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#### NOTIFICATION

Islamabad, the 28th November, 2018.

Subject:

ELECTION SCHEDULE FOR THE CONDUCT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT BYE-ELECTIONS TO THE VACANT INDIRECT SEATS IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE PUNJAB PROVINCE.

No.F.4(18)/2015-LGE(P)(Vol-XIV):—Pursuant to the provisions of Article 140A of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan, sub-section (2) of Section 14 and Section 15 of the Punjab Local Government Act, 2013 read with Rules 40 & 42 of the Punjab Local Governments (Conduct of Elections) Rules, 2013 and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, Election Commission of Pakistan hereby issues the Bye-elections Schedule for filling up the vacant indirect seats (List Annexed) in the Local Govt. Institutions of the **Punjab Province**, calls upon the representatives of concerned District Councils, Municipal Committees to elect such members/Chairmen/Vice Chairmen and specifies in relation thereto, the following dates:-

Sr. No.	Activity	Date
1	Public Notice to be issued by the Returning Officer on	03.12.2018
2	Dates for filing of nomination papers with the Returning Officer by the candidates	06.12.2018 to 07.12.2018
3	Dates for Scrutiny of nomination papers by the Returning Officer	10.12.2018 to 11.12.2018
4	Last date for filing of appeals against decisions of the Returning Officer rejecting/accepting the nomination papers	12.12.2018
5	Last date for deciding appeals by the Appellate Authority	14.12.2018
6	Last date for withdrawal of candidature	17.12.2018
7	Publication of revised list of candidates alongwith symbols	17.12.2018
8	Poll Date	07.01.2019
9	Consolidation and Declaration of result by the Returning Officer by	09.01.2019
10	Issuance of notification of Returned Candidates by ECP by	18.01.2019
11	Oath of elected members by	21.01.2019

- 2. With a view to ensure that election to the Local Government is conducted in accordance with the provisions of Article 218(3) of the Constitution, the Election Commission of Pakistan directs that:
  - a. All Executive Authorities in the Federation and in the Provinces shall not use State Resources in Local Government Bye-Election calculated to influence the election in favor of a particular candidate or a political party.
  - b. If any person in government service misuses his official position in any manner in order to influence results of election, he shall be liable to be proceeded against under Section 60 of the Punjab Local Government Act, 2013.

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- c. No leave of the civil servant will be granted after the issuance of Election Schedule of the Local Government Election without prior approval of the Commission till the publication of election results. In case leave has already been sanctioned, the officer will not relinquish his charge without the approval of the Hon'ble Commission.
- d. Any holder of public office, who is found to have violated any provision of election laws or the instructions issued by the Election Commission, shall be proceeded against as mandated in law.
- e. The poll shall be taken from 08:00 AM to 02:00 PM without any break.
- **Note:** (i) The concerned offices of the Election Commission as well as the offices of District Returning Officer and Returning Officer shall remain open on all public holidays during the schedule period in case any activity is involved.
- (ii) All electoral activities mentioned in the aforesaid schedule shall be undertaken during office hours and the said timing will also be followed on public holidays fixed for any electoral activity of the schedule.
- (iii) ECP's instructions issued from time to time for conduct of Local Government Elections, as far as practicable, shall be followed for conduct of election.

By order of the Election Commission of Pakistan.

(Muhammad Raziq) Joint Secretary (LGE)

To:

The Manager,
Printing Corporation of Pakistan Press,
Islamabad.

# <u>Vacant Indirect Seats of Local Govt. Institutions of Punjab Province</u> <u>where Bye-Elections will be held on 07.01.2019</u>

- 1) Chairman/Vice Chairman, Municipal Committee, Taxila.
- 2) Chairman/Vice Chairman, Municipal Committee, Kabirwala.
- 3) Chairman, Municipal Committee, T.T.Singh.
- 4) Chairman, Municipal Committee, Choubara.
- 5) Vice- Chairman, Municipal Committee, Hazro.
- 6) Vice-Chairman, Municipal Committee, Ferozwala.
- 7) Women Member, Municipal Committee, Arifwala.
- 8) Women Member, District Council, Narowal
- 9) Non-Muslim Member, District Council, Gujrat.

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Islamabad, the 28th November, 2018

No.F.4(18)/2015-LGE(P)(Vol-XIV):---- In pursuance of the provisions of Article 140A of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan read with Section 22 of the Punjab Local Government Act, 2013 and sub-rule (10) of Rule 14 of the Punjab Local Governments (Conduct of Elections) Rules, 2013 and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Election Commission of Pakistan hereby appoints the following officers as District Returning Officers, Returning Officers, Assistant Returning Officers and Appellate Authorities for the purpose of conducting Local Government Bye-Elections to the Vacant Indirect Seats in the Local Govt. Institutions of the Punjab Province mentioned there-against:

