



**STATE ELECTION COMMISSION
NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI
NIGAM BHAWAN, KASHMERE GATE, DELHI**

No. F.4(15)/SEC/Legal/2022/ 11288

Dated the 31/10/2025

To

1. All the District Election Officers,
2. All the Returning Officers,
of 12 wards where bye-elections
are going to be held on 30/11/2025.

Sub:- Bye-election of 12 Wards of MCD- Filing of nomination papers by persons belonging to Scheduled Castes-regarding.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to state that Bye-elections to 12 wards of the Municipal Corporation of Delhi are going to be held on 30.11.2025. Out of 12 wards only ward No. 164 Dakshin-Puri is reserved for persons belonging to scheduled castes. In section 1(53) of the DMC Act, 1957 (amended till date), the definition of '**Scheduled Caste**' means any of the Scheduled Castes specified in Part I of the Schedule to the Constitution (Scheduled Castes)(Union Territories) Order, 1951 (Copy attached).

2. There may be cases where a person originally belongs to a State other than NCT of Delhi but belongs to one of the scheduled castes as notified in the order mentioned above in respect of NCT of Delhi, he will be eligible to contest as SC candidate for elections to the M.C.D., subject to other qualifications and legal requirements.

Yours faithfully,

 31.10.25

(ADESHWAR KANT)
Secretary-In-charge

Encl: As above

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(ADESHWAR KANT)
Secretary-In-charge

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of article 341 of the Constitution of India, as amended by the Constitution (First Amendment) Act, 1951, the President is pleased to make the following Order, namely:—

1. This Order may be called the Constitution (Scheduled Castes) ²[(Union Territories)] Order, 1951.

2. Subject to the provisions of this Order, the castes, races or tribes or parts of, or groups within, castes or tribes specified in ³[Parts I to III] of the Schedule to this Order shall, in relation to the ²[(Union territories)] to which those parts respectively relate, be deemed to be Scheduled Castes so far as regards members thereof resident in the localities specified in relation to them respectively in those Parts of that Schedule.

⁴[3. Notwithstanding anything contained in paragraph 2, no person who professes a religion different from the Hindu, ⁵[the Sikh or the Buddhist] religion shall be deemed to be a member of a Scheduled Caste.]

⁶[4. Any reference in this Order to a Union territory in Part I of the Schedule shall be construed as a reference to the territory constituted as a Union territory, as from the first day of November, 1956, any reference to a Union territory in Part II of the Schedule shall be construed as a reference to the territory constituted as a Union territory as from the first day of November, 1966 and any reference to a Union territory in Part III of the Schedule shall be construed as a reference to the territory constituted as a Union territory as from the day appointed under clause (b) of section 2 of the Goa, Daman and Diu Reorganisation Act, 1987.]

²[THE SCHEDULE

PART I.—Delhi

Throughout the Union territory:—

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| 1. Adi-Dharmi | 18. Kabirpanthi |
| 2. Agria | 19. Kachhandha |
| 3. Aheria | 20. Kanjar or Giarah |
| 4. Balai | 21. Khatik |
| 5. Banjara | 22. Koli |
| 6. Bawaria | 23. Lalbegi |
| 7. Bazigar | 24. Madari |
| 8. Bhangi | 25. Mallah |
| 9. Bhil | 26. Mazhabi |
| 10. Chamar, Chanwar Chamar, Jatava or Jatav | 27. Meghwal |
| Chamar, Mochi, Ramdasia, Ravidasi, Raidasi, | 28. Naribut |
| Rehgarh or Raigar | ⁷ [29. Nat (Rana), Badi] |
| 11. Chohra (Sweeper) | 30. Pasi |
| 12. Chuhra (Balmiki) | 31. Perna |
| 13. Dhanak or Dhanuk | 32. Sansi or Bhedkut |
| 14. Dhobi | 33. Sapera |
| 15. Dom | 34. Sikligar |
| 16. Gharranmi | 35. Singiwala or Kalbelia |
| 17. Julaha (Weaver) | 36. Sirkiband.] |

1. Published with the Ministry of Law Notifn. No. S.R.O. 1427A, dated the 20th September, 1951, Gazette of India, Extraordinary, 1951, Part II, Section 3, page 1198.
 2. Subs. by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Lists (Modification) Order, 1956.
 3. Subs. by Act 18 of 1987, s. 19 and the First Sch., for "Parts I to IV" (w.e.f. 30-5-1987).
 4. Subs. by Act 63 of 1956, s. 3 and Sch. II.
 5. Subs. by Act 15 of 1990, s. 3, for "or the Sikh".
 6. Subs. by Act 18 of 1987, s. 19 and the First Sch., for paragraph 4 (w.e.f. 30-5-1987).
 7. Subs. by Act 61 of 2002, s. 2 and Second Sch.