Office of the Election Authority

Under Panchayati Raj Act, 1989 (Chief Electoral Officer)

Jammu & Kashmir

"Greater Participation for a Stronger Democracy"

Notification

JAMMU, DATED THE 9th NOVEMBER, 2018

WHEREAS, under J&K Panchayati Raj Rules, 1996, the Government of Jammu and Kashmir, vide SRO No. 405 dated 16th September, 2018, issued notification calling upon all the Panchayat Halqas of the State to elect Sarpanches and Panches; and

WHEREAS, accordingly the Chief Electoral Officer has announced the schedule of elections to Panchayat Halqas in the State;

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred under section 36 of Jammu and Kashmir Panchayati Raj Act, 1989, read with Rule 8 of the Jammu and Kashmir Panchayati Raj Rules, 1996, the Election Authority, J&K (Chief Electoral Officer, J&K) hereby appoints the following dates for the conduct of Phase – VII elections in respect of the Panchayat Halqas in Blocks mentioned in the Annexure appended to this Notification:-

- a) the 9th November, 2018 (Friday) as the date of issuance of the Gazette Notification.
- b) the 16th November, 2018 (Friday) as the last date for making nominations.
- c) the 17th November, 2018 (Saturday) as the date for the scrutiny of nominations.
- d) the 19th November, 2018 (Monday) as the last date for withdrawal of candidature.
- e) the 4th December 2018 (Tuesday) as the date on which a poll, if necessary, shall be taken from 08:00 a.m. to 02:00 p.m.
- f) the 4th December 2018 (Tuesday) as the date of counting, unless notified otherwise.
- g) the 17th December, 2018 (Monday) as the date before which the election shall be completed.

Encl:-

(Shaleen Kabra) IAS
Election Authority
Under Panchayati Raj Act, 1989
(Chief Electoral Officer,J&K)
Jammu

Dated: 09-11-2018

No. 5311/CEO/Pyt/Notification/2018/ 3300-3403 Copy to:

1. Divisional Commissioner, Jammu/Kashmir.

- 2. Secretary to Government, Department of Rural Development and PRIs, Civil Secretariat Srinagar, for information.
- 3. District Panchayat Election Officer (DC) Kupwara, Bandipora, Baramulla, Ganderbal, Budgam, Pulwama, Shopian, Kulgam, Anantnag, Ramban, Reasi, Samba, Jammu, Rajouri, and Poonch for information and n/a.
- 4. Director General Rural Development Department, Jammu.
- 5. Director Rural Development Department, Kashmir.
- 6. Director, Information and Publicity, J&K Govt., with a request to kindly arrange the publicity of the notification through electronic and print media.
- 7. General Manager, Government Press, Jammu with a request to ensure the publication of this Notification in the extraordinary issue of Government Gazette.
- 8. Deputy Chief Electoral Officer, Jammu/Kashmir.
- 9. Assistant Chief Electoral Officer, Jammu/Kashmir.
- 10. Incharge Website, IT Section, O/o CEO, J&K, to upload the said Notification on official website forthwith.

ANNEXURE To notification dated 09.11.2018 of Phase – VII Panchayat Elections, 2018

Kashmir Division		
S. No.	District	BLOCK
1	Kupwara	Trehgam
2		Qadirabad
3		Qaziabad
4	Bandipora	Naidkhai
5	Baramulla	Rafiabad
6	Baramulia	Pattan
7	Ganderbal	Safapora
8	Budgam	Sukhnag
9		Parnewa
10	Pulwama	Shadimarg
11	Shopian	Kapran
12		Hermain
13	Kulgam	Pombay
14	Anantnag	Breng
15		Larnoo
16		Sagam

Jammu Division		
S. No.	District	BLOCK
1	Ramban	Ramban excluding Halqa Panchayat Dandrath-C (Dugson)
2	Reasi	Mahore
3		Gulabgarh
4		Chasana
5	Samba	Samba
6		Nud
7		Sumb
8	Jammu	Suchetgarh
9		Bishnah
10		Arnia
11	Rajouri	Budhal
12		Rajnagar
13		Khawas
14	Poonch	Mendhar excluding Panchayat Halqa Pathanateer

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