

ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN

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NOTIFICATION

Islamabad, 15th January, 2016.

No.F.4(16)/2015-LGE(P):— Pursuant to the provisions of Article 140(A) of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan, sub-section (2) of Section 14 and sub-sections (1) & (2) of Section 15 of the Punjab Local Government Act, 2013 read with Rule 40 & 42 of the Punjab Local Governments (Conduct of Elections) Rules, 2013 and all other powers enabling it in that behalf; Election Commission of Pakistan hereby issues the Schedule for filling up the Indirect Seats in Union Councils, District Councils, Municipal Committees, Municipal Corporation and Metropolitan Corporation relating to Punjab Province and calls upon the voters of concerned Councils, Committees and Corporations to elect members to the seats notified by the Provincial Government of the Punjab (annexed) and provided in Section 14 & 15 of the Act *ibid* and specifies in relation thereto, the following dates:

Sr. No.	Activity	Date
1	Public Notice to be issued by the Returning Officers on	18.01.2016
2	Dates for filing of nomination papers with the Returning Officers by the candidates	20.01.2016 to 21.01.2016
3	Dates for Scrutiny of nomination papers by the Returning Officers	22.01.2016 to 23.01.2016
4	Last date for filing of appeals against decisions of the Returning Officers rejecting/accepting the nomination papers	25.01.2016
5	Last date for deciding appeals by the Tribunals	27.01.2016
6	Last date for withdrawal of candidature	28.01.2016
7	Publication of revised list of candidates along with symbols	28.01.2015
8	Poll Date for Indirect Seats of District Councils, Municipal Corporations & Metropolitan Corporation	08.02.2016
9	Poll Date for Indirect Seats of Municipal Committees	11.02.2016
10	Poll Date for Indirect Seats of Union Councils	14.02.2016

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

(ii) *All electoral activities mentioned in the aforesaid schedule 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.*

(iii) The Returning Officers and Appellate Authorities already notified for Union Councils and Municipal Committees shall continue to perform their duties.

Notifications provided by the Provincial Government are attached.

By order of the Election Commission of Pakistan.


(Atta ur Rehman)
Joint Secretary (LGE)

To:

The Manager,
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- (5) Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Govt. of Pakistan, Islamabad.
- (6) Secretary, Ministry of Interior, Government of Pakistan, Islamabad.
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- (8) Chief Secretary, Government of the Punjab, Lahore.
- (9) Secretary, Local Government & Community Development Department, Government of the Punjab, Lahore.

II. Copy forwarded to Provincial Election Commissioner, Punjab, Lahore for taking necessary action and dissemination to all the concerned.

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- (6) All officers of ECP, Secretariat.

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