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Sub: - Alternative documents for identification of Voters- Panchayat Elections-2020.

Order No.CEO/Pyt/2020/180 Dated: 11 -02-2020

In exercise of the powers vested under proviso to Rule 23 of the Jammu and Kashmir Panchayati Raj Rules, 1996, the Election Authority, J&K hereby orders that the following documents shall be allowed for identification of voters at the polling stations during conduct of Panchayat Elections of vacant seats of Surpanches and Panches, 2020.

- 1. Electoral Photo Identity Cards (EPICs).
- 2. Passport
- 3. Driving Licence
- 4. Service Identity Card issued to the employees by State / Central Govt. Public Service Undertaking, Local Bodies, Public Limited Companies.
- 5. Bank /Post office passbooks with photographs
- 6. Income Tax Identity (PAN) Card.
- 7. Aadhaar Card.
- 8. MNREGA job cards issued in J&K Union Territory.
- 9. Health Insurance Smart Card issued under the scheme of Ministry of Labour.
- 10. Pension documents such as ex-servicemen's pension payment order, Ex-Servicemen's widow/Dependent certificates, Old Age pension order and Widow Pension order with photographs.
- 11. Photo Voter Slip issued by Election Authority.

Sd/-

(Shailendra Kumar)IAS Election Authority (Chief Electoral Officer, J&K)

Dated: 11/02/2020

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- 1. District Panchayat Election Officers (All Districts) with the request to circulate it to all ROs and Presiding Officers and to give wide publicity for the convenience of general public.
- 2. Director Information and Public Relations, J&K for publishing the same in all leading news papers after Panchayat Bye-Election is announced.

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