

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (ELECTIONS.F) DEPARTMENT

Memo. No. 257/Elecs.F/2013-83

Dated:20-02-2013.

Sub:- ELECTIONS – Biennial Elections to A.P. Legislative Council from 3 Graduates' & 3 Teachers' Constituencies – Setting up of counting centers –ECI approval – Regarding.

- Ref:-
1. ECI Lr. No.322/AP-LC/2013-CC&BE/471, dt.23.1.2013.
 2. This office Fax Message No.257/Elecs.F/2013-23, dt.29.1.2013.
 3. From the R.O. & Collector, Nalgonda, Lr. No.C4/1015/2013, dt.07.02.2013 & 11.2.2013.
 4. From the R.O. & Collector, East Godavari, Lr.No.H4/357/2013, dt.08.02.2013, Fax Messages dt. 12.02.2013 & 13.02.2013.
 5. From the R.O. & Collector, Visakhapatnam, Lr. Rc. No.428/2013 H1, dt.07.02.2013 & Dt. .2.2013.
 6. From the R.O. & Collector, Karimnagar, Lr. No.H4/468/2013, dt.11.02.2013.
 7. From the R.O. & Collector, Guntur, Lr. Rc.No.887/2013-H5, dt. 12.02.2013.
 8. From the ECI Lr.No. 322/AP-LC/2013-CC&BE, dt.19.2.2013.

The attention of the Collectors & D.E.Os of East Godavari, Guntur, Visakhapatnam, Karimnagar & Nalgonda Districts is invited to the references cited. It is informed that the Election Commission of India in its Letter No.322/AP-LC/2013-CC&BE, dated: 19th February, 2013 (copy enclosed) has approved the proposals made in the references cited regarding Counting Centres for counting of votes in respect of following Constituencies:

1. East-West Godavari Graduates' Constituency.
 2. Krishna-Guntur Graduates' Constituency.
 3. Medak-Nizamabad-Adilabad-Karimnagar Graduates' Constituency.
 4. Srikakulam-Vizianagaram-Visakhapatnam Teachers' Constituency.
 5. Medak-Nizamabad-Adilabad-Karimnagar Teachers' Constituency.
 6. Warangal-Khammam-Nalgonda Teachers' Constituency.
2. The **counting of votes shall be taken up at 8.00 a.m. on 25th February, 2013**. The Returning Officers should send a detailed and comprehensive report about conduct of poll with special reference to any untoward incidents to reach the Commission immediately after the poll. The Commission directed that the **counting of votes shall not be taken up until a specific written clearance is received from the Commission** after perusing the report sent by the Returning Officer on the conduct of poll in the proforma enclosed at **Annexure 'A' duly recommended by observer of the constituency** on the conduct of poll.
3. The Commission further directed that the **result of counting of votes shall not be declared without specific clearance of the Commission**, which will be given by the Commission after scrutiny of the Returning Officer's report in the proforma enclosed at **Annexure 'B' duly recommended by the Observer of the constituency** regarding defect free completion of counting and disposal of all objections in writing.
4. The Returning Officers of 3 Graduates' & 3 Teachers' Constituencies are hereby directed to follow the instructions of the E.C.I. scrupulously.
5. The receipt of this Memo. may kindly be acknowledged.

BHANWAR LAL,
CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER &
E.O. PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Collector & D.E.Os., of East Godavari, Guntur, Karimnagar,
Visakhapatnam & Nalgonda (w.es.)

(P.T.O)

Copy to:

The Returning Officers of East-West Godavari Graduates',
Krishna-Guntur Graduates', Medak-Nizamabad-Adilabad-Karimnagar
Graduates', Srikakulam-Vizianagaram-Visakhapatnam Teachers',
Medak-Nizamabad-Adilabad-Karimnagar Teachers'
Warangal-Khammam-Nalgonda Teachers' Constituencies
(w.es.)through the D.E.Os., concerned.

The Observers of Graduates' & Teachers' Council Constituencies (w.es.)
through the Dist. Collectors & R.Os., concerned.

// FORWARDED: BY ORDER //


SECTION OFFICER

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ANNEXURE 'A'

Dated:

To:
From:

PROFORMA FOR SEEKING PERMISSION FOR COMMENCEMENT OF COUNTING OF VOTES

Name of State :

Time of Report :

1. Interruption or Obstruction of poll due to Riots, Open Violence, Natural calamity or any other Cause.
2. Vitiating of the poll by any of the ballot boxes having been unlawfully taken out of the custody of the Presiding Officer, accidentally or unintentionally lost or destroyed or damaged or tampered with.
3. The ballot papers having been unlawfully marked by any person and deposited in the ballot box
4. Booth capturing
5. Serious complaints
6. Violence and Breach of Law and Order
7. Mistakes and irregularities committed which have a bearing on the election
8. Weather condition
9. Poll percentage
10. Whether all the polling parties have returned to Headquarter or not
11. Whether all the diaries of Presiding Officers have been scrutinized and irregularities, if any detected
12. Recommendations regarding repoll/fresh poll, if Any
13. Remarks

Place : _____

Date : _____

SIGNATURE OF RETURNING OFFICER

Tel. No.

Fax No.

