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

Port Blair dated the 7th September, 2015.

PRESS RELEASE

The preparations for randomization of Polling Personnel have been reviewed by the Director, Panchayat & Municipal Elections to ensure that all personnel are posted out of their respective constituencies in a transparent manner. A Software is being developed for implementing the same.

A standard operating procedure has been prepared for the assistance of Polling Personnel in the event of a crisis during the conduction of the ensuing election.

The works of printing of Ballot Papers have been completed for all the seats & constituencies for Panchayats & Municipal areas as well.

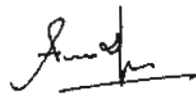
The training on counting of the votes for master trainers will be conducted on 10th September, 2015 and further these master trainers will train the staff engaged for counting on 21st September in various Tehsils.

The Deputy Commissioner, North & Middle Andaman reviewed the status of Basic Minimum Facilities at all Polling Stations in the District and directed all Sector Officers to prepare the detailed status of the same at the earliest.

A few complaints have been received in North & Middle Andaman against Govt Servants for taking part in electoral activities of contesting candidates. The complaints are being enquired and appropriate action shall be initiated against them. All Govt Servants are again cautioned to completely restrain from such activities.

The teams constituted for preventing the violation of Model Code of Conduct have been keeping constant vigil. In Campbell Bay a Team constituted under Sector Officer has been conducting a routine check up on arrival of ships plying between Port Blair & Campbell Bay to ensure compliance of Model Code of Conduct and to prevent illicit flow of Money & Liquor intended to be used in forthcoming elections. Videography of all important events and activities is also being carried out on regular basis to ensure free & fair elections.

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


Additional District Magistrate
South Andaman

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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 8th Sept., 2015.
2. The Director, Doordarshan for telecasting the same on 8th Sept., 2015.
3. The News Editor, All India Radio for broadcasting the same 8th Sept., 2015.
4. The Officer-in-charge, Publicity Division, IP for information and necessary action.
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1. PA to the Deputy Commissioner (SA) for kind information of the Deputy Commissioner (SA).


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