

TELANGANA STATE ELECTION COMMISSION
1st Floor, DTCP Building, Opp: PTI Building, A.C.Guards, Hyderabad – 500 004.

NOTIFICATION

No.214/TSEC-L/2018

Dated:16.10.2018

In exercise of the powers conferred by Article 243-K read with Article 243-ZA of the Constitution of India, the State Election Commissioner, hereby makes the following amendments to the Registration of Political Parties and Allotment of Symbol Order, 2018 namely:-

Short title and commencement:-

- (i) This notification may be called the Registration of Political Parties and Allotment of Symbols (Amendment) Order, 2018.
- (ii) It shall come into force with immediate effect.

Amendment in Part-III of the Symbols Order:-

Under the sub paragraph 2 of paragraph 6, the following three provisos shall be added namely,-

Provided that, the Symbol is not reserved by ECI to any other recognised State Party in this State or Recognised State Party in other States which is registered with TSEC, with the same Symbol.

In such case, where the symbol reserved by ECI to a "Recognised State Party in other States" is already reserved to a "Recognised State Party in this State" or another "Recognised State Party in other State and registered with TSEC", a free symbol chosen by that Party at the time of its Registration with TSEC shall be allotted to the candidates set up by that Party and no other symbol.

In such case, where more than one Recognised State Parties in different States having the same Symbol allotted to them in their respective States by ECI and that Symbol is not allotted to any recognised

Party in this State, the Political Party which approaches the Telangana State Election Commission first, for registration, shall be allotted that Symbol by TSEC and notified in the Symbol Notification. The balance of such Parties approaching later for registration with TSEC, the available free Symbols chosen by those Parties are allotted by TSEC and notified in its Symbol Notification.

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