

**STATE ELECTION COMMISSION, HARYANA
S.C.O. NO. 16-17, SECTOR 20-D,
CHANDIGARH.**

PRESS NOTE

Chandigarh, April 29, 2005: Sh.Chander Singh, State Election Commissioner, Haryana, informed that as per Election Programme for conduct of elections to 35 Wards of Municipal Corporation, Faridabad, the poll shall be held on 30.04.2005 between 8.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M. 729 Polling Stations have been set up. After the withdrawal of candidature, 519 candidates are in fray. 631726 voters will exercise their franchise to elect the 35 members out of 519 contesting candidates of Municipal Corporation, Faridabad. Out of 519 candidates, 14 candidates and 23 candidates are contesting the election on party symbol of B.J.P. and B.S.P. respectively. The counting of votes shall be held at 15 designated places on 30.04.2005 instead of respective polling stations.

The State Election Commission, Haryana has also appointed two Election Observers (General) and two Expenditure Observers to see that the elections in all the Wards of Municipal Corporation, Faridabad are conducted in a free and fair manner. The Observers (Expenditure) have also reached their respective destination to observe that no candidate should cross the expenditure limit prescribed by the State Election Commission in this regard. The State Election Commission, Haryana has been assured by the District Authorities that the law and order in all the polling stations is peaceful and normal. The polling parties have also reached their destination and the election to the Municipal Corporation, Faridabad will be conducted in a totally peaceful manner.
