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ELECTION AUTHORITY

UNDER PANCHAYATI RAJ ACT, 1989
(CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER, JAMMU & KASHMIR)

2ND FLOOR VIKAS BHAWAN, RAIL HEAD COMPLEX, JAMMU

NOTIFICATION

Whereas, the Election Authority (Chief Electoral Officer, J&K) had, in pursuance of Rule 8 of J&K Panchayati Raj Election Rules, 1996, issued a notification vide its endorsement No.5311/CEO/PYT/Notification/2011/3988-97, dated 09-04-2011, calling upon Panchayat Halqas falling in the blocks as mentioned against each district in the above said notification to elect Sarpanches and Panches;

Whereas, vide the above said Notification the conduct of Panchayat Elections in Block Kralpora (except three Panchayat Halqas i.e., KP-290-Kerian Bore, KP-291-Mundian and KP-325-Pathran), Block Kunzer, Block Narbal, Block Shangus, Block Pouni, Block Hiranagar, Block Rajouri and Block Manjakote (except four Panchayat Halqas i.e., 7-Galhuti Upper, 27-Panjgrain Upper-A, 31-Rajdhani Upper and 33-Saroola Upper) was notified;

Whereas, the Elections to the four Panchayat Halqas of Block Manjakote were not notified in pursuance to the direction issued by the Hon'ble High Court of Jammu & Kashmir at Jammu, as communicated by the District Panchayat Election Officer (Deputy Commissioner) Rajouri vide his letter No: PA/DCR/22-23 dated: 08-04-2011;

Whereas, as per the report of District Panchayat Election Officer (Deputy Commissioner) Rajouri, conduct of election in one more Panchayat Halqa of Block Manjakote i.e., 28-Panjgrain Upper-B is also subjudice in the Hon'ble High Court:

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Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under section 36 of the J&K Panchayati Raj Act, 1989 read with rule 3 of J&K Panchayat Raj Rules, 1996, the Election Authority (Chief Electoral Officer, J&K) hereby rescinds its Notification issued under rule 8 of the J&K Panchayati Raj Election Rules, 1996, under endorsement No.5311/CEO/PYT/Notification/2011/3988-97 dated 09-04-2011, in so far as it relates to the conduct of election to the Panchayat Halqa 28-Panjgrain Upper-B of Block Manjakote. Fresh notification for the conduct of election shall be notified separately.

> pham 9/04/11 (B.R. Sharma) IAS **Election Authority** Under Panchayati Raj Act, 1989 (Chief Electoral Officer, J&K) Jammu

> > Dated: 09-04-2011

No.5311/CEO/PYT/Notification/2011/4056-59

Copy to the:-

1. Commissioner/Secretary to Government, Rural Development Department, J&K, Jammu for information.

2. Director, Information & Publicity, J&K, Jammu with the request to publish the

notification through electronic and print media.

District Panchayat Election Officer (Deputy Commissioner) Rajouri for 3. information and to circulate the notification to the concerned Returning Officer

Principal Private Secretary to Chief Secretary, J&K, Jammu for the kind 4. information of Worthy Chief Secretary, J&K.