

**State Election Commission  
Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar**

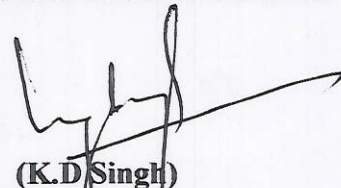
No. AP/SEC-317/2012

Dated Itanagar, the 19<sup>th</sup> April, 2013

**Order**

In exercise of the powers conferred under Article 243K and 243 ZA of the Constitution of India and under Section 104 (i) of the Arunachal Pradesh Panchayati Raj Act, 1997 and all other powers enabling it in this behalf and also in the interest of free, fair and smooth conduct of Panchayat and Municipal Elections in the State, the State Election Commission directs that following measures should be taken up under the provisions of relevant Excise Act/Rules and necessary orders passed by the competent authority.

- i) No spirituous, fermented or intoxicating liquors or other substances of like nature shall be sold, given or distributed at a hotel, eating house, tavern shop or any other place public or private, within a Polling Area during the period of 48(forty eight) hours ending with the hour fixed for the conclusion of Poll i.e. 4 P.M. on 16<sup>th</sup> May 2013.
- ii) In view of the statutory provisions as above, "Dry Days" shall be declared and notified under the relevant laws.
- iii) The Commission further directs that the day on which Counting of votes is to be taken up i.e. 21<sup>st</sup> May 2013, shall be declared 'Dry Day' under relevant State Laws.
- iv) The storage of liquor by individuals shall be restricted and vigorously enforced as provided in the State Excise Laws on the storage of liquor in unlicensed premises during the said period.
- v) The Commission directs that the respective Deputy Commissioners shall strictly implement the above measures. They are required to issue detailed and comprehensive instructions to all concerned authorities to take appropriate legally effective measures to implement the above prohibitions and assist the election authorities in the peaceful and smooth conduct of free and fair poll.
- vi) A copy of the instructions/prohibitory orders issued in this behalf should be endorsed to the Commission.



**(K.D. Singh)**  
State Election Commissioner  
Arunachal Pradesh

To

**All the Deputy Commissioner cum District Election Officers, for information and necessary action.**

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Copy to :

1. The Chief Secretary, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh.
2. The Director General of Police, Arunachal Pradesh.
3. The Commissioner (Tax & Excise), Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh.
4. Dr. Ajit Kumar Singla, IPS, AIGP (OPS), Arunachal Pradesh, Nodal Officer.
5. Office Copy.

19<sup>th</sup> April 2013  
(Kanto Peyang)  
Secretary

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Arunachal Pradesh

(K. B. Singh)  
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