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The Notification No. 7-7/EC/DD/2017 dated 02nd May, 2017 issued by the Election Commissioner for UTs, Daman & Diu, New Delhi regarding amending Daman and Diu Municipal Councils Election symbols (Reservation and allotment) Order, 2012 is herewith published in the Official Gazette of this U.T. Administration of Daman & Diu.

Sd/Dy. Secretary (Municipal Election)
Secretariat, Daman

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ELECTION COMMISSION

Daman and Diu F- Block, 1st Floor, M.S. Apartments K.G Marg, New Delhi – 110001.

No.7-17/EC/DD/2017

Dated the 2nd May, 2017

<u>ORDER</u>

Whereas, the Election Commission for the Union territory of Daman and Diu, in exercise of powers conferred by section 5 of the Daman and Diu Municipalities Regulation, 1968, as amended by the Daman and Diu Municipalities (Amendment) Regulation, 1994, read with Rule 32 of the Daman and Diu Municipalities (Elections) Rules, 1995, vide its Order No. 7-17/EC/DD/2012 dated 23.05.2012, had issued the Daman and Diu Municipal Councils Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 2012;

And, whereas, requests from Political Parties and the Returning Officer have been received by this Commission to amend clause 7 of the aforementioned order relating to acceptance of Form A and B from the National Parties and State Parties.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of sub-section (1) of section 5 of the Daman and Diu Municipalities (Amendment) Regulation, 1994 read with Rule 32 of the Daman and Diu Municipalities (Elections) Rules, 1995, the Election Commission for the Union territory of Daman and Diu, hereby makes the following changes in the Daman and Diu Municipal Councils Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 2012.

Short title, extent, application and commencement:

- 1) This Order may be called the Daman and Diu Municipal Councils Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) (Amendment) Order, 2017.
- 2) It extends to the whole of the Union Territory of Daman and Diu and applies specifically to election in all wards of Municipal Councils of Daman and Diu.
- 3) It shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

Clause 7 of the Daman and Diu Municipal Councils Elections Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 2017, shall be substituted by the following:-

7. When a candidate shall be deemed to be set up by a National party or a State party for the purpose of this Order:

A candidate shall be deemed to be set up by a National party or a State party, if, and only, if,

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- a) The candidate has made a declaration to that effect in his nomination paper;
- b) A notice in writing (as in Form B appended to the Order) to that effect has been delivered, not later than 3.00 p.m. on the last date for making nominations, to the Returning Officer;
- c) The said notice is signed by the President, Secretary or any other office bearer of the party duly authorized to send such notice; and
- d) The name and specimen signature of such authorized person are communicated (as in Form A appended to the Order) to the Returning Officer of the concerned ward and to the Director of Municipal Elections, not later than 3.00 p.m. on the last date for making nominations;
- e) Forms A and B are signed in ink only by the said office bearer or person authorized by the Party provided, that no facsimile signature or signature by means of rubber stamp, of any such office bearer or authorized person shall be accepted and no form transmitted by fax shall be accepted.

Provided that if, for sufficient reasons, the said Forms A and B cannot be delivered by any party to the Director of Municipal Elections, the provisions of clause (d) shall be deemed to have been satisfied if these forms have been delivered to the Returning Officer, not later than 3.00 p.m. on the last date for making nominations.

The remaining content of the Daman and Diu Municipal Councils Election Symbols (Reservation and allotment) Order, 2012 shall remain unchanged.

(Ms. Bhupinder Prasad)
Election Commissioner