## ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN



SECRETARIAT, Constitution avenue, G-5/2, Islamabad, the 12<sup>th</sup> September, 2025.

### **NOTIFICATION**

No.F.3(5)/2023-LGE-S(Vol-IX)(1).--- Pursuant to the provisions of Section 28 of the Sindh Local Government Act, 2013 and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Election Commission of Pakistan hereby declares the following categories of seats as vacant in various Local Councils in Sindh Province due to the reasons mentioned against each:

Sr. No.	Name of Districts	Name of Council	Category of Seats	Reason of Vacancy	
1	Khairpur	Town Committee, Fakeerabad	Chairman	The Chairman has been removed through No- Confidence Motion, in line with Section 27(1) of the SLGA, 2013	
2	Sanghar	TC Jam Nawaz Ali	Chairman & Vice Chairman	Non-Filing of Nomination Papers	
3	Tando Muhammad Khan TC Bulri Shah Karim		Chairman & Vice Chairman	Non-Filing of Nomination Papers	

By order of the Election Commission of Pakistan.

(AABER FAROOQUE)
Deputy Director (LGE-S)

To:

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## **ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN**



SECRETARIAT, Constitution Avenue, G-5/2, Islamabad, 12<sup>th</sup> September ,2025

#### NOTIFICATION

No.F.3(2)/2023-LGE-S:- In pursuance of the provisions of Article 140(A) of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan, Sections-51 and 224 of the Elections Act, 2017 and Section 40 of the Sindh Local Government Act, 2013 read with Rule 11 of the Sindh Local Councils (Election) Rules, 2015 and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Election Commission of Pakistan is pleased to appoint the District Returning Officers, Returning Officers and Assistant Returning Officers to conduct the Local Government Bye-Elections to vacant seats in various Local Councils in Sindh Province for the jurisdiction mentioned against each as following:

Sr.		A STATE OF THE STA	Returning Officer		Jurisdiction	
No.	Name of District	District Returning Officer		Assistant Returning Officer	Name of Council	Category of Seats
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Khairpur	Deputy Commissioner, Khairpur	Assistant Commissioner Kotdiji	Taluka Education Officer (Secondary) Kotdiji	Town Committee Faqeerabad	Chairman
2	Sanghar	Deputy Commissioner, Sanghar	Assistant Commissioner, Jam Nawaz Ali	Mukhtiarkar, Jam Nawaz Ali	Town Committee Jam Nawaz Ali	Chairman / Vice Chairman
3	Tando Muhammmad Khan	Deputy Commissioner, Tando Muhammad Khan	Assistant Commissioner, Taluka Bulri Shah Karim	Taluka Education Officer (Primary), Bulri Shah Karim	Town Committee Bulri Shah Karim	Chairman / Vice-Chairman

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### **NOTIFICATION**

No.F.3(5)/2023-LGE-S(Vol-IX)(2):— In exercise of the powers conferred upon it under Article 140(A) of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan, Sections 219 and 228 of the Elections Act, 2017, Section 34 of the Sindh Local Government Act, 2013 read with Rule-72 of the Sindh Local Councils (Election) Rules, 2015 and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Election Commission of Pakistan is pleased to issue election programme for Bye-Elections to the vacant seats of Chairman / Vice Chairman in Town Committees, of Sindh province as declared vacant <u>vide</u> this Commission's Secretariat Notification No. F.3(5)/2023-LGE-S(Vol-IX)(1) dated 12<sup>th</sup> September, 2025 and call upon the members of the electoral college of concerned Councils to elect the Chairman/Vice Chairman specifying dates for various stages of election as following:

Sr. No.	Activity	Date 17.09.2025	
1	Public Notice to be issued by the Returning Officer on		
2	Filing of Nomination papers with Returning Officers by the Candidates	18.09.2025 to 19.09.2025	
3	Scrutiny of Nomination papers by the Returning Officers	20.09.2025 to 22.09.2025 (Excluding Sunday)	
4	Publication of List of validly nominated candidates	23.09.2025	
5	Dates for filing of appeals with Appellate Authorities against the decisions of the Returning Officers (accepting / rejecting the nomination papers)	24.09.2025 to 25.09.2025	
6	Last date for deciding appeals by the Appellate Authorities	27.09.2025	
7	Withdrawal of candidature	29.09,2025	
8	Publication of revised list of candidates along with party affiliation	30.09.2025	
9	<ul> <li>(i) Assembling of electoral college: From 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM</li> <li>(ii) Proceedings of Show of Hands: From 11:30 AM to 01:00 PM</li> <li>(iii) Compilation and declaration of result by the Returning Officer after the completion of proceeding of Show of Hands.</li> </ul>	02.10.2025	
10	Communication of result to the ECP	03.10.2025	

- 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:
  - 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;
  - III. 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;
  - IV. 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:

- 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 (including Sunday) if any activity provided in the schedule falls on that day.
- Appellate Tribunals already appointed vide ECP Notification No. F. 3(5)/2023-LGE-S dated 12<sup>th</sup> October, 2023 will continue to act as Appellate Tribunals for the said bye-elections and may start proceedings of hearing/deciding of appeals simultaneously from 24-09-2025.

By order of the Election Commission of Pakistan.

(AABER FAROOQUE) Deputy Director (LGE-S)

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#### Copy forwarded for information to the: -1.

Chief Secretary, Government of the Sindh, Karachi. 1

Registrar, High Court of Sindh, Karachi. 2

Secretary, Local Government Department, Government of the Sindh, Karachi 3

(Through PEC-Sindh)

### Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-11.

The Provincial Election Commissioner, Sindh, Karachi. 1.

The concerned District & Sessions Judge (Appellate Tribunal/Election Tribunal) 2.

The Concerned Regional Election Commissioner.

The Concerned District Election Commissioner.

The Concerned Assistant Director (LG Housing& Town Planning Department).

(Through PEC-Sindh)

#### 111. Copy also forwarded to the:-

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Director General (IT)

3. ADG (Electoral Rolls)

ADG (MCO /Monitoring)

5. ADG (Training)

6. ADG (LGE)

7. Director to the Hon'ble CEC.

8. Staff Officer to the Secretary ECP.

Deputy Director (Budget)

10. Deputy Director (GS)

11. Deputy Director (Web) for uploading the same on the ECP website.

12. PS to Hon'ble MEC-I, MEC-II, MEC-III, MEC-IV.

13. SPA to the Special Secretary (Law).

14. JPA to the Special Secretary ECP

ECP Secretariat, Islamabad

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