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FORM-I

(See rule 3 of the Presidential and Vice-Presidential elections Rules, 1974)

PUBLIC NOTICE

ELECTION TO THE OFFICE OF VICE-PRESIDENT OF INDIA

Whereas a notification under sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Presidential and Vice-Presidential Election Act, 1952, for the holding of an election to fill the Office of Vice-President of India has been issued by the Election Commission, I, R. C. Tripathi, the Returning Officer for such election, do hereby give notice that—

- (i) nomination papers may be delivered by a candidate or any one of his proposers or seconders to the undersigned at his office in Room No. 42, Parliament House, New Delhi or if he is unavoidably absent, to the Assistant Returning Officer, Shri Devraj Tiwari, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, Parliament House, at the said office between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day (other than a public holiday) not later than 30th July, 1997.
- (ii) each nomination paper shall be accompanied by a certified copy of the entry relating to the candidate in the electoral roll for the Parliamentary constituency in which the candidate is registered as an elector;
- (iii) every candidate shall deposit or cause to be deposited a sum of rupees fifteen thousand only. This amount may be deposited in cash with the Returning Officer at the time of presentation of the nomination paper or deposited earlier in the Reserve Bank of India or in a Government Treasury and in the latter case a receipt showing that the said deposit of the sum has been so made is required to be enclosed with the nomination paper;

- (iv) forms of nomination papers may be obtained from the above said office at the times aforesaid;
- (v) the nomination papers, other than those rejected under Absection (4) of section 55 of the Act will be taken up for scruting at a said office in Room 760, 62, Parliament House, New Delbi on 300 and July, 1997, at 11 A.1.
- (vi) the notice of withdrawal of candidatures may be deliber. by a candidate, or any one of his proposers or seconders who had a candidate, this behalf in writing by the candidate, to the underliber at the place specified in pursuraph (I) above before three o'clock his at the place 1st August, 1997;
- (vil) in the event of the short in being contested, the print be taken on 16th August, 1927, between the hours of 10 and 5 p.m. at the place of polling fixed under the rules.

New Delhi; Dated, the 15th July, 1997. RC. Tripation
Returning Officer,
for election to the Office of
Vice-President of main, 1997
(Secretary, Ministry of Formal Mentary Affairs).