

ELECTIONS / URGENT

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PRESS NOTE

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The State Election Commission will shortly notify elections to Municipalities and Municipal Corporations where elections are due.

The ward wise photo electoral rolls of these Municipal Bodies were prepared and published on 16.7.2019 by the Municipal Commissioners by adopting Assembly Electoral Rolls published by Election Commission of India w.r.t 1.1.2019 as qualifying date. So please check whether your name is found in the Municipal electoral rolls. Only those persons whose names are found in the ward wise photo electoral rolls are eligible to vote in the elections. Mere possession of an Epic card or the fact that you may have voted in a recently held elections does not entitle you to vote in Municipal Elections unless your name is enrolled in the Electoral Roll specifically prepared for Municipal Elections. One can check the status on the web portal of Telangana State Election Commission (tsec.gov.in) by downloading voter slip through "Voter Portal" module. One can also ensure one's name in the Municipal Electoral roll by ensuring that the same is enrolled in the concerned Assembly Constituency Electoral Rolls.

Hence, it is essential that one's name should be first found in the Assembly Electoral rolls for it to appear in the Ward wise photo electoral rolls of the concerned Municipality or the Municipal Corporation. A voter can check the existence of his name in the Assembly Electoral rolls by logging on to the website of ceo.telangana, wherein a provision is made for search of your name in the concerned Assembly Electoral rolls, so first check existence of your name in the Assembly Electoral roll. If it is existing in the Assembly Electoral Rolls, it will automatically be enrolled in the ward wise electoral rolls of the Municipality or Municipal Corporation. If not please take necessary action to

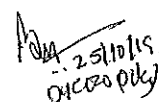
submit relevant forms to the Electoral Registration Officers of the concerned Assembly Constituency either through online or in the prescribed paper format.

Please get this process completed immediately so that your name is included in the electoral rolls of Assembly Constituency well before the date of issue of election notification by the State Election Commission, since only those names found in the Assembly Electoral rolls as on the date of election notification will be included in the ward wise electoral rolls of the Municipality or Municipal Corporation.

Hence, all the citizens who crossed 18 years by 1.1.2019 residing in the jurisdiction of Municipalities and Municipal Corporations which are going for elections shortly are requested to take advance action to see that, their names are registered in the concerned Assembly Electoral Roll so that same can be carried out to MERs. This press note is published with a view to prevent any disappointment on poll date, since nothing can restore your vote at such late stage.



Secretary



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