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

Dated: 15th September, 2012
24 Bhadrapada, 1934 (Saka)

NOTIFICATION

No. 100/WB-HP/1/2012:— WHEREAS, the seat of Shri Pranab Mukherjee, in the House of the People, elected from 9-Jangipur Parliamentary Constituency in the State of West Bengal, has become vacant on 25th July, 2012 in terms of clause (1) of Article 59 of the Constitution of India by reason of his assuming the Office of the President of India on that date; and

2. **WHEREAS**, a bye-election is required to be held for the purpose of filling the vacancy so caused;
3. **NOW, THEREFORE**, in pursuance of sub-section (1) of section 149 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 9- Jangipur Parliamentary Constituency in the State of West Bengal, to elect, before the 16th October, 2012 (Tuesday) and in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the rules and orders made there-under, a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy in the said House of the People.
 - (B) appoints, with respect to the said election:—
 - (a) the 22nd September, 2012 (Saturday), as the last date for making nominations;

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- (b) the 24th September, 2012 (Monday), as the date for the scrutiny of nominations;
 - (c) the 26th September, 2012 (Wednesday), as the last date for the withdrawal of candidatures;
 - (d) the 10th October, 2012 (Wednesday), as the date on which a poll shall, if necessary, be taken; and
 - (e) the 16th October, 2012 (Tuesday), as the date before which the election shall be completed; and
- (C) fixes the hours from **08:00 am** to **05:00 pm**, as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary, be taken on the date specified above for the election.

By order,

(HARBANS SINGH)
SECRETARY
ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA.