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**OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR  
PANCHAYAT & MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS  
(DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, SOUTH ANDAMAN)  
PORT BLAIR**

**NOTIFICATION**

Port Blair, dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> July, 2018

No.195/2018/F.No.5-11/EC/A&N/2018/677 dated 19/07/2018.— Notification No. 5-11/EC/A&N/2018 dated 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2018 issued by the Election Commissioner (UTs) for Andaman and Nicobar Islands is hereby published in the Official Gazette of the Andaman and Nicobar Administration for information of all concerned.

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**Director of Panchayat & Municipal Elections  
(Deputy Commissioner, South Andaman)**

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**ELECTION COMMISSION  
Andaman and Nicobar Islands  
F-Block, M.S. Apartments  
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Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2018

**ORDER**

No. 5-11/EC/A&N/2018 : Whereas, the total number of seats (including that of Pradhan) to be filled by persons chosen by direct election from the territorial constituencies of every Gram Panchayat and the number of offices of Pradhans of respective Gram Panchayats to be reserved for women in South Andaman District have been determined by the Deputy Commissioner, South Andaman, vide Order No. 74/115/F.No 3-12/Panch/D-Cell/2015/3559 dated 28.04.2015 in compliance with sub-section (2) of section 11 of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Panchayat) Regulation, 1994;

And, whereas, the number of seats to be reserved for women in every Gram Panchayat in Andaman and Nicobar Islands have been determined by the Lt. Governor (Administrator), Andaman and Nicobar Islands vide Order No. 3-1/2015/PF/GP dated 12.05.2015 in compliance with sub-section (8) of section 11 of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Panchayat) Regulation, 1994;

And, whereas, in view of sub-rule (1)(c) of Rule 7 of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Panchayat) (Preparation of Electoral Rolls and Conduct of Elections) Rules, 1995 which states that **'Constituencies in which seats are reserved for the Scheduled Tribes, women belonging to those Tribes and woman shall , as far as practicable, be distributed in different parts of the Gram Panchayat, Panchayat Samiti and the Zilla Parishad and they shall be rotated by the Commission by draw of lots, so that it is ensured that seats are so reserved in all the constituencies of a Gram Panchayat, Panchayat Samiti and Zilla Parishad, as the case may be , at least once during three or more consecutive general elections'**;

And, whereas, the Election Commission, appointed under section 185 of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Panchayat) Regulation, 1994, determined the delimitation of Gram Panchayat, Panchayat Samiti and Zilla Parishad constituencies in South Andaman District vide Notification No. 5-5/EC/A&N/2015 dated 30.05.2015, as required under section 11(4), section 107(2) and section 145(2) of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Panchayat) Regulation, 1994;

And, whereas, the Election Commission for Andaman and Nicobar Islands vide Order No. 5-11/EC/A&N/2015 dated 09.06.2015 allotted the seats reserved for women in all Gram Panchayats (Except Gram Panchayat Hut Bay and Netaji Nagar, where general elections were due in October 2018), all Panchayat Samitis and Zilla Parishads and offices of Pradhans of Gram Panchayats in South Andaman District after holding a draw of lot at Port Blair on 01.06.2015 , as required under section 11(7), provision to section 11(9), section 107(4) and section 145(4) of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Panchayat) (Preparation of Electoral Rolls and Conduct of Elections) Rules, 1995;

And, whereas, the existing term of the two Gram Panchayats in Little Andaman, i.e. Gram Panchayat Hut Bay and Gram Panchayat, Netaji Nagar is due to expire in October, 2018 and fresh general elections to these Gram Panchayats are to be held before the expiry of their present term to constitute new Gram Panchayats;

And, whereas, for the purpose of rotation of seats reserved for women in Gram Panchayat, Hut Bay and Gram Panchayat, Netaji Nagar, a draw of lots was held at Hut Bay on 16.07.2018 by the Election Commission, appointed under section 185 of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Panchayat) Regulation, 1994, in the presence of political parties and others interested in the subject;

Now, further to the draw of lots and in compliance with section 11(7) of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Panchayat) Regulation, 1994 read with rule 7(1)(c) of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Panchayat) (Preparation of Electoral Rolls and Conduct of Elections) Rules, 1995, the Election Commission for the Union Territory of Andaman and Nicobar Islands, hereby allots the seats reserved for women in Hut Bay and Netaji Nagar Gram Panchayat under Little Andaman in South Andaman District for the forthcoming general elections; as shown below:

**GRAM PANCHAYAT CONSTITUENCIES RESERVED FOR WOMEN**

South Andaman District

Little Andaman Tehsil

Sl. No.	Name of the Gram Panchayat	Names of the Constituencies Reserved for Women
01.	Hut Bay	Hut Bay-1 Hut Bay-5 Hut Bay-6 Hut Bay-12 Pradhan
02.	Netaji Nagar	Hut Bay-2 Hut Bay-3 Hut Bay-4 Hut Bay-6 Hut Bay-7

Sd./-  
(Narendra Kumar)  
Election Commissioner