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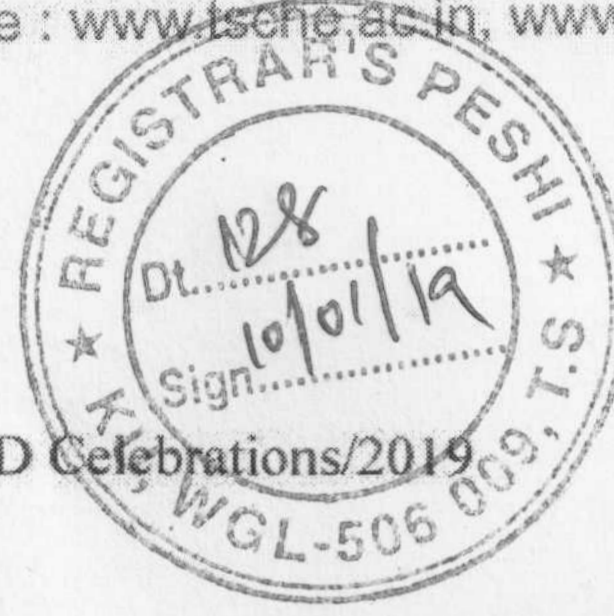
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Lr.No.TSCHE/UM-651(TS)/Univ.Corr.-NVD Celebrations/2019

URGENT
Dt.08.01.2019

To
The Registrars of

Osmania University	Kakatiya University	Satavahana University	Mahathma Gandhi Univ
Telangana University	Palamauru University	JNTU(H)	PSTU
RGUKT	JNA&FAU	Dr.BRAOU	SKLTSHU
Sri. P.V. NR TSU for VA& FS	PJTSAU		

Sir,

Sub : TSCHE – UMS – Celebrations on account of 9th National Voter's Day on 25th January 2019 – Activities to be taken on the National Voters Day in Educational institutions – Detailed instructions issued – Sending – regarding.

Ref: Memo No.7790/Elecs.D/A/2018-2, dt.07.10.2019 from the O/o the Chief Electoral Officer, Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

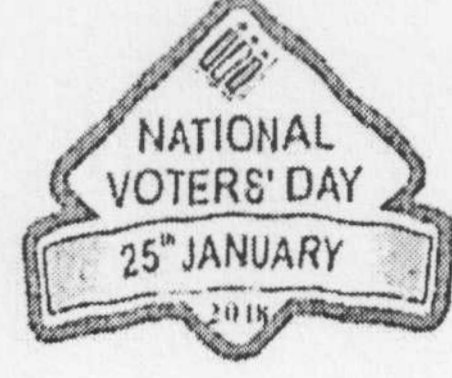
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While referring to the subject and reference cited, I am directed to enclose herewith the reference cited and request all the Registrars of the concern University to issue necessary instructions to all the Educational Institutions/ Colleges under the jurisdiction of the university to celebrate and organize activities like cultural programmes / rallies with newly enrolled voters along with students/ volunteers, quiz competitions etc., and take National Voter's Day pledge in their colleges on account of 9th National Voter's Day on 25th January 2019 sometime in the forenoon to promote democratic electoral participation. The theme for the the 9th NVD is "No Voter to be Left Behind"

Yours faithfully,


SECRETARY

Copy to: 1.The Chief Electoral Officer,O/O the Chief Electoral Officer,Govt., of AP & Telangana- for
2.The State NSS Officer,Telangana State National Service Scheme, Telangana Secretariat,
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భారతదేశ పౌరులమయిన మేము, ప్రజాస్వామ్యంపై విశ్వాసంతో, మన దేశ ప్రజాస్వామ్య సాంప్రదాయాలను, స్వేచ్ఛాయుత, నిష్పక్షపాత, ప్రశాంత ఎన్నికల ప్రాభవాన్ని నిలబెడతామనీ, మతం, జాతి, కులం, వర్గం, భాష లేదా ఎటువంటి ఒత్తిడులకు ప్రభావితం కాకుండా ప్రతి ఎన్నికలో నిర్భయంగా ఓటు చేస్తామని ఇందుమూలంగా ప్రతిజ్ఞ చేస్తున్నాము.

VOTERS PLEDGE

We, the citizens of India, having abiding faith in democracy, hereby pledge to uphold the democratic traditions of our country and the dignity of free, fair and peaceful elections, and to vote in every election fearlessly and without being influenced by considerations of religion, race, caste, community, language or any inducement.

