

Office of the Election Authority
Under J&K Panchayati Raj Act, 1989
(Chief Electoral Officer, J&K)

“Greater Participation for a Stronger Democracy”

Notification

JAMMU, DATED THE 1st NOVEMBER, 2018

In view of the report of District Panchayat Election Officer (Deputy Commissioner), Bandipora that extremely harsh weather conditions and disruption of road connectivity has resulted in depriving a large number of intending candidates from filing nominations in the elections leading to no nominations for Halqa Panchayats of **Block Gurez** of District Bandipora, the Notification dated 23rd October, 2018, to the extent it pertains to the process of conduct of elections in the said Block, is hereby rescinded, and, in exercise of powers conferred upon Election Authority (Chief Electoral Officer, J&K) under section 36 of J&K Panchayati Raj Act, 1989, read with Rule 8 of the J&K Panchayati Raj Rules, 1996, a fresh Notification is hereby issued for the conduct of Panchayat elections to elect Sarpanches and Panches in **Block Gurez**, District Bandipora, appointing the following dates as under:

- a) the 1st November, 2018 (Thursday) as the date of issuance of the Gazette Notification.
- b) the 5th November, 2018 (Monday) as the last date for making nominations.
- c) the 6th November, 2018 (Tuesday) as the date for the scrutiny of nominations.
- d) the 8th November, 2018 (Thursday) as the last date for withdrawal of candidature.
- e) the 17th November 2018 (Saturday) as the date on which a poll, if necessary, shall be taken from 08:00 a.m. to 02:00 p.m.
- f) the 17th November, 2018 (Saturday) as the date of counting, unless notified otherwise.
- g) the 17th December, 2018 (Monday) as the date before which the election shall be completed.


(Shafeen Kabra) IAS

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Copy for information and necessary action to:

1. Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir.
2. Secretary to Government, Department of Rural Development and PRIs, J&K.
3. District Panchayat Election Officer (Deputy Commissioner) Bandipora.
4. Director Rural Development Department, Kashmir.
5. Director, Information and Publicity, J&K with a request to kindly arrange the publicity of the notification through electronic and print media.
6. General Manager, Government Press, Jammu with a request to ensure the publication of this Notification in the extraordinary issue of Government Gazette.
7. Deputy Chief Electoral Officer, Kashmir.
8. Incharge Website, IT Section, O/o CEO, J&K, to upload the said Notification on official website forthwith.