

भारत निर्वाचन आयोग
Election Commission of India

निर्वाचन सदन
NIRVACHAN SADAN
अशोक रोड, नई दिल्ली- 110001
ASHOKA ROAD, NEW DELHI-110001

No. 318/LET/ECI/FUNC/CS-Multi/2/2022

Dated: 21st May, 2022

To,

The Chief Electoral Officers of

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| 1. Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati-522238 | 2. Punjab, Chandigarh-143105 |
| 3. Telangana, Hyderabad-500004 | 4. Rajasthan, Jaipur-302005 |
| 5. Chhattisgarh, Raipur-492001 | 6. Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow-226001 |
| 7. Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal-462011 | 8. Uttarakhand, Dehradun-248001 |
| 9. Tamil Nadu, Chennai-600009 | 10. Bihar, Patna-800015 |
| 11. Karnataka, Bengaluru-560001 | 12. Jharkhand, Ranchi-834001 |
| 13. Odisha, Bhubaneswar-751001 | 14. Haryana, Chandigarh-143015 |
| 15. Maharashtra, Mumbai-400032 | |

Sub: - Biennial Elections to the Council of States -2022.

Sir/Madam,

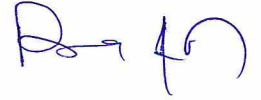
I am directed to refer to the Commission letter of even number dated 12.05.2022 whereby a copy of Commission's Notification No. 318/CS-Multi/2/2022(2) dated 24th May, 2022 with respect to appointment of Returning Officer and Assistant Returning Officers in all 15 States was forwarded in advance for republication of the same in respective State Gazette on 24.05.2022.

2. Now, the Chief Electoral Officer, Andhra Pradesh has sent the revised proposal with regard to appointment of Returning Officer in Andhra Pradesh. Also, a slight modification in Hindi version of notification has been proposed by CEO, Madhya Pradesh to replace "प्रधान सचिव" with "प्रमुख सचिव" in Column-2 against entry "मध्य प्रदेश" of Commission's aforesaid Notification dated 24.05.2022

3. Accordingly, I am directed forward herewith a copy of Commission's revised Notification No. 318/CS-Multi/2/2022(2) dated 24th May, 2022 (together with Hindi version) to be issued under Section 39(1), 56, 21 and 22 (1) of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 for the above said biennial election to the Council of States from your State. This Notification is being published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary; Part-II Section 3 (iii) dated 24th May, 2022. Arrangements may kindly be made for its re-publication in an extraordinary issue of the State Gazette on the same date.

4. In view of above, the advance copy of the Notification No. 318/CS-Multi/2/2022(2) dated 24th May, 2022 sent vide Commission's letter dated 12.05.2022 may be replaced with advance copy of the revised notification enclosed herewith.
5. All other criteria for publishing/re-publishing of notification in State Gazette mentioned in Commission's letter of even number dated 12.05.2022 will remain same.

Yours faithfully,



(PRAFULL AWASTHI)
UNDER SECRETARY

Copy forwarded to: -

1. The Chief Secretaries to the Govt. of -

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| 1. Andhra Pradesh, Amaravati-522238 | 9. Punjab, Chandigarh-143105 |
| 2. Telangana, Hyderabad-500004 | 10. Rajasthan, Jaipur-302005 |
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| 6. Karnataka, Bengaluru-560001 | 14. Jharkhand, Ranchi-834001 |
| 7. Odisha, Bhubaneswar-751001 | 15. Haryana, Chandigarh-143015 |
| 8. Maharashtra, Mumbai-400032 | |

- by Speed Post

2. The Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Law, Justice and Company Affairs (Legislative Department), New Delhi

