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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL

Home Department Election Branch 21, N.S. Road, Kolkata - 700001

No. 1566-Home (Elec.)

Kolkata, the 19th March, 2014.

In pursuance of the instruction of the Election Commission of India the Notification is published for general information.

By order,

AMITABHA SENGUPTA, Deputy CEO, W.B.

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110 001

Dated: 19th March, 2014. 28 Phalguna, 1935 (Saka)

NOTIFICATION

No. 100/WB-LA/2/2014: WHEREAS, the seat of Shri Ananta Deb Adhikari in the Legislative Assembly of the State of West Bengal, elected from 16-Maynaguri (SC) Assembly Constituency in the State, has become vacant on 21st February, 2014 by reason of his resignation; and,

2. WHEREAS, a bye-election is to be held for the purpose of filling the vacancy so caused;

- 3. NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of sub-section (1) of Section 150, and Sections 30 and 56 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), the Election Commission of India hereby—
 - (A) Calls upon the said 16-Maynaguri (SC) Assembly Constituency in the State of West Bengal, to elect, before the 28th May, 2014 (Wednesday) and in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the rules and orders made thereunder, a person, for the purpose of filling the said vacancy in the Legislative Assembly of the State;
 - (B) appoints, with respect to the said election:-
 - (a) the 26th March, 2014 (Wednesday), as the last date for making nominations;
 - (b) the 27th March, 2014 (Thursday), as the date for the scrutiny of nominations;
 - (c) the 29th March, 2014 (Saturday), as the last date for the withdrawal of candidatures;
 - (d) the 17th April, 2014 (Thursday), as the date on which a poll shall, if necessary, be taken;
 - (e) the 28th May, 2014 (Wednesday), as the date before which the election shall be completed; and
 - (C) Fixes the hours from 7:00 am to 6:00 pm, as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary, be taken on the date specified above for the election.

By order,

(R. K. SRIVASTAVA)
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA