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

Port Blair dated the 26th August, 2015.

DAILY BULLETIN

The process of filing nominations has been completed peacefully. On the final day of filing of nominations for Panchayat & Municipal Elections, 2015, total 1853 no. of nominations were received for various posts. On the completion of the nomination process, the nominations for councilor PBMC, Member Zilla Parishad, Panchayat Samiti Member, Gram Pradhan and Gram Panchayat Members are as under:-

Sl. No.	Name of constituencies	No. of nominations received on 26/08/2015	Progressive Total on the closing of nominations
1.	Zilla Parishad	100	160
2.	Panchayat Samiti Member	175	267
3.	Gram Pradhan	183	290
4.	Gram Panchayat Member	1276	2035
5.	Municipal Ward	119	208
	Total	1853	2960

The scrutiny of nominations shall be done tomorrow on 27/08/2015 amidst adequate security arrangement and videography shall also be done of the process for Municipal seats. The Returning Officers are informed that nominations will not be rejected for non receiving of Form-A and the same shall be made available by the office of the Director, Panchayat and Municipal Elections if not provided yet.

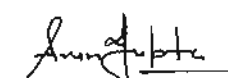
The first round of training of Presiding Officers/Polling Officers were held today on 26th August, 2015. Out of 896 polling officials, 744 persons attended the training and the remaining have been directed to attend the training on second day without fail. Show cause notices have been issued to the polling personnel who have failed to attend the training even after receiving the notice and the process of registering of FIR and disciplinary action upon the concerned officials have been initiated.

The employees engaged for election duty have been again directed to report for their duty immediately and have been informed that any request for exemption from election duty shall be considered in genuine cases and extraordinary circumstances only. The departments have been requested to not to sanction leave to their staff related to election duty without obtaining concurrence from Director Panchayat and Municipal Elections.

The Bar licencees and ANIIDCO Ltd have been directed to submit the daily report of their sale of liquor in the prescribed format. The teams constituted for enforcement for modal code of conduct have also been entrusted the responsibility of monitoring and keeping vigil on bars/liquor shops. The intelligence personnel are also being deployed in civil dress to check any irregularity in the sale of liquor so as to prevent its misuse in the forthcoming elections.

It has been again informed for the information of the voters that a SMS based facility has been developed to facilitate the voters to know their name, polling station details and voters serial number etc. by adopting the following procedure

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