| SI.<br>No. | Name of<br>District | Name of Local<br>Govt./Category<br>of Seat                         | District<br>Returning<br>Officer                    | Returning<br>Officer                                                        | Assistant<br>Returning<br>Officer                                                                     | Name and<br>Designation of<br>Appellate<br>Authority                                              |
|------------|---------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1          | 2                   | 3                                                                  | 4                                                   | 5                                                                           | 6                                                                                                     | 7                                                                                                 |
| 1          | Rawalpindi          | Chairman/<br>Vice Chairman<br>Municipal<br>Committee,<br>Taxila    | Deputy<br>Commissioner,<br>Rawalpindi               | Chief Officer,<br>Municipal<br>Committee,<br>Taxila, District<br>Rawalpindi | Municipal Officer (Regulation) Municipal Committee, Taxila, District Rawalpindi                       | Mr. Muhammad<br>Aslam Gondal,<br>Additional District<br>& Sessions<br>Judge,<br>Rawalpindi        |
| 2          | Khanewal            | Chairman/<br>Vice Chairman<br>Municipal<br>Committee,<br>Kabirwala | District<br>Election<br>Commissioner,<br>Khanewal   | Deputy District<br>Education<br>Officer,<br>Kabirwala                       | Mr. Mukhtar<br>Ahmad,<br>Assistant<br>Education<br>Officer(HQ),<br>Kabirwala,<br>District<br>Khanewal | Mr. Khawaja<br>Zeeshan<br>Mujtaba, Civil<br>Judge Class-I,<br>Kabirwala,<br>Distraict<br>Khanewal |
| 3          | T.T. Singh          | Chairman<br>Municipal<br>Committee,<br>T.T. Singh                  | District<br>Election<br>Commissioner,<br>T.T. Singh | Chief<br>Executive<br>Officer<br>(Education)<br>T.T. Singh                  | Deputy District<br>Education<br>Officer(Male),<br>T.T. Singh                                          | Mr. Muhammad<br>Saeed Rafique,<br>Additional District<br>& Sessions<br>Judge,<br>T.T. Singh       |

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| 4 | Layyah      | Chairman<br>Municipal<br>Committee,<br>Choubara        | Deputy<br>Commissioner,<br>Layyah               | Deputy District Education Officer (Male) Tehsil Choubara District Layyah | Assistant Education Officer (Male) Markaz Rafiqabad Tehsil Choubara District Layyah | Mr. Hamad<br>Aslam Cheema,<br>Civil Judge<br>Class-I,<br>Tehsil Choubara<br>District Layyah              |
|---|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 5 | Attock      | Vice Chairman<br>Municipal<br>Committee,<br>Hazro      | Deputy<br>Commissioner,<br>Attock               | Assistant Director Agriculture (OFWM), Hazro, Attock                     | Assistant Education Officer, Ghourghusti, Hazro, District Attock                    | Mr. Ashfaq<br>Ahmad Rana,<br>Additional District<br>& Sessions<br>Judge, Attock                          |
| 6 | Sheikhupura | Vice Chairman<br>Municipal<br>Committee,<br>Ferozwala  | Deputy<br>Commissioner,<br>Sheikhupura          | Assistant<br>Commissioner,<br>Ferozewala,<br>District<br>Sheikhupura     | Deputy District<br>Education<br>Officer,<br>Ferozewala<br>District<br>Sheikhupura   | Syed Ali Abbas,<br>Additional District<br>& Sessions<br>Judge,<br>Ferozewala,<br>District<br>Sheikhupura |
| 7 | Pakpattan   | Woman<br>Member<br>Municipal<br>Committee,<br>Arifwala | Deputy<br>commissioner<br>Pakpattan             | Assistant<br>Commissioner,<br>Arifwala,<br>District<br>Pakpattan         | Deputy District Education Officer (EE-M) Arifwala, District Pakpattan               | Mr. Nadeem Tahir Syed Additional District & Sessions Judge-I, Tehsil Arifwala, District Pakpattan        |
| 8 | Narowal     | Woman<br>Member<br>District Council,<br>Narowal        | Deputy<br>Commissioner,<br>Narowal              | Principal,<br>Govt.<br>Elementary<br>College,<br>Narowal                 | Deputy<br>Director Social<br>Welfare,<br>Narowal                                    | Mr. Muhammad<br>Usman,<br>Additional District<br>& Sessions<br>Judge, Narowal                            |
| 9 | Gujrat      | Non-Muslim<br>District Council,<br>Gujrat              | District<br>Election<br>Commissioner,<br>Gujrat | Assistant<br>Commissioner,<br>Gujrat                                     | Deputy District<br>Education<br>Officer(Male),<br>Gujrat                            | Syed Imran Raza<br>Naqvi, Additional<br>District &<br>Sessions Judge,<br>Gujrat.                         |

By Order of the Election Commission of Pakistan.

(Muhammad Raziq) Joint Secretary (LGE)

To,

The Manager,
Printing Corporation of Pakistan Press,
Islamabad.

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Islamabad, the 28th November, 2018.

No.F.4(18)/2015-LGE(P)(Vol-XIV).—In pursuance of the provisions of Article 218(3) of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, sub-section (2) of Section 19 of the Punjab Local Government Act, 2013 read with Rule 78 of the Punjab Local Governments (Conduct of Elections) Rules, 2013 and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Election Commission hereby authorizes the **District Returning Officer** and **Returning Officer** appointed for the conduct of Bye-election to the Indirect seats of **Members**, **Chairmen & Vice Chairmen** of Local Govt. Institutions in the Punjab Province, scheduled to be held on **7**<sup>th</sup> **January**, **2019**, to exercise the powers of the Magistrate First Class under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act No.V of 1898) with immediate effect till the announcement of official results.

The aforesaid officers shall exercise the powers of Magistrate First Class in respect of all offences under Chapter-V of the Punjab Local Government Act, 2013 except the offences under section 47 thereof. These offences shall be tried in a summary way in accordance with the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 in terms of Section 60 of the Punjab Local Government Act, 2013.

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2. The aforesaid officers shall exercise the powers of Magistrate First Class in respect of all offences under Chapter-V of the Punjab Local Government Act, 2013 except the offences under section 47 thereof. These offences shall be tried in a summary way in accordance with the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 in terms of Section 60 of the Punjab Local Government Act, 2013.

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