## Office of the Chief Electoral Officer, Andhra Pradesh, South 'H' Block, A.P. Secretariat, Hyderabad

## Memo. No.144/Elecs.F/2014-14,

Dated:24-03-2014.

Sub:- General Elections to the Lok Sabha 2014/or the State Legislative Assemblies, 2014 - Concession to candidates set up by registered unrecognized political parties — Allotment of common symbol under Para 10B of Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 1968 — Regarding.

Ref:- From the ECI Lr. F. No. 56/Symbol/2014/PPS-II/Vol.XI/365, dt.22.03.2014.

A copy of the ECI letter in the reference cited is communicated to all the Collectors and District Election Officers and the Commissioner, G.H.M.C. & D.E.O., Hyderabad regarding allotment of common symbol under <a href="Para 10B">Para 10B</a> of the Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 1968. All the District Election Officers are requested that a copy of the ECI letter in the reference cited shall also be forwarded to all the Returning Officers of Parliamentary & Assembly Constituencies and other election authorities concerned for taking necessary action in the matter for the forthcoming General Elections, 2014.

V.VENKATESWARA RAO ADDL. CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER

All the Collector & Dist. Election Officers (w.e.)
The Commissioner, GHMC & D.E.O., Hyderabad (w.e.)
Copy to:

All the Returning Officers of Parliamentary & Assembly Constituencies in the State **through** the D.E.Os., concerned. (w.e.)
The General Admn. (Elecs.D) Dept., (w.e.)

//Forwarded::By Order//

SECTION OFFICER

## ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110 001.

F.No. 56/Symbol/2014/PPS-II/Vol. XI

Dated: 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2014

To,

The Chief Electoral Officers,

- (i) Mahrarshtra, Mumbai
- (ii) Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

Sub:- General Elections to the Lok Sabha and/or State Legislative Assemblies, 2014-Concession to candidates set up by registered unrecognized political parties- allotment of common symbol under Para 10B of the Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 1968- Regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to state that the applications of the following 2(two) registered unrecognized political parties for concession in the allotment of a common symbol to their candidates being set up at the forthcoming General Election to the Lok Sabha and/or State Legislative Assemblies, 2014, under the provisions of para 10B of the Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 1968, have been accepted by the Commission. Accordingly, the Commission has decided to extend the concession sought under Para 10B to candidates of the said parties for the forthcoming General Election to Lok Sabha and/or State Legislative Assemblies, 2014, in the constituencies mentioned under:-

SI. No.	Name of the Party	Name of Election(s)	No. of Parliamentary/ Assembly Constituencies	Common Symbol allotted.
1.	Bahujan Mukti Party	Lok Sabha (Maharashtra)	In all the 48 Parliamentary Constituencies of Maharashtra.	Cot
2.	Nav Bharat National Party	Lok Sabha (Andhra Pradesh)	In all the 42 Parliamentary Constituencies of Andhra Pradesh.	Dao
		Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly	In all the 294 Assembly Constituencies of Andhra Pradesh.	

2. The Returning Officers of the above mentioned Parliamentary/Assembly Constituencies, be directed to allot the common symbol mentioned above to the candidates set up by the aforesaid registered un-recognised political parties, subject to fulfillment of the provisions of Para 13 of the Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 1968 relating to setting up of candidates by the parties. It may also be noted that said common symbol allotted to the candidates of the above

mentioned political parties, is not allotted by oversight to any other candidate in these constituencies. However, the said symbol shall be available for allotment as free symbol to other candidates in all other constituencies, and in the constituencies where the aforesaid parties do not actually set up their candidates.

3. (a) In the event of the above said parties failing to meet the requirement of the minimum number of candidates, as prescribed in Para 10B of the said Symbols Order, 1968, i.e., 10% of total number of *Parliamentary Constituencies* in the concerned State/UT subject to a minimum of two constituencies in States having less than twenty parliamentary constituencies allotted to the State (except the States having only one seat), in which they seek allotment of a common symbol to their candidates, then the said common symbol shall not be available to their candidates.

## And/or

(b) In the event of the above said parties failing to meet the requirement of the minimum number of candidates, as prescribed in Para 10B of the said Symbols Order, 1968, i.e., 10% of total number of <u>Assembly Constituencies</u> in the concerned State in case of Assembly election, then the said common symbol shall not be available to their candidates.

Yours faithfully,

(VARINDER KUMAR) SECRETARY

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SI. No.	Name of the Party	Instructions	
1.	The President, Bahujan Mukti Party Flat No. 14, Aasha Pushp Vihar, Sahkari Aavas Samiti, Sector – 14, Kaushambi, Gazhiabad, Uttar Pradesh.	It is informed that the party and the candidates must comply with each of the provisions of Para 13 of the Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 1968.	
2.	The President, Nava Bharat National Party, Survey No.627, Bhairava Gutta, Ravalkole Village, Medchal Mandal, Ranga Reddy District. Andhra Pradesh.		

- 3. Pr. Secy(KAK)
- 4. West –II, South-I.
- 5. Guard File.