

ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN

NOTIFICATION

Islamabad, the 14th November, 2024.

No.F.3(5)/2023-LGE-S(Vol-III):— In compliance with order dated 31.10.2024 passed by the Hon'ble High Court of Sindh, Circuit Court Hyderabad in CP No. D-1006 of 2024, and in partial modification of this Commission's notification of even number dated 27.05.2024 and in exercise of the powers conferred upon it under Article 140(A) of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan, Sections 58, 219 and 229 of the Elections Act, 2017, sub-section (1) of Section 34 & Section 18(B) of the Sindh Local Government Act, 2013 and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Election Commission of Pakistan hereby issues the following amendments in the schedule for Local Government Elections to the extent of election of Vice Chairman, TMC Paretabad, District Hyderabad:

AMENDED ELECTION SCHEDULE

Sr.No.	Activity	Date
4	Dates for filing of appeals against the decisions of the Returning Officers (<i>accepting / rejecting the nomination papers</i>)	18.11.2024 to 19.11.2024
5	Last date for deciding appeals by the Appellate Authorities	21.11.2024
6	Last date for withdrawal of candidature	22.11.2024
7	Publication of revised list of candidates along with party affiliation	23.11.2024
8	Poll Day including compilation and declaration of result by the Returning Officer	27.11.2024
9	Communication of result to the ECP	29.11.2024

2. To ensure that elections to the Local Governments are conducted honestly, justly, fairly 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 including the Governor, Chief Minister, Ministers, advisors, Special assistance and other setup shall **neither announce any development project nor use State Resources** in Local Government Elections 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 the law;*

- (v) The Election Officials appointed for the conduct of elections as DRO RO and ARO shall not be **transferred / posted** till the publication of election results;
- (vi) **No leave of the Election Officials** will be granted after the issuance of Election Schedule of the Local Government Elections till the publication of election results. In case leave has already been sanctioned, the officer will not relinquish his charge without approval of the Hon'ble Commission.

Note: 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 (including Sunday) if any activity provided in the schedule falls on that day.

All electoral activities mentioned in the aforesaid schedule shall be undertaken during office hours and the said timings will also be followed on public holidays fixed for any electoral activity of the schedule.

By order of the Election Commission of Pakistan.


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- 2 Chief Secretary, Government of the Sindh, Karachi.
- 3 Secretary, Local Government Department, Government of the Sindh, Karachi.
- 4 Inspector General of Police, Government of Sindh, Karachi.
- 5 District Police Officer, Concerned District.

(Through PEC-Sindh)

II. Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-


1. The Provincial Election Commissioner, Sindh, Karachi.
2. Concerned Regional Election Commissioner.
3. Concerned DRO / RO / ARO for the said election
4. The concerned District & Sessions Judge (Appellate Tribunal) of Sindh Province
5. Concerned District Election Commissioner.
6. Concerned Assistant Director (LG Housing & Town Planning Department)

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III. Copy also forwarded to the:-

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2. Staff Officer to the Secretary ECP.
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