MOST IMMEDIATE
NVD - 2019

**OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER,
TELANGANA
South 'H' Block, Secretariat, Hyderabad.**

Memo No.7790/Elecs.D/A1/2018-2,

Dated:07.01.2019

Sub:- NVD - Celebrations on account of National Voters' Day on 25th January, 2019 – Action to be taken by the District Election Officers – Detailed instructions – Issued - Regarding.

Ref:- 1. From ECI Lr.No. 491/ECI/LET/FUNC/SVEEP-I/NVD/2018.
dt: 16-11-2018
2. From the ECI Letter No.491/DO/ECI/FUNS/SVEEP-I/
NVD/2018, dt.26.11.2018.

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Copy of the ECI letter cited in the references is sent herewith to all the District Election Officers & Commissioner GHMC & DEO, Hyderabad in Telangana State. All District Election Officers are aware that the Election Commission of India celebrates 25th January, its Foundation Day, as the National Voters Day every year, The Commission's objective is to increase the enrolment of voters, by using this occasion so as to make universal adult franchise a complete reality and, thereby, to enhance the quality of Indian democracy. The day will also be utilized to spread awareness among voters regarding effective participation in the electoral process.

2. The Commission in its letter cited has issued instructions on various activities to be undertaken in connection with celebrations of the 9th National Voters' Day, to be held on 25.01.2019. The theme for the 9th NVD is "**NO VOTERS TO BE LEFT BEHIND**" and the activities taken up in the buildup to the loksabha elections shall target all segments including womens, youth, Persons with Disabilities, senior citizens, service voters, Overseas Indians besides others marginalized sections of the society.

3. The following activities shall be undertaken in connection with the National Voters' Day on 25.01.2019 by the respective Officers under the overall supervision of the District Election Officer.

- (i) The Booth Level Officers (BLOs) in each polling station area shall felicitated newly registered voters on 25th January, 2019 in a brief ceremony / public function to be arranged at each Polling Station Location. As prescribed by the Commission, a badge with its logo with the slogan "**Proud to be a voter - Ready to vote**" shall also be handed over by the BLOs to the new young electors during the felicitation ceremony **along with their EPIC**. One of the ECI films on EVM/VVPAT shall be shown at the public function, in local language. Other awareness films on Registration, inclusion etc prepared by state & District may also be shown. The DEOs would secure the venue and logistics required for the brief ceremony / public function at each polling station location. The badges will be supplied by this office.

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- (ii) The AEROs and EROs of the respective constituency shall participate in the ceremony / public function of those Part(s) under their jurisdiction where largest number of newly registered electors would be felicitated. This function can be combined in respect of all the polling stations located within 2 KMs radius of the venue to achieve a high level of impact.
- (iii) The District Election Officer shall organize appropriate function at the District headquarters, in association with Local bodies, Universities / Engineering Colleges / other academic institutions / civil society organizations / Youth Volunteers' Associations like NSS, NCC, Scouts & Guides, NYKS / Media and Ex-servicemen etc. To popularize the electoral participation and voters' education. Awareness films on Registration, Inclusion etc prepared by ECI, State or District shall be shown in the function at the District Headquarters also. In this programme EPICs shall be distributed among new voters of the local polling stations combining within a radius of 2 km or so to achieve the high level of impact. Outstanding performances by ELC Schools and ELC colleges of the district may be felicitated on the occasion. It shall be ensured that the Chief Guest(s) hand over the EPICs to all newly registered voters (18+), whose Polling Station(s) are covered by the ceremony / function and electors are not made to walk a long distance for this purpose.
- (iv) The CEO shall organize the NVD function at the state capital in association with Media, Civil society, opinion groups, youth volunteers Group, State Administration, State Election commission and Corporate etc., further state Awards shall be handed out in the functions. The DEOs shall send the nominations for felicitating the ELCs, which have done outstanding performance in schools & colleges along with detailed justification and activates taken up by the ELCs.
- (v) Representatives of all political parties shall be invited to the celebration of the NVD at every level in addition to other stakeholders.
- (vi) Deployment of dedicated staff at Mandal, Sub-division and District levels shall be undertaken with complete responsibility for guidance / coordination, for celebrations and reporting of all the NVD related activities effectively. BLOs shall be trained at the Mandal Headquarters / Constituency level about their role for NVD activities by the Designated Officer / EROs / AEROs well in advance. Sensitization of the BLOs towards registration of women voters may be taken up during training.
- (vii) Special campaigns for creating awareness among urban migrants, Persons with Disabilities, homeless persons, Transgender, marginalized sections and other identified groups shall also be undertaken. Collaboration with NGOs, CSOs, Government Departments, PSUs and Corporate for reaching out to and actively engaging these groups shall be taken.