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**OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER, TELANGANA
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (ELECTIONS) DEPARTMENT**

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Note No.473/Elecs.A/2019-35

Dated:25.09.2021

Sub: Elections – General Elections to the Telangana State Legislative Assembly – 2018 – Election Expenses Accounts of **01** defaulted candidate contested from 101-Dornakal (ST) Assembly Constituency – Disqualification Orders of the Election Commission of India, dated 21.09.2021 published in Telangana Gazette No.31, dated 23.09.2021 – Uploading Gazette copy in the website of CEO's portal – Regarding.

- Ref: 1. Election Commission of India, New Delhi, Orders No.76/TEL-LA/2019, dated 21.09.2021 (**01 Number**)
2. This office Memo No. 473/Elecs.A/2019-28, dated 22.09.2021 addressed to the Commissioner of Printing, Stationery & Stores Purchase, Telangana State, Hyderabad.
3. Telangana Gazette No.31, dated 23.09.2021.

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Copy of Telangana Gazette Part-V Extraordinary No.31, dated 23.09.2021 (reference 3rd cited) in which Election Commission of India Orders dated 21.09.2021 disqualifying **01** defaulted candidate under Section 10A of the Representation of People Act, 1951 contested from 101-Dornakal (ST) Assembly Constituency under the jurisdiction of the Collector & District Election Officer of Mahabubabad district during the General Elections to the Telangana State Legislative Assembly-2018 has been published is enclosed herewith for uploading in the website of CEO's portal.

**Dr. SHASHANK GOEL
CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER &
E.O.SPL. CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER, TELANGANA
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION ELECTIONS DEPARTMENT

GENERAL ELECTIONS TO THE TELANGANA STATE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2018 – ELECTION EXPENSES ACCOUNTS OF THE DEFAULTED CONTESTED CANDIDATES OF G.E. TO THE TSLA, 2018 – DISQUALIFICATION ORDERS UNDER SECTION 10A OF THE REPRESENTATION OF PEOPLE ACT, 1951 ISSUED VIDE ECI'S ORDERS DATED 21-09-2021 IN RESPECT OF 01 DEFAULTED CANDIDATE CONTESTED FROM 101-DORNAKAL(ST) ASSEMBLY CONSTITUENCY DURING THE GENERAL ELECTIONS.

[Memo No.473/Elecs.A/2019-28, Office of the Chief Electoral Officer, Telangana, General Administration Elections Department Dated: 22nd September, 2021].

The following Order of the Election Commission of India, Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001, Dated: 21st September, 2021, 30 Bhadra, 1943 (Saka) is Republished:-

ORDER

No. 76/TEL-LA/2019:- WHEREAS, the General Election for **101-Dornakal (ST)** Assembly Constituency of Telangana, 2018 was announced by the Election Commission of India vide Press Note No. ECI/PN/66/2018 dated 06th October, 2018; and

WHEREAS, as per Section 78 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, every contesting candidate has to lodge a true copy of his account of election expenses within 30 days with the concerned District Election Officer, from the date of election of the returned candidate; and

WHEREAS, the result of the election for **101-Dornakal (ST)** Assembly Constituency was declared by the Returning Officer on 11th December, 2018 and hence the last date for lodging the account of Election Expenses was 10th January, 2019; and

WHEREAS, as per the report dated: **11th January, 2019** submitted by the 'District Election Officer, Mahabubabad District, Telangana, **Maloth Sreenu Naik**, a contesting candidate from **101-Dornakal (ST)** Assembly Constituency, 2018 from Telangana has failed to lodge account of election expenses, as required under law; and

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WHEREAS, on the basis of the said report of the District Election Officer, a Show- Cause notice No. 76/TEL-LA/2019, dated 17th July, 2021 was issued under sub rule (5) of Rule 89 of the Conduct of Election Rules, 1961 by the Election Commission of India to **Maloth Sreenu Naik**, for not lodging of account of Election Expenses; and

WHEREAS, through the above said Show Cause Notice and under sub rule (6) of Rule 89 of the Conduct of Election Rules, 1961, **Maloth Sreenu Naik** was directed to submit representation in writing to the Commission explaining the reason for not lodging the account and also to lodge account of election expenses with the District Election Officer, **Mahabubabad** within 20 days from the date of receipt of the notice; and

WHEREAS, the District Election Officer, **Mahabubabad**, has reported that the said notice was served to **Dr. Banoth Ramesh**, brother-in-law of **Maloth Sreenu Naik** on **21.07.2021**; and

WHEREAS, the said notice was pasted at the door of the address provided by **Maloth Sreenu Naik** in his nomination paper and panchanama regarding delivery of notice was done on 28.08.2021 in the presence of two local residents; and

WHEREAS, the said notice was sent to the candidate on the email id provided by **Maloth Sreenu Naik** in the affidavit (Form 26) i.e. pittunail723@gmail.com on 15th July, 2021 with direction to submit account within 20 days, however the candidate has neither submitted the account nor responded to the notice; and

WHEREAS, the District Election Officer, **Mahabubabad** in his supplementary report dated : **26.06.2021** and **02.09.2021** reported that **Maloth Sreenu Naik** has not submitted any account of election expenses. Further, **Maloth Sreenu Naik** has neither furnished any reason nor explanation to the Election Commission of India, for failure to lodge the account as prescribed under law; and

WHEREAS, Section 10A of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 provides that:-

"If the Election Commission is satisfied that a person-

a) has failed to lodge an account of election expenses, within the time and in the manner required by or under this Act, and

(b) has no good reason or justification for the failure,

the Election Commission shall, by order published in the Official Gazette, declare him to be disqualified and any such person shall be disqualified for a period of three years from the date of the order."

WHEREAS, on the basis of facts and available records, the Commission is satisfied that **Maloth Sreenu Naik** has failed to lodge account of election expenses and has no good reason or justification for the failure to do so; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of Section 10A of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, the Election Commission of India hereby declares **Maloth Sreenu Naik, H. No. 2-4-946/7, Gokul nagar, Hanamkonda, Warangal (Urban) District** and a contesting candidate from **101-Dornakal (ST) Assembly Constituency** of the State of Telangana in the General Election to Legislative Assembly, 2018 to be disqualified for being chosen as and for being a member of either House of Parliament or the Legislative Assembly or Legislative Council of a State or Union Territory for a period of three years from the date of this order.

To
Shri/Smt/Km/Ms. **Maloth Sreenu Naik**
H. No. 2-4-946/7, Gokul nagar, Hanamkonda,
Warangal (Urban) District.

By Order,

AVINASH KUMAR,
Principal Secretary,
Election Commission of India.

Dr. SHASHANK GOEL,
Chief Electoral Officer &
E.O. Spl. Chief Secretary to Government.