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NOTIFICATION BY THE ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

ISSUE OF POSTAL BALLOT TO ELECTORS IN QUARANTINE DUE TO COVID-19.

No. SRO G-21/2021.

The following Notification of the Election Commission of India, Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110 001, dated17th March, 2021 [26 Phalguna, 1942 (Saka)] is published:

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In pursuance of the provisions of clause (c) of Section-60 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, the Election Commission hereby specifies that the Covid-19 suspect or affected persons, certified by competent authority, who applies for voting by postal ballot paper, and subject to verification of his request by the Returning Officer concerned, would be a class of persons to give vote by postal ballot in the current bye elections to the House of the People notified / to be notified under Section 30 of Representation of the People, 1951, as per the provisions in Part-III A of the Conduct of Elections Rules, 1961, as amended vide Ministry of Law & Justice, Govt. of India, Notification SO No.1964(E), dated 19th June, 2020 read with the directions and guidelines issued by the Election Commission on the subject.

(By Order)

N.T. BHUTIA, Secretary. Election Commission of India.

Secretariat, Chennai-600 009, 18th March, 2021.

SATYABRATA SAHOO, Chief Electoral Officer and Principal Secretary to Government. Public (Elections) Department.