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Date: 15 / 02 / 2022

From

Shri R.N. Sahu, IAS  
Secretary.

To

All Collectors.

Sub: **General Elections to Panchayati Raj Institutions, 2022 –**  
Conduct of Indirect Election to the office of Naib-Sarpanch of Gram  
Panchayat, Chairman and Vice-Chairman of Panchayat Samiti, President  
and Vice- President of Zilla Parishad.

Ref: Commission's Notification No. 246, 260 and 274 all dtd.11.01.2022.

Madam/Sir,

In inviting a reference to the letter on the aforesaid subject, I am directed to say that detailed election programme for simultaneous election to the Panchayats has been notified vide Commission's aforesaid notifications. The State Election Commission has been pleased to direct the following timings shall be adhered to by Election Officer/Presiding Officer for receipt of nomination, scrutiny, withdrawal of candidature and voting of Indirect Election.

**For Election of Naib- Sarpanch (11.03.2022)**

1.	Issue and presentation of nomination paper	10 AM to 11AM
2.	Scrutiny of nomination	11AM to 11.30 AM
3.	Withdrawal of candidature	Before 12 Noon
4.	Voting if necessary	12 Noon to 1 PM
5.	Counting	After voting is over

**For Election of Chairman/ Vice- Chairman of Panchayat Samiti  
(12.03.2022/23.03.2022) and President/ Vice- President of Zilla Parishad  
(13.03.2022/25.03.2022)**

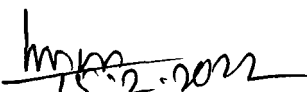
1.	Issue and presentation of nomination paper	10.30AM to 11.30AM
2.	Scrutiny of nomination	11.30AM to 12.30 PM
3.	Withdrawal of candidature	Before 1.00 PM
4.	Voting if necessary	1.30 PM to 4 PM
5.	Counting	After voting is over

Since Indirect Election is conducted in a specially convened meeting the members shall be asked not to leave the meeting place before completion of all the proceedings. Arrangements may be made to supply refreshment @ Rs.50/- per head to the members and Officials in charge of conduct of the Indirect Election during the period.

The above timing including the date and venue shall be published on the Notice Board of the Election Officers for information of the general public. The Superintendent of Police of the District may be requested to make adequate police arrangement during the conduct of indirect election.

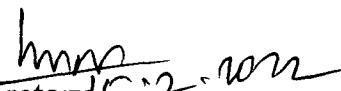
All concerned shall be intimated accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

  
Secretary

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Copy forwarded to all Superintendents of Police/ District Panchayat Officers for information and necessary action.

  
Secretary