Municipalities-2025, Daman.
- 10) All the Executive/Special Executive Magistrates for General Elections to Panchayat & Municipalities, Daman.
- 11) All the Head of Offices of Daman.....to publish the same in Notice Board.
- 12) Election Cell of Collectorate, Daman.
- 13) Guard file.