

## STATE ELECTION COMMISSION HARYANA NIRVACHAN SADAN, PLOT NO.2, SECTOR 17, PANCHKULA

## The 07.02.2020

SUBJECT: - PANCHAYAT GENERAL ELECTIONS-2016 DIQUALIFICATIONS OF DEFAULTING CANDIDATES REG.

No.SEC/2E-II/2020/679:- Whereas General Elections of Zila Parishad, Bhiwani were held in January, 2016 and the results of the elected candidates were declared on 28.01.2016.

- 2. Whereas Sh. Sanjay Kumar a contesting candidate of member ward no. 10 Zila Parishad, Bhiwani failed to lodge his election expenditure statement within the prescribed period or thereafter. He did neither responded to the show cause notice issued in this regard nor appeared in person before me during personal hearing scheduled on 24.09.2019. The Commission vide its order No. SEC/2E-II/2019/ 1362 dated 9<sup>th</sup> October 2019 had disqualified Sh. Sanjay Kumar for being chosen as, and for being a member of Panchayats i.e. Gram Panchayat, Panchayat Samiti and Zila Parishad for a period of three years from the date of order.
- 3. Whereas, Sh. Sanjay Kumar made a representation dated 15.11.2019 citing the reasons that he could not appear on scheduled date because he was suffering from serious illness and had remained admitted from 22.09.2019 to 25.09.2019 in Surya Multi Speciality Hospital & Poisoning Centre, Tosham. He was again given an opportunity of personal hearing on 07.02.2020 in the interest of justice.
- 4. Whereas Sh. Sanjay Kumar appeared in person before me on 07.02.2020. During personal hearing he had submitted a medical certificate issued by Surya Multi Speciality Hospital & Poisoning Centre Tosham alongwith statement of expenditure amounting to Rs. 11,900/- incurred by him during election of member ward No. 10, Zila Parishad, Bhiwani. The expenditure statement of the candidate was got examined and found the expenditure incurred by him within limit prescribed by the Commission.
- In view of facts and the reasons citied above, taking a lenient view in the matter, the State Election Commission, Haryana hereby accepts the expenditure statement submitted by Sh. Sanjay Kumar a contesting candidate as member ward No. 10 Zila Parishad Bhiwani beyond prescribed period and further order to withdraws his name as disqualified candidate in the order issued by the Commission No. SEC/2E-II/2019/ 1362 dated 9<sup>th</sup>October 2019 in the interest of justice.
- 6. I further directs that a copy of this order be sent to candidate concerned through Deputy Commissioner-cum-District Election Officer, Bhiwani.

7. I further directs that a copy of this order be hosted on website of the Commission www.secharyana.gov.in.

Dated, Panchkula The 7<sup>th</sup> Feburary, 2020

Dr. DALIP SINGH State Election Commissioner, Haryana

Endst. No. SEC/2E-II/2020/ 679-81

Dated: 13.02.2020

A copy is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

1. The Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana, Development & Panchayats, Chandigarh.

2. Director, Panchayats Department, Haryana, Chandigarh.

3. Deputy Commissioner-cum-District Election Officer (P), Bhiwani.

4. District Development & Panchayat Officer, Bhiwani.

5. Chief Executive Officer, Zila Parishad, Bhiwani.

6. Candidate concerned.

7. The Controller, Printing & Stationery Department, Haryana. He is requested to notify in the Haryana Government Gazette.

State Election Commission, Harvan

CC:

PS/SEC √IT Cell.