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**MOST URGENT**

**Bye-election to Municipalities, 2018**

**GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA  
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SA) DEPARTMENT  
SECRETARIAT**

No.F.17(13)/GA(SA)/2012/9788-9804 Dated, Agartala, the 18/December, 2018.

**NOTIFICATION**

In exercise of the powers conferred by the Section-135B of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, the Governor, Tripura is pleased to declare that all Govt. Offices, Magisterial Courts, Educational Institutions, Financial Institutions and all other establishments shall remain closed on **27<sup>th</sup> December, 2018 (Thursday)** falling within the jurisdiction where **Bye-Election to Municipalities is going to be held**, to enable the voters to exercise their right to franchise.

2. **The 27<sup>th</sup> December, 2018 (Thursday)** will also be a paid holiday for the employees of Industrial undertakings, all other establishments of Govt. of Tripura coming under the purview of the Factories Act, 1948 and daily rated/contingent employees under the Government of Tripura and workers/employees in any business/ trade in Tripura posted under the jurisdiction where **Bye-Election to Municipalities is going to be held**, to enable them to exercise their right to franchise on the poll day.

3. There may be cases where a person is ordinarily a resident of the constituency and registered as an elector in the jurisdiction where **Bye-Election to Municipalities is going to be held** but serving/employed in Government Establishment or an Industrial undertaking or other establishment located outside the said Jurisdiction. In such cases, the electors are allowed to avail Special Casual Leave to cast their vote. Similarly, casual/daily wages workers working outside the said **Municipal Constituencies** would be entitled to the benefit of a **paid holiday on 27.12.2018** under Section-135B(1) of the Representation of the People Act, 1951.

4. This shall not apply to any elector whose absence may cause danger or substantial loss in respect of the employment in which he/she is engaged.

By Order etc.

  
( S.K. Debbarma )  
18/12/18

**Under Secretary to the  
Government of Tripura.**

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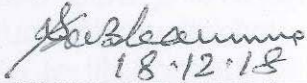
1. The Secretary to the Governor, Tripura, Raj Bhavan, Agartala for favour of kind information.
2. The Principal Secretary to Chief Minister, Tripura for information.
3. The PS/APS to all the Ministers, Tripura, Agartala.
4. The Private Secretary to the Chief Secretary, Tripura for information.

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5. The PS/APS to all the Principal Secretaries/ Secretaries/Special Secretaries, Tripura for information.
6. All Heads of Departments (.....) with request to circulate the notification among all the Heads of Offices/DDOs of their Departments.
7. The DM & Collector, West/North/South/Dhalai /Khowai/Sepahijala/Gomoti /Unakoti District, Tripura.
8. The Director, ICA, Govt. of Tripura with a request for press release for wide publication.
9. The Station Director, All India Radio, Agartala with request to broadcast the content of the notification in the local news broadcasted from All India Radio.
10. The Station Director, Doordarshan Kendra, Agartala with a request to telecast the above declaration of holiday.
11. The Director, GA (Printing & Stationary) Department, Government of Tripura, Agartala with a request to arrange publication of the above Notification in the extra ordinary issue of Tripura Gazetted for general information.
12. The Chief Executive Officer, T.T.A.A.D.C, Khumulwng, Jirania, West Tripura.
13. To The Register, High Court of Tripura, Agartala.
14. The Office in-charge, NIC, Tripura with request to circulate in the web site.
15. All Heads of Banks & LIC/NABARD, Tripura, Agartala.
16. To the Director, I.T, Indranagar, Agartala.
17. To The Secretary, State Election Commission, Tripura, Agartala. This refers to his letter No.F.2(19)-SEC/MUNC/BYE-ELEC/2018/13089-90 dated-12.12.2018.

  
18.12.18  
( S.K. Debbarma )  
**Under Secretary to the  
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