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No. SEC/3E-II/2010/ 4822-42

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To

All the Deputy Commissioners-cum-
District Election Officers (Panchayat),
In the State of Haryana.

Subject:- Guidelines regarding copy of election return and other documents during the
Panchayat General Elections, 2010

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer on the subject cited above and to inform you that rule 73 of the Haryana Panchayati Raj Election Rules, 1994 provides that while in the custody of the District Election Officer (Panchayat) the packets of unused ballot papers, the packets of used ballot papers whether valid, tendered or rejected and the packets of marked copies of the voter list shall not be opened and their contents shall not be inspected by, or produced before any person or authority except under the order of a civil court or competent authority .

2. It is also informed that the control units sealed and kept in the custody of the District Election Officer (Panchayat) shall not be opened and their contents shall not be inspected by, or produced before, any person or authority except under the order of a civil court or competent authority.

3. The State Election Commission further directs, that all other papers relating to the elections shall be open to public inspection and copies thereof shall on application be furnished. Copies of the returns by Returning Officer forwarded under rule 70 (2) of the Haryana Panchayati Raj Election Rules, 1994 shall be furnished by the Returning Officer or the District Election Officer (Panchayat) by an officer authorized by him on payment of a fee of two rupees for each copy to be deposited in the following head of Account:-

"0070-Other Administrative Services-02-Election-800
Other Receipts-(98)-Other Receipt of State Election
Commission"

Yours faithfully


(Parmat Singh) 25/6/10

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