

ELECTION COMMISSION OF PAKISTAN



Secretariat

Constitution Avenue, G-5/2,
Islamabad, the 3rd November, 2025.

NOTIFICATION

Subject: **SCHEDULE OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS IN DISTRICT QUETTA OF BALOCHISTAN PROVINCE.**

No.F.2(2)/2025-LGE-B(Vol-IV):- In exercise of the powers conferred upon it under Article 140(A)(2) of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, Section 219 of the Elections Act, 2017, Section 16 of the Balochistan Local Government Act, 2010 read with Rule-9(1) of the Balochistan Local Government (Election) Rules, 2013 and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Election Commission of Pakistan hereby calls upon the voters of respective constituencies/ wards to elect their representatives to the General seats of Urban Union Councils in Quetta district of Balochistan Province and in connection therewith appoints the following dates of various activities of elections.

S.#	Activity	Days	Dates
1	Public Notice inviting nomination papers to be issued by the Returning Officers on	1 Day	11.11.2025
2	Dates for filing of nomination papers with the Returning Officers by the candidates	4 Days (Excluding Sunday)	13.11.2025 to 17.11.2025
3	Publication of names of the nominated candidates on	1 Day	18.11.2025
4	Dates for scrutiny of nomination papers by the Returning Officer	5 Days (Excluding Sunday)	19.11.2025 to 24.11.2025
5	Last date for filing of appeals against decisions of the Returning Officer rejecting / accepting the nomination papers.	4 Days	28.11.2025
6	Last date for deciding of appeals by the Appellate Tribunal	4 Days (Excluding Sunday)	03.12.2025
7	Publication of revised list of candidates on	1 Day	04.12.2025
8	Withdrawal of candidature and publication of revised list of candidates	1 Day	05.12.2025
9	Allotment of election symbols to contesting candidates and publication of list of contesting candidates	1 Day	06.12.2025
10	Polling day on	After 21 Days	28.12.2025 (Sunday)
11	Consolidation of Results		31.12.2025

Contd...P/2

2. To ensure that elections to the Local Government 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. *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:*
- ii. *No transfers / postings of the Officers and Officials in district Quetta shall be made without prior approval of the Commission till the publication of election results:*
- iii. *After the issuance of Election Schedule, the President, Prime Minister, Chairman / Deputy Chairman Senate, Speaker, Deputy Speaker of an Assembly, Federal Minister, Ministers of States, Governors, Chief Ministers, Provincial Ministers and Advisors to the Prime Minister and the Chief Minister, Chairmen / Vice Chairmen, shall not participate in election campaign. However, members of any Assembly, Senate and Local Government are allowed to participate in the election campaign. They will strictly abide by the code of conduct, direction, instructions and regulations issued by the Election Commission of Pakistan and violations thereof shall entail legal consequences.*
- iv. *No Government functionary or elected representative including a local government functionary or elected representative shall announce any development scheme in district Quetta till the poll day.*
- v. *No leave of the Officers and Officials appointed in connection with Local Government elections in district Quetta will be granted 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 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 if any activity provided in the schedule falls on that day.
- 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. Polling Hours will be observed from **08:00 AM to 04:00 PM.**

By the order of the Election Commission of Pakistan

(SAID GHAFUOR KHAN)
Deputy Director (LGE-B/CT)

To,

The Manager,
Printing Corporation of Pakistan Press,
Islamabad.

[For publication in the Gazette of Pakistan,
Extraordinary (Part-III) of today's date]

I. Copy forwarded for information to the:

1. Secretary to the President, Aiwan-e-Sadar, Islamabad.
2. Secretary to the Prime Minister, Prime Minister, Secretariat, Islamabad.
3. Chief Secretary, Government of Balochistan, Quetta.
4. Secretary, Local Government Rural Development and Agrovilles Department, Balochistan, Quetta (Balochistan Local Councils Election Cell,)
5. Inspector General of Police Balochistan.
6. Commandant Frontier Corps in Balochistan, Quetta.

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

1. The Provincial Election Commissioner, Balochistan, Quetta
 2. The Regional Election Commissioner concerned,
 3. The District Election Commissioner concerned,
 4. The District Returning Officer, concerned,
 5. The Returning Officers, concerned,
- } Through PEC, Balochistan.

III. Copy forwarded to the:

1. Special Secretary
 2. Special Secretary (Law)
 3. Director General (Elections)
 4. Director General (IT)
 5. Director General (Political Finance)
 6. Director General (Training)
 7. Additional Director General (M & E)
 8. Additional Director General (Elec)
 9. Additional Director General (Budget)
 10. Additional Director General (LGE / ER)
 11. Additional Director General (MCO)
 12. Director to Hon'ble CEC
 13. Director (M&E)
 14. Director (ER)
 15. Director (MIS)
 16. Director (LGE)
 17. Director (MCO)
 18. Deputy Director (Budget)
 19. Deputy Director (Training)
 20. Deputy Director (Admn)
 21. Deputy Director (Law)
 22. Staff Officer to the Secretary
 23. Deputy Director (GS)
 24. Deputy Director (Monitoring)
 25. Deputy Director (Web) with request to upload the same on ECP's Website.
 26. PS to Hon'ble MEC-I, II, III & IV
- } ECP Secretariat, Islamabad


(SAID GHAFQOR KHAN)
Deputy Director (LGE-B/ICT)