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PRESS NOTE

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The Election Commission of India has decided to undertake the Revision of Electoral Rolls of East-West Godavari Teachers' and Krishna-Guntur Teachers' Constituencies with reference to 01.11.2014 as the qualifying date in Andhra Pradesh State and ordered for revision of electoral rolls in the above said Constituencies in accordance with the following schedule:

S. No.	Activities	Period
1	Campaign for collection for EPIC No. of electors	From 01.11.2014 (Saturday) to 10.11.2014 (Monday)
2	Computerization of electoral roll	From 11.11.2014 (Tuesday) to 15.11.2014 (Saturday)
3	Consolidation and integration of supplements of rolls, if any	From 16.11.2014 (Sunday) to 20.11.2014 (Thursday)
4	Printing of Draft Electoral Roll	By 23.11.2014 (Sunday)
5	Issue of public notice in the News Papers & Date of Draft publication of Electoral Rolls	On 25.11.2014 (Tuesday)
6	Date of commencement of filing claims and objections	On 25.11.2014 (Tuesday)
7	First Republication of Notice in news papers	On 05.12.2014 (Friday)
8	Second Republication of Notice in news papers	On 12.12.2014 (Friday)
9	Period for filling claims and objections	From 25.11.2014 (Tuesday) to 16.12.2014 (Tuesday)
10	Disposal of Claims and Objections by	05.01.2015 (Monday)
11	Preparation of supplementary lists and printing of Rolls	By 13.01.2015 (Tuesday)
12	Final publication of Electoral Rolls	15.01.2015 (Thursday)

The existing rolls, i.e., Final Electoral Rolls of 2008 integrated with all its supplements will be published as Draft Electoral Rolls for 2014 on 25th November, 2014.

(P.T.O.)

The eligibility of a person for enrolment in a Teachers' Constituency is to be determined having regard to provisions of Sections 27 (3) (b), 27 (5) (b) and 27 (6) of the Representation of the People Act 1950. Accordingly, a person who has, within the six years immediately before the qualifying date (i.e. 01.11.2014) for a total period of at least three years, been engaged in teaching in any of the specified educational institutions not lower in standard than that of a secondary school and is ordinarily resident in the respective Teachers' constituency is entitled to be registered as an elector in the Teachers' Constituency. The claim application for inclusion in the roll of a Teachers' constituency shall be made in Form 19 along with the Photograph and details of EPIC number (Voter ID) of Assembly Constituency. The educational institutions not lower in standard than that of a Secondary School have been notified vide G.O.Ms.No.537, G.A.(Elecs.F) Dept. 28.09.2006 and G.O.Ms.No.644, General Admn.(Elecs.F) Dept., dt.09.11.2006 and available in CEO's web site – www.ceoandhra.nic.in. The engagement of a person in teaching in the specified educational institutions for at least three years within the preceding six years may be either in one continuous spell or in broken spells and further, may be either in one institution or more institutions, but all such institutions must be specified by the State Government. Therefore, it is immaterial whether a person, who has been so engaged in teaching for a total period of three years in one or more specified educational institutions, has been employed in those institutions as teacher on regular basis or on ad-hoc basis but he should be whole time teacher (even if there is no sanctioned post) and not engaged on a part-time basis as the condition for three years engagement in teaching cannot be fulfilled by a part-time teacher. Part-time teachers are not eligible for enrolment in the electoral rolls of Teachers' constituency .

In the light of the order of the Hon'ble High Court of Allahabad (Lucknow Bench) dated 5th March, 2008, in Writ Petition No. 1269 (MIB) of 2008 (Madhyamik Vitta Viheen Vidyalaya Prabhandhak Mahasabha Vs State of Uttar Pradesh, the teachers of unaided private school shall apply for inclusion of name in the electoral roll along with a certificate / counter signature from the District Inspector of Schools (District Educational Officer in case of Andhra Pradesh) that he/she is a bonafide teacher of the specified educational institution having the required length of service and, whose standard is not below the standard of the secondary school.

Every person applying for enrolment (in Form-19) in Teachers' constituency must submit documentary proof of having been engaged in teaching in any of the specified educational institutions for a total period of at least three years within six years immediately before the qualifying date.

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