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NOTIFICATION

No. H.12017/38/97-LJD, the 12th June, 1997. The following Central Ordinance is hereby publish for general information.

Lucy Lalrinthari, Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of Mizoram,

THE PRESIDENTIAL AND VICE-PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 1997

No. 13 of 1997

Promulgated by the President in the Forty-eight Year of the Republic of India

An Ordinance further to amend the Presidential and Vice-Presidential Election Act, 1952.

WHEREAS Parliament is not in session and the President is satisfied that circumtances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of article 123 of the Constitution, the President is pleased to promulgate the following Ordinance:—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the Presidential and Vice-Presidential Elections (Amendment) Ordinance, 1997.

Short title and commencement.

(2) it shall come into force at once.

Amendment of section 5B.

2. In section 5B of the Presidential and Vice-Presiden- 11 of 1952. tial Elections Act, 1952 (hereinafter referred to as principal Act), in sub-section (1),-

- (i) in clause (a), for the words "Ten electors" at both the places, where they occur, the words "fifty electors" shall be substituted.
- (ii) in clause (b), for the words "five electors" at both the places, where they occur, the words "twenty electors" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 5C. 3. In section 5C of the principal Act, in sub-section (1), for the words "two thousand five hundred rupees", the words "fifteen thousand rupees" shall be substituted.

President.