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NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (ELECTIONS-A) DEPARTMENT

ELECTION / BIENNIAL ELECTIONS TO THE TELANGANA LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL FROM (9) LOCAL AUTHORITIES' CONSTITUENCIES FOR 12 SEATS.

[G.O.Ms. No.446, General Administration (Elecs.A) Department, dated: 1st December, 2015.]

The following notification is published in an extraordinary issue of the Telangana Gazette, dated the 2nd December, 2015 / Agrahayana 11, 1937 (Saka):-

NOTIFICATION

WHEREAS, 12 (twelve) seats in the Legislative Council of Telangana from Local Authorities' Constituencies are lying vacant as per details given in Table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Local Authorities' Constituency	Number of Seat(s) lying vacant	Dates of Vacancies
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1	Adilabad Local Authorities' Constituency	1	01.05.2013
2	Nizamabad Local Authorities' Constituency	1	01.05.2015
3	Karimnagar Local Authorities' Constituency	2	01.05.2015 One seat newly created
4	Medak Local Authorities' Constituency	1	01.05.2015
5	Ranga Reddy Local Authorities' Constituency	2	01.05.2015 One seat newly created
6	Mahabubnagar Local Authorities' Constituency	2	01.05.2015 One seat newly created
7	Nalgonda Local Authorities' Constituency	1	01.05.2015
8	Warangal Local Authorities' Constituency	1	01.05.2015
9	Khammam Local Authorities' Constituency	1	01.05.2015

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AND WHEREAS, the term of office of 1 (one) member of Telangana Legislative Council from Adilabad Local Authorities' Constituency of the undivided Andhra Pradesh Legislative Council expired on 1st May, 2013 (before the bifurcation of the State of Andhra Pradesh into the States of Andhra Pradesh & Telangana), but election could not be conducted due to non-availability of requisite constituent local authorities and electors; and, the term of office from the remaining 8 (eight) members of the Telangana Legislative Council from eight Local Authorities' Constituencies expired on 1st May, 2015, but the election could not be conducted earlier as there were certain inconsistencies in the Andhra Pradesh Reorganization Act, 2014, which have been removed now by creating three more seats in the State Legislative Council by the Andhra Pradesh Reorganization (Amendment) Act, 2015, and, consequently, allotting one more seat to each of **Karimnagar, Ranga Reddy and Mahabubnagar** Local Authorities' Constituencies;

AND WHEREAS, a biennial election has thus, to be held for the purpose of filling all the above mentioned twelve vacancies so arisen;

AND WHEREAS, the term of office of the members to be elected to the above Legislative Councils from the said Local Authorities' Constituencies will be subject to the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in SLP(c) No. 17123/15 (Election Commission of India Vs Devesh Chandra Thakur & Others);

NOW, THEREFORE, as recommended by the Election Commission of India in pursuance of Section 16 read with Section 15A of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), the Governor of the State of Telangana is hereby pleased to call upon each of the Local Authorities' Constituencies of the State mentioned in column (2) of the Table above to elect the number of member(s), as indicated in column (3) of the Table against each of the corresponding Constituencies, for the purpose of filling the above vacancies, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the rules and orders made thereunder:-

By Order,

E.S.L.NARASIMHAN,
Governor of Telangana.

ELECTION / BIENNIAL ELECTIONS TO TELANGANA LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL FROM (9) LOCAL AUTHORITIES' CONSTITUENCIES FOR 12 SEATS – NOTIFICATION UNDER SECTIONS 30 AND 56 OF THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT, 1951 (43 OF 1951) BY THE ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA – PUBLISHED.

[Memo.No.4873/Elecs.F/2015-18 , Office of the Chief Electoral Officer, Telangana, Dated:1st December, 2015].

The following notification of the Election Commission of India, New Delhi, No.322/TL-LC/2015-BE(LACs), Dated: 2nd December, 2015 / Agrahayana 11, 1937 (Saka) is published:-

NOTIFICATION

No.322/TL-LC/2015-BE(LACs):- WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Telangana has, by notification issued under Section 16 read with Section 15A of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951) and published in the official Gazette of the State on **2nd December**, 2015, been pleased to call upon each of the Local Authorities' Constituencies, specified in column (2) of the Table below, to elect the number(s) of members specified against that constituency in column (3) of the said Table, to the Legislative Council of the State of Telangana.

TABLE

Sl. No.	Name of the Local Authorities' Constituency	Number of Seat(s) lying vacant	Dates of Vacancies
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1	Adilabad Local Authorities' Constituency	1	01.05.2013
2	Nizamabad Local Authorities' Constituency	1	01.05.2015
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8	Warangal Local Authorities' Constituency	1	01.05.2015
9	Khammam Local Authorities' Constituency	1	01.05.2015

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of Sections 30 and 56 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), the Election Commission of India hereby -

(A) appoints, with respect to the said election in each of the constituencies, -

- the 9th December, 2015 (Wednesday), as the last date for making nominations;
- the 10th December, 2015 (Thursday), as the date for the scrutiny of nominations;
- the 12th December, 2015 (Saturday), as the last date for the withdrawal of candidatures;
- the 27th December, 2015 (Sunday), as the date on which a poll shall, if necessary, be taken; and
- the 1st January, 2016 (Friday), as the date before which the election shall be completed; and

(B) fixes the hours from 8.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M., as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary, be taken on the date specified above for the election.

By order,

K. AJAYA KUMAR,
Principal Secretary,
Election Commission of India.

BHANWAR LAL,
Chief Electoral Officer,
Telangana.

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