### **ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN**

#### NOTIFICATION

Islamabad, 20th March, 2015

No.F.8(1)/2015-LGE(C).— Pursuant to the order dated 6<sup>th</sup> March, 2015 of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of Pakistan passed in CMA No.18/2014 in CMA No. 11/2014 in CMA No. 6882/2013 in Constitution Petition No.77/2010, CMA No. 7546/2013 in Constitution Petition No.65/2009 and other connected Petitions; in exercise of the powers conferred upon it under sub-section (1) of Section 58 of the Cantonments (Amendment) Ordinance, 2015 read with Rules 8 & 14 of the Cantonments Local Government (Election) Rules, 2015 and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Election Commission of Pakistan hereby issues the following Schedule for Election to fill the general seats in wards of Cantonment Boards and calls upon the electors of such wards to elect their representatives from the attached list of constituencies in the Cantonment Boards:

Sr. No.	Activity	Date	
1	Notice for invitation of nomination papers to be issued by the Returning Officers	23-03-2015	
2	Receipt of nomination papers by Returning Officers	29-03-2015 to 31-03-2015	
3	Publication of notice of all the nomination papers received	01-04-2015	
4	Scrutiny of nomination papers and publication of names of validly nominated candidates	02-04-2015 to 04-04-2015	
5	Last date for filing of appeal against acceptance/rejection of Nomination papers	06-04-2015	
6	Last date for disposal of appeals	09-04-2015	
7	Withdrawal of candidature	10-04-2015	
8	Publication of list of contesting candidates with allotted symbols	11-04-2015	
9	Polling day	25-04-2015	
10	Declaration of results by the Returning Officers	28-04-2015	

- 2. With a view to ensure that elections to the Cantonment Boards are conducted honestly, justly, fairly and in accordance with law and to ensure that the corrupt practices are guarded against, the Election Commission of Pakistan directs that:
  - (i) All Executive Authorities in the Federation and in the Provinces shall not use State Resources in Elections to the Cantonment Boards calculated to influence the elections in favour of a particular candidate.

- (ii) If any person in Government Service misuses his official position in any manner in order to influence results of the elections, he shall be liable to be proceeded against under Section 86 of the Cantonments Ordinance, 2002;
- (iii) No transfers/postings of the civil servants appointed by Election Commission for conduct of Cantonment Boards Elections shall be made after the issuance of Election Schedule without prior approval of the Commission till the publication of election results;
- (iv) After the issuance of Election Schedule, the Prime Minister, Governors, Chief Ministers, Chairman Senate, Deputy Chairman Senate, Speakers of Assemblies, Deputy Speakers of Assemblies, Federal and Provincial Ministers, Advisors to the Prime Minister or Chief Ministers or any other holder of public office will not visit the area of any Cantonment Board to announce any development package or to canvass or campaign for any candidate or any political party.
- (v) Any holder of public office, who is found to have violated any provision of the applicable Election Law or the instructions issued by the Election Commission, shall be proceeded against as mandated in law.

**Note**: The concerned offices of the Election Commission as well as the offices of Returning Officers shall remain open on all public holidays during the schedule period.

All electoral activities mentioned in the aforesaid schedule except for those for which time is fixed in the Rules, shall be undertaken during office hours (08:00 A.M. to 04:00 P.M.) and the said timing will also be followed on public holidays fixed for any electoral activity of the schedule.

By order of the Election Commission of Pakistan.

Encl: List of Cantonment Boards and Wards falling therein.

(Atta ur Rehman) Joint Secretary (LGE)

To:

The Manager,
Printing Corporation of Pakistan Press, <u>Islamabad</u>.
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# LIST OF CANTONMENT BOARDS

Sr. No.	Name of Cantonment Board	Number of General Seats/Wards (for direct elections)	Sr. No.	Name of Cantonment Board	Number of General Seats/Wards (for direct elections)
1	Rawalpindi	10	22	Hyderabad	10
2	Chaklala	10	23	Faisal	10
3	Wah	10	24	Manora	2
4	Taxila	2	25	Clifton	10
5	Murree Hills	2	26	Karachi	5
6	Attock	2	27	Malir	3
7	Sanjwal	2	28	Korangi Creek	2
8	Kamra	2	29	Peshawar	5
9	Jhelum	2	30	Nowshera	4
10	Mangla	2	31	Risalpur	3
11	Lahore	10	32	Cherat	2
12	Walton	10	33	Mardan	2
13	Sargodha	10	34	Kohat	3
14	Shorkot	5	35	Bannu	2
15	Gujranwala	10	36	D.I.Khan	2
16	Kharian	2	37	Abbotabad	5
17	Sialkot	5	38	Havelian	2
18	Okara	5	39	Murree Gallis	2
19	Multan	10	40	Zhob	2
20	Bahawalpur	3	41	Loralai	2
21	Pano Akil	2	42	Quetta	5

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- (2) Secretary to the Prime Minister, Prime Minister's Secretariat, Islamabad.
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- (4) Secretary, Cabinet Division, Islamabad.
- (5) Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Govt. of Pakistan, Islamabad.
- (6) Secretary, Ministry of Defence, Government of Pakistan, Rawalpindi.
- (7) Secretary, Ministry of Interior, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad.
- (8) Chief Secretary, Government of the Punjab, Lahore.
- (9) Chief Secretary, Government of Sindh, Karachi.
- (10) Chief Secretary, Government of KPK, Peshawar.
- (11) Chief Secretary, Government of Balochistan, Quetta.
- (12) Director General, Military Lands & Cantonments Department, Rawalpindi.

## III. Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to the:

- All the Provincial Election Commissioners.
- (2) All of the ROs and AROs.} Through DG, ML&C
- (3) All the Regional Election Commissioners.
- (4) All the District Election Commissioners. Through PECs.

### IV. Copy also forwarded to the:

- (1) Protocol Officer to Hon'ble CEC
- (2) PS to Hon'ble MEC-I, II, III & IV.
- (3) PS to Acting Secretary
- (4) All officers of ECP, Secretariat.

ECP Secretariat, Islamabad.

(Irfan Kausar) Deputy Director (Elec-I)