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**PART II—C**

**Notifications, Notices and Orders by Election Commission of India.**

**ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA**  
Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001

Dated: 06<sup>th</sup> October, 2025  
14 Asvina, 1947 (Saka)

**NOTIFICATION**

No. 318/CS-J&K/3/2025(1): - Whereas, the President of India has, by notification issued under Section 12 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951(43 of 1951) and published in the Gazette of India on 06<sup>th</sup> October, 2025, been pleased to call upon the elected members of the Legislative Assembly of the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir, to elect two members to the Council of States to fill the vacancies in that House caused due to the retirement of **Shri Ghulam Nabi Azad and Shri Nazir Ahmed Laway** on **15<sup>th</sup> February, 2021** on the expiration of their term of office;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of sub-section (1) of Section 39 and Section 56 of the said Act, the Election Commission of India hereby-

**(A) appoints,** with respect to the said election;

- (a) the 13<sup>th</sup> October, 2025 (Monday), as the last date for making nominations;
- (b) the 14<sup>th</sup> October, 2025 (Tuesday), as the date for the scrutiny of the nominations;
- (c) the 16<sup>th</sup> October, 2025 (Thursday), as the last date for the withdrawal of candidatures;
- (d) the 24<sup>th</sup> October, 2025 (Friday), as the date on which a poll shall, if necessary, be taken; and
- (e) the 28<sup>th</sup> October, 2025 (Tuesday), as the date before which the election shall be completed; and

**(B) fixes the hours** from **09:00 am to 04:00 pm**, as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary, be taken on the date specified above for the election.

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By order,  
Sd/-  
(SUMAN KUMAR DAS),  
Secretary.

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Sd/-  
ANIL SALGOTRA, JKAS,  
Joint Chief Electoral Officer,  
UT of Jammu and Kashmir.