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STATE ELECTION COMMISSION N.C.T. OF DELHI NIGAM BHAWAN, KASHMERE GATE, DELHI-110006

ORDER

No.SEC/LAW/E./F-179/2012/1562

DATED: 30.07.2013

- 1. Whereas General Election 2012 for election of Councillors to North/South/East Municipal Corporation of Delhi was held on 15.04.2012 and the candidates were elected with declaration of results on 17.04.2012;
- 2. And whereas Rule 103 of the Delhi Municipal Corporation (Election of Councillors) Rules,2012 (hereinafter called the rules) prescribes that every candidate at an election to a ward shall, either by himself or by his election agent, keep a separate and correct account of all expenditure in connection with the election incurred or authorized by his election agent between the date on which he/she has been nominted and the date of declaration of the result;
- 3. And whereas the contesting candidates specified in column No.2 of the table attached hereto as Annexure 'A' for election to the Municipal wards mentioned in column No.3 of the said Annexure against their respective names failed to lodge account of their election expenses, as required under Rule 104 ibid, as per reasons shown in column No.5 of the said Annexure against their respective names;
- 4. And whereas Show Cause Notice was issued to the said candidates to explain reason, if any, for failure to lodge the account of election expenses within the time and in the manner required by the rules, and they were also given reasonable and adequate opportunity of being heard;
- 5. And whereas no reply has been received to the Show Cause Notice issued under Regd.A.D. cover through GPO/Spl.Messenger and was duly received by the candidates shown in Annexure 'A' except at sl.no.4,5,6,16 and 17 where the candidates were found to have shifted or his/her present address is not known and they failed to file their accounts of election expenses within the time/till date;
- 6. And whereas the State Election Commission, after considering facts and circumstances of the case in totality, was satisfied that the candidates, whose names appear in the aforementioned Annexure, have no good reason or justification for the failure to file the account within time and in the manner required by the aforesaid rules;
- 7. Therefore, in pursuance of Rule 110, the State Election Commission declares the said candidates in Annexure 'A' to be disqualified for being chosen as a Councillor of any of the three Municipal Corporations of Delhi for a period of six years from the date of the order mentioned in column No.6 of the Annexure 'A against names of the respective candidates;

Detailed order passed by State Election Commission in respect of each of the candidates, whose names appear in Annexure 'A', has also been sent to the individuals concerned at their respective addresses available on record of the Commission.

Sd/-(RAKESH MEHTA) STATE ELECTION COMMISSIONER N.C.T. of DELHI