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NOTICE

Whereas, in accordance with the provisions contained in section 14 of the Sikkim Municipalities Act, 2007 (Act No. 5 Of 2007) and Rules 8 and 9 of the Sikkim Municipalities (Conduct of Election) Rules, 2007 made thereunder and the powers conferred under Article 243ZA of the Constitution of India, the State Election Commission, Sikkim hereby orders to undertake the works for preparation of the electoral rolls of the municipality wards in Sikkim from the electoral rolls of the respective areas of the Legislative Assembly constituencies or part thereof as prepared by the Chief Electoral Officer, Sikkim under the directives of the Election Commission of India. The relevant data from the Election Department has been shared with the State Election Commission, Sikkim on 05.02.2026, for the purpose of conducting the Municipality Elections 2026 in Sikkim.

The electoral rolls of the Municipalities shall be prepared in coordination with the National Informatics Center by converting the relevant parts of the electoral rolls of the Legislative Assembly Constituencies for the time being in force into the Municipal wards by the Municipal Electoral Registration Officers of the districts, respectively as per the following programme:

Sl. No	Nature of Works	Time schedule for completion of works
1.	Preparation of Electoral Rolls i) Preparation of software and draft Electoral Rolls	09.2.2026
2.	ii) Segregation of ward-wise Electoral Rolls from Assembly Electoral Rolls	10.2.2026 – 17.2.2026
3.	iii) Data Entry of Manuscripts in the districts.	18.2.2026 – 24.2.2026
4.	iv) Draft publication of Electoral Rolls	25.2.2026
5.	v) Filing of claims and objections	26.2.2026 – 02.3.2026
6.	vi) Disposal of claims and objections	03.3.2026 – 09.3.2026
7.	vii) Printing and final publication of Electoral Rolls	18.3.2026

As per Sub Rule (j) of Rule 2 of the Sikkim Municipalities (Conduct of Election) Rules, 2007 only the electors existing in the electoral rolls of the respective areas of the Legislative Assembly constituency or part thereof shall be based for conducting the Municipal Elections 2026. It is thus, made clear that if any person intends to get his/her name included in the municipality electoral roll, their names should first be included in the electoral rolls of the respective Legislative Assembly constituency, otherwise their name shall not be included in the electoral rolls of the forthcoming Municipality Election.

The database of the electoral rolls has already been provided to the Municipal Electoral Registration Officers of the respective districts through the National Informatics Centre, Gangtok. The concerned Municipal Electoral Registration Officers shall give wide publicity of the programme through the local newspapers, official social media page, cable networks if any and other available social networks for the awareness of the voters of the Municipal area. Only those persons may file their claims for inclusion of their names in the electoral roll of the Municipality, whose name appears in the relevant part of the electoral roll of the concerned Legislative Assembly constituency but does not appear in the draft electoral roll. It is also informed that only genuine cases for transfer of names from one municipal ward to another municipal ward and corrections, shall be entertained by the Municipal Electoral Registration Officer.

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