PANCHAYAT GENERAL ELECTIONS

PRESS NOTE

Panchkula, the 8th July, 2010: Sh.Dharam Vir, State Election Commissioner, Haryana stated that as per the time schedule issued by the State Election Commission, Haryana, the polling for the offices of 13,367 Panches, 1,365 Sarpanches, 670 Member Panchayati Samitis and 130 Members Zila Parishads in the 31 blocks of 8 districts i.e. Gurgaon, Hisar, Karnal, Panchkula, Panipat, Rohtak, Rewari and Yamuna Nagar took place on 06.07.2010. Now the data regarding number of votes polled has been received, which shows that overall percentage of polling was about 85.47%. The highest polling was 89.88% in Yamuna Nagar and the lowest was 79.05% in Karnal. About 85% women voted as against 85.8 % men. In a few districts, the percentage of polling by women was more than that of men. The districtwise data is as under:-

NAME OF DISTRICT	Total No. of Voters			Total Votes Polled			%age of Votes Polled		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
GURGAON	150189	130438	280627	132170	114762	246932	88.00	87.98	87.99
HISAR	248315	198288	446603	215114	158258	373372	86.63	79.81	83.60
KARNAL	185105	155065	340170	145622	123286	268908	78.67	79.51	79.05
PANCHKULA	53819	43875	97694	46517	37744	84261	86.43	86.03	86.25
PANIPAT	195675	158659	354334	170239	138538	308777	87.00	87.32	87.14
REWARI	106235	95358	201593	92293	83637	175930	86.88	87.71	87.27
ROHTAK	215149	172055	387204	176733	142878	319611	82.14	83.04	82.54
YAMUNA NAGAR	122323	101643	223966	110888	90420	201308	90.65	88.96	89.88
TOTAL	1276810	1055381	2332191	1089576	889523	1979099	85.8	85.05	85.47

2. The State Election Commissioner also congratulated the voters of eight districts for enthusiastic response inspite of rains.