

Government of Jammu and Kashmir OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ELECTION OFFICER, KATHUA

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(DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, KATHUA)

No. 01922-2340047

"Greater Participation for a Stronger Democracy"

Notification Dated: 27-10-2020

Whereas, in terms of Section 45 of the Jammu and Kashmir Panchayati Raj Act 1989 (as amended by S.O. 3654C dated 16.10.2020 of the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India) read along with Rule 108-B of the Jammu and Kashmir Panchayati Raj Rules, 1996 (as amended by S.O. 316 dated 17-10-2020 and S.O. 330 dated 24.10.2020 of Department Rural Development and Panchayati Raj, Government of Jammu and Kashmir), the Election Authority, Jammu and Kashmir Panchayati Raj Act 1989 has notified the final Delimitation of District Development Council Constituencies, vide Notification No. EA/Pyt/2020/02 dated 26th October, 2020 read with corrigendum Issued under endorsement 6817/CEO/PYT/2020/1883-1902 dated 27.10.2020; and

Whereas, Section 45-A of the Jammu and Kashmir Panchayati Raj Act 1989 envisages reservation of seats to be filled by direct elections for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Women in a District Development Council;

Whereas, Rule 108-A (3, 3A, 3B, 3C, 3D and 3E) of the Jammu and Kashmir Panchayati Raj Rules 1996 lay down the procedure for reservation of District Development Council Constituencies in a district.

Now, therefore, in terms of Rule 108-A (3) and based on the procedure laid down in Rules 108-A (3A, 3B, 3C, 3D and 3E) I, Om Prakash Bhagat (KAS), Deputy Commissioner, Kathua do hereby notify the draft reservation of District Development Council Constituencies as Annexure-A to this notification and invite objections/suggestions to the same. Objections/Suggestions, if any, must be submitted in writing to the office of the undersigned by or before 31st of October, 2020 during office hours.

No.:- Dydeo/KH /2020/11032-43.
Dated: 27-10-2020.

Om Prakash Bhagat, KAS District Panchayat Election Officer, (Deputy Commissioner) Kathua

Copy to the: -

- 1. Chief Electoral Officer, J&K Jammu for favour of information.
- 2. Divisional Commissioner, Jammu for favour of information.
- 3. Secretary to Government, Department of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj, J&K, Civil Secretariat Jammu/Srinagar for favour of information.
- 4. Director Rural Development Department, Jammu for favour of information.
- 5. Director, Panchayati Raj, Jammu for information.
- 6. Director, Urban Local Bodies, Jammu for information.
- 7. Joint Director, Information Jammu to public the above notification alongwith the draft proposal of constituencies in prominent dailies for information of general public.
- 8. Assistant Commissioner (Dev.) Kathua for necessary action.
- 9. District Panchayat Officer, Kathua for necessary action.
- 10. All Block Development Officers of District Kathua with the direction to display a copy of proposal at two (02) prominent places within each Panchayat Halqa for Information of general public and in office also.
- 11. District Information Officer, Kathua for necessary action.

Annexure "A"

Name of the District	District Development Council Comstituency Number	District Development Council Constituency Name	Reservation Status (Open/SC/ST/Women (O)/Women (SC)/ Women (ST)
Kathua	1	Bani	Women (O)
	2	Barnoti	Women (SC)
	3	Basohli	Open
	4	Billawar	Open
	5	Dinga Amb	Women (O)
	6	Hiranagar	Open
	7	Kathua	Open
	8	Keerian Gandyal	Women (O)
	9	Lohai Malhar	ST
	10	Mahanpur	Open
	11	Mandli	Women (O)
	12	Marheen	SC
	13	Nagri	SC
	14	Nagrota Gujroo	Open

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