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(उपायुक्त, दक्षिण अण्डमान)
(DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, SOUTH ANDAMAN)

ORDER

Port Blair, dated the 9th March, 2021.

No.1-20/PME/E-Cell/GE/2020/ Order No. 5-11/EC/A&N/2021 (B): dated 08/03/2021 issued by the Election Commissioner (UTs), Andaman and Nicobar Islands is hereby published in the Official Gazette of Andaman and Nicobar Administration for information of all concerned.

Sd./-
(Suneel Anchipaka, IAS)
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ORDER

Dated the 8th March, 2021.

No.5-11/EC/A&N/2021(B): whereas, the total number of seats to be filled by persons chosen by direct election from the Wards in the Port Blair Municipal area has been determined twenty four, out of which, eight seats have been reserved for women by the Administrator, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, vide Notification No.3-195/2013-UD dated 02.01.2015 in compliance with Sub-section (5) of Section 9 of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Municipal) Regulation, 1994;

And, whereas, sub-rule (3) of rule 5 of the Andaman & Nicobar Islands (Municipal) (Preparation of Electoral Rolls and Conduct of Elections) Rules, 1995 States, that *'the seats reserved for women under Sub-section (5) of Section 9 of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Municipal) Regulation, 1994 shall be rotated by draw of lots by the Election Commission; so that it is ensured that seats are so reserved in all the Wards atleast once during three consecutive general elections'*;

And, whereas, Sub-section (2) of Section 33 of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Municipal) Regulation, 1994 provides, inter alia, that the Election Commission shall, by order to be published in the Official Gazette, determine the Wards in which seats shall be reserved for Women;

And, whereas, in compliance thereof, a draw of lots was held at Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology, Auditorium, Dollygunj, Port Blair on 04.03.2021 by the Election Commission for the Union Territory of Andaman and Nicobar Islands in the presence of representatives of political parties and others interested in the subject;

Now, consequent to the draw of lots and in pursuance of Section 33 (2) of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Municipal) Regulation, 1994 read with rule 5 (3) of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Municipal) (Preparation of Electoral Rolls and Conduct of Elections) Rules, 1995, the Election Commission for the Union Territory of Andaman and Nicobar Islands hereby determines that **Ward No.7, 8, 10, 12, 20, 21, 23 and 24** shall be reserved for Women for the purpose of ensuing elections to the Port Blair Municipal Council.

Sd./-
(Narendra Kumar)
Election Commissioner