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#### NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

#### OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER, TELANGANA

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA ORDER REGARDING REMOVAL OF DISQUALIFICATION IMPOSED ON SHRI RAJARAM DODOLLA, CONTESTING CANDIDATE FROM 11-ARMOOR LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONSTITUENCY AT THE GENERAL ELECTION TO LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ANDHRA PRADESH - 2014.

[Lr. No.2449/Elecs.A/A3/2018-3, Office of the Chief Electoral Officer, Telangana, Dated: 18th November, 2018.]

The following Order of the Election Commission of India, Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi - 110001, Dated: 16<sup>th</sup> November, 2018, 25 Kartika, 1940 (Saka) is republished:-

In re: Appeal under Section 11 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951) for removal of disqualification imposed under Section 10A of the said Act of Shri Rajaram Dodolla, a contesting candidate from 11-ArmoorLegislative Assembly Constituency at the General Election to Legislative Assembly of Andhra Pradesh, 2014.

#### No.76/AP-LA/11/2014.-

#### ORDER

Whereas; Shri Rajaram Dodolla, a contesting candidate from 11-Armoor Legislative Assembly Constituency in the State of Telangana, during General Election to the Legislative Assembly of erstwhile Andhra Pradesh. 2014, had been disqualified under Section-10A of the Representation of the People Act. 1951 (43 of 1951), for failure to lodge the account of his election expenses in the manner required by law, vide Commission's Notification No. 76/TEL-LA/2014, dated 13<sup>th</sup>April, 2017; and

Whereas; after receipt of the Commission's disqualification Notification dated 13<sup>th</sup>April.

2017, Shri Rajaram Dodolla has presented an appeal dated 8<sup>th</sup> November, 2018, under Section-11 of the aforesaid Act, along with the relevant documents, for removal of disqualification imposed upon him vide Commission's aforesaid notification, and

Whereas, after considering all the material facts brought to the notice, the Appellate Authority is of the view that there are sufficient reasons that explained his failure to lodge the account of election expenses in the time and manner required by law and hence, in view of the submission made by the appellant, the Appellate Authority, after taking a lenient view, has decided to reduce the period of disqualification imposed on him, under section 10A of the R.P. Act, 1951 vide Commission's Notification No. 76/TEL-LA/2014, dated 13<sup>th</sup>April, 2017.

Now; therefore, it is hereby decided by the Competent Authority, that the disqualification imposed on Shri Rajaram Dodolla, Under Section 10A, vide Election Commission of India's Notification dated 13<sup>th</sup>April, 2017, shall stand removed from the date of this order. Consequently, the name of Shri Rajaram Dodolla appearing at Serial No. 01 in the Commission's Notification No. 76/TEL-LA/2014, dated 13<sup>th</sup>April, 2017, shall be deemed to have been deleted from the said Notification, with effect from date of this order.

By Order,

S.K. RUDOLA,

Principal Secretary,

Election Commission of India.

(Sd/-), Chief Electoral Officer & E.O. Principal Secretary to Government.

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