- by Special Messenger

3. The Secretary General, Rajya Sabha Secretariat, Parliament House, New Delhi, (Table Office, Room No. 33)

- by Special Messenger

4. The Returning Officers for the Biennial Elections to the Council of States & -

1. Sri P.V. Subba Reddy, Deputy Secretary, Andhra Pradesh State Legislature, Amaravati-522238-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Andhra Pradesh.
2. Sri Ch. Upendar Reddy, Joint Secretary, Telangana State Legislature, Hyderabad-500004-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Telangana.
3. Shri Dinesh Sharma, Secretary, Chhattisgarh Vidhan Sabha, Raipur-492001-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Chhattisgarh
4. Shri Awadesh Pratap Singh, Principal Secretary, Madhya Pradesh Legislative Assembly Secretariat, Bhopal-462011-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Madhya Pradesh.
5. Dr. K. Srinivasan, Secretary, Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Secretariat, Chennai-600009-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Tamil Nadu.
6. Smt. M.K. Vishalakshi, Secretary(I/c), Karnataka Legislative Assembly, Vidhana Soudha, Bengaluru-560001-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Karnataka.
7. Shri Bishnu Prasad Mishra, IAS, Secretary, OSSSC, Bhubaneswar-751001-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Odisha.
8. Shri Rajendra Bhagwat, Principal Secretary, Maharashtra Legislature Secretariat, Mumbai-400032-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Maharashtra.
9. Shri Surinder Pal, Secretary, Punjab Vidhan Sabha Secretariat, Chandigarh-143105-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Punjab.

- 10 Dr. Joga Ram, Secretary to Government, Local Self Government, Rajasthan, Jaipur-302005-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Rajasthan.
- 11 Sri. Brij Bhushan Dubey, Special Secretary, Legislative Assembly, Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow-226001-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Uttar Pradesh.
- 12 Shri Mukesh Singhal, Secretary, Vidhan Sabha, Dehradun-248001-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Uttarakhand.
- 13 Shri Shailendra Singh, Secretary, Bihar Legislative Assembly, Patna-800015-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Bihar.
- 14 Shri Sayed Jawed Haider, Secretary (In-charge), Jharkhand Vidhan Sabha, Ranchi-834001-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Jharkhand.
- 15 Shri R. K. Nandal, Secretary, Haryana Vidhan Sabha, Chandigarh-143105-cum-Returning Officer for the biennial election to the Council of States from Haryana.

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6. Statutory Directions & Reforms Section
7. Election Material Section
8. Communication Section.
9. Observer Planning Section



**(PRAFULL AWASTHI)
UNDER SECRETARY**

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official Gazette of the State dated 24th May, 2022

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi - 110001

Dated: 24th May, 2022
Jyaishta 03, 1944 (Saka)

NOTIFICATION

No. 318/CS-Multi/2/2022(2): - In pursuance of Section 21, and in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 22, of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), the Election Commission of India, in consultation with the Government of each of the States, specified in the column (1) of the TABLE below, hereby-

- (i) designates the officer, specified in the corresponding entry in column (2) of the said TABLE to be the Returning Officer; and
- (ii) appoints the officer(s), specified in the corresponding entry in column (3) of the said TABLE, to be the Assistant Returning Officer(s) to assist the Returning Officer in the performance of his/her functions;

in respect of the biennial election to the Council of States, to be held in that State in pursuance of the notification of the President of India, published in the Gazette of India on 24th May, 2022: -

TABLE

States	Returning Officer	Assistant Returning Officer
(1)	(2)	(3)
Andhra Pradesh	Sri P. V. Subba Reddy, Deputy Secretary, Andhra Pradesh State Legislature	Smt. R. Vanitha Rani, Deputy Secretary, Andhra Pradesh State Legislature
Telangana	Sri Ch. Upender Reddy, Joint Secretary, Telangana State Legislature	Sri A. Sudhakar, Assistant Secretary, Telangana State Legislature
Chhattisgarh	Shri Dinesh Sharma, Secretary, Chhattisgarh Vidhan Sabha	Shri Dinesh Trivedi, Under Secretary, Chhattisgarh Vidhan Sabha
Madhya Pradesh	Shri Awadesh Pratap Singh, Principal Secretary, Madhya Pradesh Legislative Assembly Secretariat	Shri Bhagwatdeen Singh Paraste, Additional Secretary, Madhya Pradesh Legislative Assembly Secretariat
Tamil Nadu	Dr. K. Srinivasan, Secretary, Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Secretariat	Thiru. K. Ramesh, Deputy Secretary, Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Secretariat
Karnataka	Smt. M.K. Vishalakshi, Secretary(I/c), Karnataka Legislative Assembly, Vidhana Soudha, Bengaluru.	Shri B.S. Mahalingesh, Deputy Secretary, Karnataka Legislative Assembly, Vidhana Soudha, Bengaluru.

Odisha	Shri Bishnu Prasad Mishra, IAS, Secretary, OSSSC, Bhubaneswar	Shri Rangadhar Mallick, Under Secretary, Odisha Legislative Assembly
Maharashtra	Shri Rajendra Bhagwat, Principal Secretary, Maharashtra Legislature Secretariat	1. Shri Shivdarshan Shrinivas Sathye, Deputy Secretary, Maharashtra Legislature Secretariat 2. Shri Mohan Sadashiv Kakad, Under Secretary, Maharashtra Legislature Secretariat
Punjab	Shri Surinder Pal, Secretary, Punjab Vidhan Sabha Secretariat, Chandigarh	Shri Ram Lok Khatana, Joint Secretary, Punjab Vidhan Sabha Secretariat, Chandigarh
Rajasthan	Dr. Joga Ram, Secretary to Government, Local Self Government, Rajasthan, Jaipur	Shri Vinod Kumar Mishra, Chief Research & Reference Officer, Rajasthan Vidhan Sabha
Uttar Pradesh	Sri. Brij Bhushan Dubey, Special Secretary, Legislative Assembly, Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow	Sri. Mohammad Mushahid, Special Secretary, Legislative Assembly, Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow
Uttarakhand	Shri Mukesh Singhal, Secretary, Uttarakhand Vidhan Sabha	Shri Chander Mohan Goswami, Joint Secretary, Uttarakhand Vidhan Sabha
Bihar	Shri Shailendra Singh, Secretary, Bihar Legislative Assembly, Patna.	Shri Pawan Kumar Pandey, Joint Secretary, Bihar Legislative Assembly, Patna.
Jharkhand	Shri Sayed Jawed Haider, Secretary (In-charge), Jharkhand Vidhan Sabha, Ranchi	Shri Ram Niwas Das, Joint Secretary, Jharkhand Vidhan Sabha, Ranchi
Haryana	Shri R. K. Nandal, Secretary, Haryana Vidhan Sabha, Chandigarh	Shri Vishnu Dev, Under Secretary, Haryana Vidhan Sabha, Chandigarh

By order,

(SUMAN KUMAR DAS)

Secretary to the
Election Commission of India

भारत के राजपत्र के भाग-(ii), खण्ड-3(iii) के असाधारण
अंक में तारीख 24 मई, 2022 को प्रकाशनार्थी
राज्य के शासकीय राजपत्र के असाधारण
अंक में 24 मई, 2022 को पुनः प्रकाशनार्थी

भारत निर्वाचन आयोग
निर्वाचन सदन, अशोक रोड, नई दिल्ली – 110001

दिनांक: 24 मई, 2022
ज्येष्ठ 03, 1944 (शक)

अधिसूचना

सं. 318/रा.स.-मल्टी/2/2022 (2)- लोक प्रतिनिधित्व अधिनियम, 1951 (1951 का 43) की धारा 21 के अनुसरण में एवं उक्त अधिनियम की धारा 22 की उपधारा (1) द्वारा प्रदत्त शक्तियों का प्रयोग करते हुए, भारत निर्वाचन आयोग, नीचे की सारणी के स्तम्भ (1) में विनिर्दिष्ट प्रत्येक राज्य सरकार के परामर्श से 24 मई, 2022 को भारत के राजपत्र में प्रकाशित माननीय राष्ट्रपति की अधिसूचना के अनुसरण में राज्य सभा के लिए होने वाले द्विवार्षिक निर्वाचन के संबंध में एतद्वारा-

- (i) नीचे की सारणी के स्तंभ (2) में विनिर्दिष्ट अधिकारी को रिटर्निंग ऑफिसर के रूप में पदाभिहित करता है, तथा
- (ii) उक्त सारणी के स्तंभ (3) में विनिर्दिष्ट अधिकारी को रिटर्निंग ऑफिसर के कृत्यों के निष्पादन में सहायता के लिए, सहायक रिटर्निंग ऑफिसर के रूप में नियुक्त करता है;

सारणी

राज्य	रिटर्निंग आफिसर के रूप में पदाभिहित अधिकारी	सहायक रिटर्निंग आफिसर के रूप में नियुक्त अधिकारी
(1)	(2)	(3)
आंध्र प्रदेश	श्री पी. वी. सुब्बा रेड्डी, उप सचिव, आंध्र प्रदेश राज्य विधानमंडल	श्रीमती आर. वनिता रानी, उप सचिव, आंध्र प्रदेश राज्य विधानमंडल
तेलंगाना	श्री चे. उपेन्द्र रेड्डी, संयुक्त सचिव, तेलंगाना राज्य विधानमंडल	श्री ए. सुधाकर, सहायक सचिव, तेलंगाना राज्य विधानमंडल
छत्तीसगढ़	श्री दिनेश शर्मा, सचिव, छत्तीसगढ़ विधान सभा	श्री दिनेश त्रिवेदी, अवर सचिव, छत्तीसगढ़ विधान सभा
मध्य प्रदेश	श्री अवधेश प्रताप सिंह, प्रमुख सचिव, मध्य प्रदेश विधान सभा सचिवालय	श्री भगवतदीन सिंह परस्ते, अपर सचिव, मध्य प्रदेश विधान सभा सचिवालय
तमिलनाडु	डॉ. के. श्रीनिवासन, सचिव, तमिलनाडु विधानसभा सचिवालय	श्री के. रमेश, उप सचिव, तमिलनाडु विधानसभा सचिवालय
कर्नाटक	श्रीमति एम.के. विशालाक्षी, सचिव (आई/सी), कर्नाटक विधानसभा, विधान सौध, बेंगलुरु	श्री बी. एस. महालिंगेश, उप सचिव, कर्नाटक विधानसभा, विधान सौध, बेंगलुरु
ओडिशा	श्री बिष्णु प्रसाद मिश्रा, आई.ए.एस, सचिव, ओएसएसएससी, भुवनेश्वर	श्री रंगधर मल्लिक, अवर सचिव, ओडिशा विधान सभा

महाराष्ट्र	श्री राजेंद्र भागवत, प्रधान सचिव, महाराष्ट्र विधानमंडल सचिवालय	1. श्री शिवदर्शन श्रीनिवास साठये, उप सचिव, महाराष्ट्र विधानमंडल सचिवालय 2. श्री मोहन सदाशिव काकड, अवर सचिव, महाराष्ट्र विधानमंडल सचिवालय
पंजाब	श्री सुरिंदर पाल, सचिव, पंजाब विधान सभा सचिवालय, चण्डीगढ़	श्री राम लोक खटाना, संयुक्त सचिव, पंजाब विधान सभा सचिवालय, चण्डीगढ़
राजस्थान	डॉ. जोगा राम, शासन सचिव, स्वायत्त शासन विभाग, राजस्थान, जयपुर	श्री विनोद कुमार मिश्रा, मुख्य अन्वेषण एवं संदर्भ अधिकारी, राजस्थान विधान सभा
उत्तर प्रदेश	श्री बृज भूषण दुबे, विशेष सचिव, विधान सभा, उत्तर प्रदेश, लखनऊ	श्री मोहम्मद मुशाहिद, विशेष सचिव, विधान सभा, उत्तर प्रदेश, लखनऊ
उत्तराखण्ड	श्री मुकेश सिंघल, सचिव, उत्तराखण्ड विधान सभा	श्री चन्द्र मोहन गोस्वामी, संयुक्त सचिव, उत्तराखण्ड विधान सभा
बिहार	श्री शैलेन्द्र सिंह, सचिव, बिहार विधान सभा, पटना	श्री पवन कुमार पाण्डेय, संयुक्त सचिव, बिहार विधान सभा, पटना
झारखण्ड	श्री सैयद जावेद हैदर, प्रभारी सचिव, झारखण्ड विधान सभा, राँची	श्री रामनिवास दास, संयुक्त सचिव, झारखण्ड विधान सभा, राँची
हरियाणा	श्री आर. के. नन्दल, सचिव, हरियाणा विधान सभा, चण्डीगढ़	श्री विष्णु देव, अवर सचिव, हरियाणा विधान सभा, चण्डीगढ़

आदेश से,



(सुमन कुमार दास)

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भारत निर्वाचन आयोग