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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR
PANCHYAT & MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS
(DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, SOUTH ANDAMAN)
PORT BLAIR

Port Blair dated the 17th September, 2015.

PRESS RELEASE

Election Campaign to be closed by 4:00 pm on 18th
September 2015

It is once again informed that all activities related to canvassing are permitted up to 18th September 2015 by 4.00 pm only i.e. 48 hours before the closing of the poll. If any contesting candidate violates the above, he/she shall be prosecuted under the relevant rule and if convicted, his/her candidature shall be cancelled.

The training on counting and declaration of results for PBMC & Panchayat area will be held on 18th September 2015 from 04:00 pm at Tagore Govt. College Auditorium and DRBRAIT Auditorium respectively. All concerned staffs are instructed to attend the same without fail.

The order has been issued for deploying Central Government Officials as counting observers at each counting center on the day of counting.

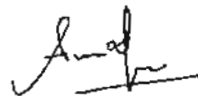
The preparation of electronic voting machines has been completed. The Polling Personnel for Hut Bay, Neil & Havelock Islands will depart to their respective places on 18th September 2015.

Stringent action is being initiated against the Government Servants found to be involved in political activities. Show Cause Notices have been issued to Ten (10) more Government Servants for their alleged involvement in such activities. Till date total **twenty (20) Government Servants** have been Show Caused and if found guilty, **appropriate disciplinary** action shall be taken against them.

The liquor sales have been videographed at **the outlets** of ANIIDCO to prevent any illicit activity. The dry days shall be **observed from** 18th to 20th September 2015 & 22nd September 2015. All Bars, **ANIIDCO outlets**, Defense & Police Canteens are directed to ensure the same. If **any violations** are found, their license shall be cancelled.

The teams constituted for preventing the violation of Model Code of Conduct have been keeping constant vigil. Total 2633 (Two Thousand Six Hundred Thirty Three) & 377 (Three Hundred Seventy Seven) number of defacements have been removed from Public & Private property in South Andaman District & North Andaman District respectively. The general public

and others are appealed to report any case of violation of Modal Code of Conduct to Election Cell on 03192-238881 and 03192-240127.



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1. The Chief Editor, The Daily Telegrams & Dweep Samachar with the request to publish the same in the news papers on 18th Sept., 2015.
2. The Director, Doordarshan for telecasting the same 18th Sept., 2015.
3. The News Editor, All India Radio for broadcasting the same 18th Sept., 2015.
4. The Officer-in-charge, Publicity Division, IP for information and necessary action.
5. The In-charge, NIC, District Office, Port Blair with the direction to upload the above data in the website.

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1. PA to the Deputy Commissioner (SA) for kind information of the Deputy Commissioner (SA).



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