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 12th 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 – VIII elections in respect of the Panchayat Halqas in Blocks mentioned in the Annexure appended to this Notification:-

- a) the 12th November, 2018 (Monday) as the date of issuance of the Gazette Notification.
- b) the 19th November, 2018 (Monday) as the last date for making nominations.
- c) the 20th November, 2018 (Tuesday) as the date for the scrutiny of nominations.
- d) the 22nd November, 2018 (Thursday) as the last date for withdrawal of candidature.
- e) the 8th December 2018 (Saturday) as the date on which a poll, if necessary, shall be taken from 08:00 a.m. to 02:00 p.m.
- f) the 8th December 2018 (Saturday) 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:- A/A

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

Dated: 12-11-2018

No. 5311/CEO/Pyt/Notification/2018/ 3444- 3468 Copy to:

- 1. Divisional Commissioner, Jammu/Kashmir.
- 2. Secretary to Government, Department of Rural Development and PRIs, Civil Secretariat, for information
- 3. District Panchayat Election Officer (DC) Kupwara, Bandipora, Baramulla, Srinagar, Budgam, Pulwama, Shopian, Kulgam, Reasi, Kathua, Samba, Jammu, and Rajouri 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 12.11.2018 of Phase – VIII Panchayat Elections, 2018

Kashmir Division		
S. No.	District	BLOCK
1	Kupwara	Hyhama, ,
2		Kupwara
3	Bandipora	Hajin
4	Baramulla	Nadihal
5		Narwah
6		Boniyar
7	Srinagar	Srinagar
8		Qamarwari
9	Budgam	B.K.Pora
10		Narbal
11	Pulwama	Achgooze
12		Pampore
13	Shopian	Imamsahib
14	Kulgam	Qaimoh

Jammu Division		
S. No.	District	BLOCK
1	Reasi	Pouni
2		Reasi
3		Panthal
4		Katra
5	Kathua	Barnoti
6		Mahanpur
7		Dhar Mahanpur
8	Samba	Ramgarh
9		Ghagwal
10		Rajpura
11	Jammu	R.S.Pura
12		Miran Sahib
13		Dansal
		Nagrota
14		excluding Halqa Panchayat Marh
15		Satwari
16		Mandal Phallian
17	Rajouri	Kalakote
18		Moughla

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