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ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001

Dated: the 20th November, 2003
29 Kartika, 1925(Saka)

NOTIFICATION

No. 464/MIZ-LA/2003 :- Whereas, the Election Commission of India had, by its Notification No. 464/MIZ-LA/2003, dated 27th October, 2003, issued under Sections 30 and 56 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951) appointed the 20th November, 2003 (Thursday), as the date of poll in all Assembly Constituencies in the State of Mizoram, and fixed the hours from 7.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M. , as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary, be taken on the date specified above; and

Whereas, the poll in all assembly constituencies has commenced at 7.00 A.M. on 20th November, as scheduled; and

Whereas, the Commission has set up polling stations at Tuipulbari village in Mizoram for Bru/Reang voters who are staying in transitory camps in Tripura, and

Whereas, reports have been received from the Sector Magistrates, District Election Officers and Chief Electoral Officers of Tripura and Mizoram that some of the Bru/Reang electors residing in the transit camps in Tripura, who have been provided transport at the cost of Government of Mizoram may not be able to reach their designated polling stations at Tuipulbari before 4.00 P.M. to cast their votes:

Now therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 58 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 read with Section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (10 of 1897), the Election Commission of India hereby makes the following amendments in its notification dated 27th October, 2003, referred to above, namely:-

For the existing clause (B) of the said notification, the the following clause shall be substituted-

(B) fixes the hours from 7.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M., as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary be taken, on the date specified above, at all the polling stations in all assembly constituencies except polling stations set up for Bru/Reangs residing in the transit camps in Tripura, at Tuipuibari in respect of 6 - Tlabung(ST), 7 - Buarpui(ST), 8 - Lunglei South, 22 - Kawnpui (ST), 23 - Kolasib (ST), 24 - Bilkhawthlir (ST) , 25 - Lokicherra (ST), 26 - Khawrthah (ST), 27 - Mamit (ST) and 28 - Phuldungsei (ST) assembly constituencies where the polling shall be taken from 7.00 A.M. to 5.00 P.M.

By order,

(K. AJAYA KUMAR)
SECRETARY
ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA