

**ELECTION URGENT**

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**NOTIFICATION**

The 11<sup>th</sup> January, 2022.

No. 274 /SEC- Whereas the Government of Odisha in the Panchayati Raj and D.W. Department have, by notification issued under sub-rule (2) of Rule 3 of the Odisha Zilla Parishad Election Rules, 1994 published in the Official Gazette on 08.01.2022 called upon all the Parishad Constituencies in the State to elect their Members for the purpose of constituting the Zilla Parishads;

Now, therefore, in exercise of powers conferred under Article 243-K of Constitution of India and sub-rule (1) of Rule 4 read with Rules 20, 36 & 47 of the aforesaid Rules, the State Election Commission hereby appoints the following dates & time with respect to the said elections:

Sl. No.	Particulars	Date	Time	Place
1.	Issue of notice by Election Officer under Rule 4 (4) calling for names of the candidates for Zilla Parishad Member.	13.01.2022	10AM	Sub-Collector's office Block Office Collector's Office
2.	Issue of nomination Forms (Form No.4) and presentation of nominations under Rule 10 & 11.	17.01.2022 to 21.01.2022	11 AM to 3 PM on each day	Sub-Collector's Office
3.	Scrutiny of nominations under sub-rule 10 (a) of Rule 12.	22.01.2022	11 AM onwards till completion	Sub-Collector's Office

4.	Publication of list of validly nominated candidates under Rule 14 (5)	23.01.2022	3 PM	Sub-Collector's Office
5.	Withdrawal of candidature under Rule 14 (6)	Upto 25.01.2022	By 3PM	Sub-Collector's Office
6.	Publication of final list of contesting candidates under Rule 14 (7)	25.01.2022	After 3PM	Sub-Collector's Office
7.	Date(s) of poll	16/18/20/22 & 24.02.2022 (As would be notified by the Election Officer)	Poll – 7 AM to 1 PM	Polling Station
8.	Counting of Votes and declaration of result under Rule 39.	26.02.2022 to 28.02.2022 (As would be notified by the Election Officer)	8 AM till completion	Block Office
9.	Publication of names of duly elected Members under Rule 40.	04.03.2022		Commission's Notice Board.
10.	a) Issue of notice(s) for first meeting of the Parishad & Calling for nominations for the Office of President of Zilla Parishad under Rule 48(1)	05.03.2022		Notice Board of the Parishad Office and all Sub-Collectors.
	b) Publication of the notice(s) as above under Rule 48(3)			
11.	First meeting for election of President of Zilla Parishads.	13.03.2022	10 AM onwards till completion	Parishad office or any other public place as would be notified by the Election Officer.

12.	Publication of names of duly elected President of Zilla Parishad by the Commission.	15.03.2022		Commission's Office
13.	Issue of notice for election of Vice-President of Zilla Parishad under Rule 55.	17.03.2022		Parishad Office All Sub-Collectors' Office
14.	Date of election of Vice-President of Zilla Parishad and declaration of result under Rule 55.	25.03.2022	10 AM onwards till completion.	Parishad Office or any other public place as would be notified.
15.	Publication of names of duly elected Vice-President of Zilla Parishad by the Commission.	28.03.2022		Commission's Office

The Act/Rules referred to above are as prescribed in the Odisha Zilla Parishad Act, 1991 and Odisha Zilla Parishad Election Rules, 1994.

The Model Code of Conduct issued by the Commission will remain in force from this date i.e. **11.01.2022** till **28.02.2022** throughout the State.

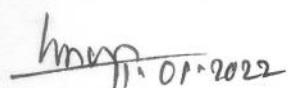
Though **22.01.2022** and **23.01.2022** are Govt. Holidays the Office of Election Officer shall remain open for scrutiny of nomination and publication of list of validly nominated candidates respectively.

Form No. 17 will be submitted by the Political Parties to the State Election Commission within 7 days of issue of this notification i.e. **by 5.30 PM of 18.01.2022** and Form No. 18 to the concerned Election Officer on or before the date and time fixed for scrutiny of nomination papers i.e. **on or before 11 AM of 22.01.2022**.

**The COVID-19 Guidelines issued by the Commission vide letter No.225 dtd.10.01.2022 shall be strictly observed during the elections in view of COVID-19.**

This Notification is available in Commission's website-[www.sec.odisha.gov.in](http://www.sec.odisha.gov.in).

By order and in the name of  
State Election Commission, Odisha

  
(R.N. Sahu)  
Secretary

Memo No. 275 /SEC., Dated 11/01/2022

Copy forwarded to Director, Printing Stationery and Publication, Odisha, Cuttack for immediate publication of this statutory notification in an Extraordinary issue of Odisha Gazette on 11.01.2022 and supply five hundred (500) copies to the Commission.

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11.01.2022  
Secretary

Memo No. 276 /SEC., Dated 11/01/2022

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11.01.2022  
Secretary

Memo No. 277 /SEC., Dated 11/01/2022

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11.01.2022  
Secretary

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11.01.2022  
Secretary

Memo No. 279 /SEC., Dated 11/01/2022

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11.01.2022  
Secretary

Memo No. 280 /SEC., Dated 11/01/2022

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11.01.2022  
Secretary

Memo No. 281 /SEC., Dated 11/01/2022

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Secretary 11.01.2022

Memo No. 282 /SEC., Dated 11/01/2022

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Secretary 11.01.2022

Memo No. 283 /SEC., Dated 11/01/2022

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Secretary 11.01.2022

Memo No. 284 /SEC., Dated 11/01/2022

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**The Collectors are requested to intimate all concerned to follow the COVID-19 Guidelines issued by the Commission vide letter No.225 dtd.10.01.2022 for strictly observance during the elections in view of COVID-19.**

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Secretary 11.01.2022

Memo No. 285 /SEC., Dated 11/01/2022

Copy forwarded to All Political Parties for information and necessary action. Form No. 17 will be submitted to the State Election Commission within 7 days of issue of this notification i.e. **by 5.30 PM of 18.01.2022** and Form No. 18 to the concerned Election Officer on or before the date and time fixed for scrutiny of nomination papers i.e. **on or before 11 AM of 22.01.2022**.

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Secretary 11.01.2022

Memo No. 286 /SEC., Dated 11/01/2022

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Secretary 11/01/2022

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Secretary 11/01/2022