

**ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN  
NOTIFICATION**



Secretariat,  
Constitution Avenue, G-5/2,  
Islamabad, the **01<sup>st</sup> October, 2024.**

Subject: - **MAGISTERIAL POWERS TO DISTRICT RETURNING OFFICERS AND RETURNING OFFICERS APPOINTED FOR THE CONDUCT OF 2<sup>ND</sup> BYE-ELECTION ON VACANT SEATS OF VC's/NC's IN KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA.**

**No.F.8(2)/2024-LGE-KP:**— In pursuance of the provisions of Article 140(2) and 218(3) of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, Section 6 & 193(a) of the Elections Act, 2017 and Section 101 of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Local Government Act, 2013 read with Rule-2 & Rule-8(c) of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Local Councils (Conduct of Election) Rules, 2021 the Election Commission hereby authorizes the District Returning Officers and Returning Officers appointed for the conduct of 2<sup>nd</sup> Bye-Election in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Province, whereby poll shall be held on **20<sup>th</sup> October, 2024** to exercise the powers of Magistrate First Class under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act No. V of 1898) with immediate effect till the announcement of official results.

2. The aforesaid officers shall exercise the powers of Magistrate of the First Class in respect of all offences under Section-193 of the Elections Act, 2017 and Chapter-XIV of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Local Government Act, 2013, whereby all such offences shall be tried summarily under the Provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act No. V 1898).

**By Order of the Election Commission of Pakistan**

**(IMRAN ANWAR)**  
Deputy Director (LGE-KP)

To

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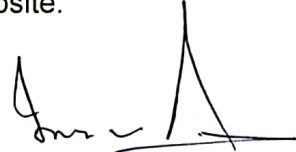
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