

Office of the Election Authority

Under J&K Panchayati Raj Act, 1989

(Chief Electoral Officer, J&K)

“Greater Participation for a Stronger Democracy”

Subject: Application for acceptance of Nomination paper of one Sh. Kala Shah S/o Ali Hussain Shah R/o ward No. 04 Dhalyote-A , District Rajouri.

ORDER No. CEO/Pyt/2018/ 745

DATED: 07-12-2018

Whereas, in terms of Notification dated 12th November, 2018, conduct of elections to elect Sarpanchs and Panchs for various Halqa Panchayats including **Panchayat Halqa Dhalyote-A, Block Kalakote of District Rajouri** was notified; and

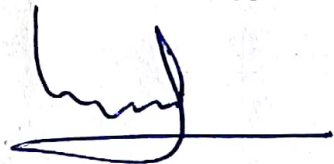
Whereas, one Sh. Kala Shah S/o Ali Hussain Shah R/o ward No. 04 Dhalyote –A, Block Kalakote (hereinafter referred to as applicant) had filed his nomination paper for Panch in **Ward No. 04 of Panchayat Halqa Dhalyote-A, Block Kalakote** and the same was rejected by the concerned Returning Officer, on the ground that the affidavit appended with the nomination paper was not in a prescribed format, hence the instant application; and

Whereas, a report in the matter was sought and the same has been furnished by District Panchayat Election Officer (Deputy Commissioner) Rajouri; and

Whereas, the report reveals that the concerned RO rejected the nomination paper of the applicant on the ground that the applicant had not enclosed an affidavit in a prescribed format with his nomination paper, neither on the date of filing of nomination paper nor upto 03:00 P.M on the last date of making nomination - the affidavit does not bear the attestation by the competent authority and is incomplete; and

Whereas, it is observed that the deficiency in the nomination papers are of a substantial nature, not clerical or technical, and, therefore, entails rejection, as has been done in the instant case;

Now, therefore, in view of the above, the rejection of nomination of the applicant namely one Sh. Kala Shah S/o Ali Hussain Shah R/o ward No. 04 Dhalyote –A, Block Kalakote, District Rajouri having been done correctly, it is held that the instant application has no merit, hence, the prayer made therein is not accepted.



(Shaleen Kabra) IAS

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1. District Panchayat Election Officer (Deputy Commissioner) Rajouri for information and necessary action.
2. R.O concerned for information.