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THE ADMINISTRATION OF
UNION TERRITORY OF LADAKH

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DEPARTMENT

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लेह / Leh, Dated: 20.01.2026

Subject: National Voters' Day (25th January) 2026-regarding.

Reference: Letter No. 491 / SVEEP-I / NVD / 2025 dated: 12th January, 2026 from Election Commission of India *read with* U.O. F. No.: M/149/2026-O/o ASST CEO(Ladakh).

Circular No.: 02 – LA (GAD) of 2026

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National Voter's Day (NVD) is celebrated across the country on 25th January every year to mark the importance of each vote in a democracy. This year, the theme of NVD celebrations is "*My India, My Vote*" and we are also approaching the 16th National Voters' Day on 25th January, 2026.

As a part of the celebrations, all Departments / Offices in the Administration of UT of Ladakh, Autonomous Bodies, Organizations, are directed to take the NVD pledge (*copy enclosed*) at around 11:00 AM or at any suitable time during the day on 24th January, 2026 (25th January being Sunday). Additionally, educational institutions are instructed to conduct activities such as debates, discussions, and competitions, including drawing, skit, song, painting, essay.

The logo for National Voters' Day, emphasizing the importance of voting, may also be appropriately utilized on official stationery, merchandise, websites etc.

Therefore, all Head of the Departments of the Government, Autonomous Bodies and Public Sector Undertakings stationed at Leh and Kargil Districts are directed to organize the reading of the voters' pledge in their respective Offices on 24th January, 2026.

By order of Administration of UT of Ladakh.

Sd/-

(Michael M. D'Souza) IAS

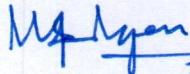
Administrative Secretary

General Administration Department

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1. All Administrative Secretaries, UT Administration Ladakh.
2. Director General of Police, Ladakh.

3. Deputy Commissioner / CEO, LAHDC, Leh & Kargil.
4. Superintendent of Police, Leh & Kargil.
5. All Director / Chief Engineers, UT of Ladakh & Registrar, University of Ladakh.
6. District Informatics Officer, NIC, Ladakh for uploading on UT website.
7. Private Secretary to Chief Secretary, UT of Ladakh for information of Chief Secretary


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(Rigzin Spalgon) JKAS
Additional Secretary
General Administration Department

Voter's Pledge

“We the citizen of India have abiding in democracy, hereby pledge to uphold the democratic traditions of our country and the dignity of free, fair and peaceful elections, and to vote in every election fearlessly and without being influenced by the considerations of religion, race, caste, community, language or any inducement”.