

Government of Himachal Pradesh
Department of Urban Development.

NO. UD-A(3)-2/2020

dated Shimla-02, the 14th March, 2023

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of powers conferred by section 31 of the Himachal Pradesh Municipal Corporation Act, 1994 (Act No. 12 of 1994), the Governor, Himachal Pradesh, in consultation with the State Election Commission, is pleased to make the following rules further to amend in the Himachal Pradesh Municipal Corporation (Election) Rules, 2012 notified vide this Department Notification No. UD-A(3)-7/201, dated 23.03.2012 and published in Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh, on 24.03.2012, namely:-

Short title and commencement.

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(1) These rules may be called the Himachal Pradesh Municipal Corporation (Election) (Amendment) Rules, 2023.

(2) These rules shall come into force from the date of publication in Rajpatra (e-Gazette), Himachal Pradesh.

Amendment of rule 14. ✓

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In rule 14 of the 'said rules', for the proviso under sub-rule (1), the following provisos shall be substituted, namely:-

“Provided that nothing in this rule shall prevent the use of the relevant part of the current electoral rolls of the Assembly constituency for the preparation of draft rolls for the elections under these rules:

Provided further that the State Election Commission may use data base of the

Amendment of
rule 16

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In rule 16 of the 'said rules', for sub-rules (1) and (2), the following shall be substituted, namely:-

"(1) A person shall be disqualified for registration in an electoral roll, if he, -

(a) is not a citizen of India; or

(b) is of unsound mind and stands so declared by a competent court; or

(c) is for the time being disqualified for voting under the laws relating to corrupt practices and other offences in connection with elections to municipalities or Assembly or Parliament; or

(d) is not ordinarily resident of the ward; or

(e) is less than 18 years of age on or before 1st January or the date as may be notified by the Commission for the preparation or revision of electoral rolls, as the case may be.

(2) A person shall be entitled to be registered in the electoral rolls for only one ward of the Corporation."

Amendment of
rule 26.

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In rule 26 of the said rules, in sub-rule (3), for the proviso, the following shall be substituted, namely-

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"Provided that if the applicant whose name is ordered to be included, is already registered in the electoral roll of any other ward or part thereof such name shall be deleted from that Electoral roll."

Substitution of Form-4.

§ For Form 4 appended to the said rules, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

Form-4

(See rules 20 (1) and 26)

CLAIM APPLICATION FOR INCLUSION
OF NAME

To

The Revising Authority/ Electoral
Registration Officer,
(Municipal Corporation)

Sir,

I request that my name be included in the electoral roll for the _____ ward relating to _____ Municipal Corporation.

Name (in full) _____

Father's/ Mother's/ Husband's Name _____

Particulars of place of residence are:

House No. _____

Street/Mohalla Village _____

Post office _____ Tehsil _____ Distt.

I hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief that :-

(i) I am a citizen of India.

(ii) My age on i.e. date notified by the State Election Commission under clause (e) of Rule 16 (1) was _____ years _____

months.

- (iii) I am an ordinary resident at the address given above.
- (iv) I have not applied for the inclusion of my name in the electoral roll for any other Municipal Corporation Ward.
- (v) My name has not been included in the electoral roll for any ward of the above mentioned municipality.

OR

That my name has been included in the electoral roll for the _____ ward under the address mentioned below and I request that the same may be excluded from the electoral roll.

Signature/thumb-impression of claimant.

(full postal address)

Place:

Date:

I further declare that the facts submitted by me herein above are true and I also know that any person who makes a statement of declaration which is false and which he either knows or believes to be false or does not believe to be true is punishable in accordance with law in force.

Signature/thumb-impression of claimant.

(full postal address)

I am a voter included in the electoral roll of the same part in which the claimant has applied for inclusion viz. Part No..... relating to.....my Serial No. therein is I support this claim and countersign it.

Signature/thumb-impression of elector
supporting claim

(full postal address)

By Order,

Devesh Kumar,
Principal Secretary (UD) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh

Endst. No. As Above Dated, Shimla-171002, the 14th March, 2023

Copy forwarded to:-

1. The Principal Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2.
2. The Chief Secretary to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.
3. The LR-cum-Principal Secretary(Law) to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2
4. The Secretary to the Governor, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171002.
- ✓ 5. The Director, Urban Development, HP, Shimla-2.
6. All the Deputy Commissioners in Himachal Pradesh.
7. The Secretary, State Election Commission, HP, Shimla-2.
8. The Secretary, Himachal Pradesh Vidhan Sabha, Shimla-171004.
9. All ULBs in Himachal Pradesh


(Vinay Kumar)

Addl. Secretary (UD) to the
Govt. of Himachal Pradesh