

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER
WEST BENGAL
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No. 7462(49)/Home (Elec)

Dated 12th December, 2014

From: Chief Electoral Officer,
West Bengal

To: The President/Secretary/Treasurer

Sub: Defaulting Filing Statement of Election Expenditure - Showcase thereof – matter regarding.

Madam/Sir,

In view of the Supreme Court Judgment, in the case of Common Cause Vs Union of India and Others (AIR-1996 SC 3081), the Election Commission had issued instructions to all political parties to file their Election Expenditure Statement within 75 days of Assembly Elections and 90 days of Lok Sabha Elections. It was instructed that the unrecognized Political Parties shall file the Expenditure Statements with the Chief Electoral Officers of the respective States (i.e the State where the Party head quarters is situated in the prescribed time and manner.

2. It is noticed that your party has not filed Expenditure Statement of Lok Sabha Elections, 2014 so far, although the due date for such filing has long expired.

3. In this connection, it may be mentioned that the instructions of the Commission was communicated to you vide this office memo No.7033 (12)-Home (Elec) /7034(28)-Home (Elec), dated 28/10/2014 and a reminder was also issued vide this office No.7188 (49)-Home (Elec)/R3E-190/2014, dated 13/11/2014(copy enclosed for ready reference).

4. Final opportunity is hereby being given to comply with the instruction of the Commission, for filing the said expenditure statement, within a fortnight from the date of receipt of this letter. Your attention is invited to part 16A of the Election Commissions Symbols (Reservation & Allotment) Order 1968 which envisages action against violations of lawful instructions of the Commission.

Encl: As stated

Yours faithfully,



Chief Electoral Officer

West Bengal