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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Home Department
Election Branch
21, N.S. Road, Kolkata - 700001

No. 461–Home (Elec.)

Dated : 05.02.2015.

In pursuance of the instruction of the Election Commission of India, the Direction, regarding use of EVMs is published for general information.

By order,

SAIBAL BARMAN,
Additional CEO, W.B.

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA
Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110 001

Dated: 2nd February, 2015.

DIRECTION

No. 576/3/EVM/2015/SDR-Vol.I: – Whereas, Section 61A of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, provides that the giving and recording of votes by Voting Machines in such manner as may be prescribed, may be adopted in such constituencies as the Election Commission of India may, having regard to the circumstances of each case specify; and

2. Whereas, the Commission has considered the circumstances in 14-Bangaon(SC) Parliamentary Constituency of West Bengal and 27-Liromoba(ST) Assembly Constituency of Arunachal Pradesh, 11-Panaji Assembly Constituency of Goa, 139-Srirangam Assembly Constituency of Tamil Nadu, 88-Krishnaganj(SC) Assembly Constituency of West Bengal,

91-Mukhed Assembly Constituency of Maharashtra and 167-Triupati Assembly Constituency of Andhra Pradesh, and is satisfied that sufficient number of Electronic Voting Machines are available for taking the poll in the abovementioned Parliamentary and Assembly Constituencies. The polling personnel are well trained in efficient handling of the Electronic Voting Machines and the electors are also fully conversant with the operation of the Electronic Voting Machines;

3. Now, therefore, the Election Commission of India hereby specifies 14-Bangaon(SC) Parliamentary Constituency of West Bengal and 27-Liromoba(ST) Assembly Constituency of Arunachal Pradesh, 11-Panaji Assembly Constituency of Goa, 139-Srirangam Assembly Constituency of Tamil Nadu, 88-Krishnaganj(SC) Assembly Constituency of West Bengal, 91-Mukhed Assembly Constituency of Maharashtra and 167-Triupati Assembly Constituency of Andhra Pradesh, from where bye-elections have been notified on 19-1-2015, as the Constituencies in which the votes at the current bye elections, shall be given and recorded by means of Electronic Voting Machines in the manner prescribed under the Conduct of Elections Rules, 1961, and the supplementary instructions issued by the Commission from time to time on the subject.

By order,

(ANUJ JAIPURIAR)
SECRETARY

