



ASSAM STATE ELECTION COMMISSION  
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No. SEC.22/2016/69

Dated Dispur the 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2016.

Order

Whereas, the State Election Commission has notified Bye-Election to the casual vacancy to the post of President, 66 Pachim Udali Gaon Panchayat in Hojai District, including other 8 (eight) Panchayati Raj vacancies vide its notification No. SEC.22/2016/23 dt. 08.07.2016 and the Model Code of Conduct due to the Bye-Election has been in force prohibiting inter-alia transfer and posting of official engaged in the said Bye-Election;

And, whereas, it has come to the notice of the Commission that the State Govt. has vide notification No. AAL31/2006/146-A dt. 15.07.2016 and No. AAL31/2006/146-C dated 15.07.2016, has posted Dr. S. Lakshmanan, IAS(RR-2011) Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Health & Family Welfare Deptt., Managing Director, Assam State Medical Service Corporation, Administrative Officer, Gauhati Medical College & Hospital and Director, AYUSH as Deputy Commissioner, Hojai on transfer of Smti. Cauvery Barkakati, ACS (DR-1995) I/c Deputy Commissioner, Hojai;

And, whereas, the State Election Commission is of the opinion that such transfer of incumbent Deputy Commissioner, Hojai during the ongoing process of the Bye-Election will hamper free, fair and smooth conduct of Poll in addition to the violation of the Model Code of Conduct;

Now, therefore, the State Election Commission in exercise of its authority under Article 243K of the Constitution of India read with Section 114 of the Assam Panchayat Act, 1994 and relevant Rules under the Assam Panchayat (Constitution) Rules, 1995 and in the interest of free, fair and smooth conduct of Poll, hereby keep in abeyance the operation of the aforesaid notification of the State Govt. regarding transfer of Smti. Cauvery Barkakati, ACS (DR-1995) I/c Deputy Commissioner, Hojai and also posting of Dr. S. Lakshmanan, IAS(RR-2011) Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Health & Family Welfare Deptt., Managing Director, Assam State Medical Service Corporation, Administrative Officer, Gauhati Medical College & Hospital and Director, AYUSH as DC, Hojai till the entire process of Bye-Election is completed.

All concerned will comply with this order accordingly.

*Sd/-*  
{ H. N. Bora, IAS (Retd.) }  
State Election Commissioner, Assam,  
Dispur :: Guwahati-6.

Memo No. SEC.22/2016/69-A

Dated Dispur the 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2016.

Copy for favour of information and necessary action to: -

- 1) The Chief Secretary, Govt. of Assam, Dispur.
- 2) The Addl. Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, P & RD Deptt., Dispur.
- 3) The Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Personnel (A) Deptt., Dispur.
- 4) The Commissioner & Secretary to His Excellency, the Governor of Assam, Raj Bhawan, Guwahati.
- 5) The Commissioner & Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Assam, Dispur.
- 6) The Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Personnel (A) Deptt., Dispur.
- 7) Dr. S. Lakshmanan, IAS(RR-2011) Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Health & Family Welfare Deptt., Managing Director, Assam State Medical Service Corporation, Administrative Officer, Gauhati Medical College & Hospital and Director, AYUSH.
- 8) Smti. Cauvery Barkakati, ACS (DR-1995) I/c Deputy Commissioner, Hojai.

*16/7/16*  
Secretary

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