# STATE ELECTION COMMISSION TRIPURA: AGRATALA

No.F.1(36)-SEC/MUNC/GEN-ELEC/2021/1250

Date:-15/11/2021

#### **MEMORANDUM**

Subject:

General Election to Municipalities, 2021 – Restriction on use of vehicles on the day of poll.

To ensure free, fair and peaceful poll of Municipal Election, 2021, the State Election Commission, Tripura directs that –

- 1. The Contesting Candidates of a Constituency, where more than 2 (two) Polling Stations are setup for Polling, may be allowed to use only one light vehicle on the day of Poll. In the said vehicle, no one except driver, the Contesting Candidate or his Election Agent will be permitted to move. In case of a woman contesting candidate, a woman companion, repeat only one woman companion, is allowed with the women Candidate in addition to a driver or her Election Agent.
- 2. The Contesting Candidates are to obtain permit for use of vehicle from the respective Returning Officer and must display the permit issued by the Returning Officer in original (not photocopy) prominently on the windscreen of the permitted Vehicle. The permit must bear the registration number of the vehicle and name of the contesting candidate in whose favour it is issued. Plying of this vehicle outside the area of the concerned constituency shall not be allowed.
- 3. No vehicle shall be used to bring voters to the polling stations on the day of Poll.
- 4. Only family member shall be allowed as pillion rider on a two wheeler on the day of Poll. Two or more 'two wheelers' shall not be allowed to move in a group.

The State Police are given the authority to enforce these restrictions. The vehicles involved in violation of above instructions shall be seized till completion of legal proceeding or election process as the case may be.

By Order of the State Election Commissioner,

[**P.Bhattacharjee**]
Secretary
State Election Commission
Tripura

### Copy to:-

- 1. The Chief Secretary, Tripura, Agartala for kind information.
- 2. The Director General of Police, Tripura, Agartala for kind information and necessary action.
- 3. The District Municipal Election Officer(s) (DMEOs), North / Unakoti / Dhalai / Khowai / West / Sepahiajala / Gomati & South Tripura District for information and necessary action.
- 4. The Police Nodal Officer, General Election to Municipalities, 2021 for information & necessary action.
- 5. All Election Observers for kind information and necessary action please.
- 6. All Returning Officer(s) for information. They are requested to bring the above instructions to the notice of all concerned for strict compliance.

# Copy forwarded for information to:-

The President / Secretary / General Secretary / Chairman,\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Political Party.

# Copy also forwarded to:-

PA to the State Election Commissioner, Tripura for information of the State Election Commissioner.

Secretary
State Election Commission
Tripura