

## **GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

## Abstract

Election Department - General Election to Lok Sabha 2019-Verification of application by Booth Level Officers - Duty leave to Government officers appointed as Booth Level Officers - Sanctioned - Orders issued.

## **ELECTION (GENERAL) DEPARTMENT**

G. O. (Rt.) No. 191/2019/Elec.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram

29.03.2019

Read: - Notification No. 464/EPS/2019(3) dated 28.03.2019 from the Election Commission of India, New Delhi.

## ORDER

Election Commission of India has notified the schedule of General Elections to Lok Sabha 2019 with the last date of filing nominations being 04.04.2019. Claims for registration in electoral rolls received till dates have to be disposed of by that date. The number of applications received is very high.

The Booth Level Officers appointed by the Election Commission of India are entrusted with the responsibility of verification of claims and objections submitted by electors in their respective polling stations. Since most of the Booth Level Officers are Government employees, duty leave has to be sanctioned to them to complete the verification process in time.

Government, therefore, order that duty leave will be sanctioned to Government employees from various departments, who act as Booth Level Officers in the State of Kerala, for 2 (two) days on 30.03.2019 and 01.04.2019, to enable them to complete verification of all claims and objections in their respective polling stations.

All Heads of Departments shall sanction duty leave as mentioned above, to those Officers under their control, who are appointed as Booth Level Officers of Polling Stations in the State of Kerala, on production of duty certificate from the Electoral Registration Officer concerned.

By Order of the Governor

Teeka Ram Meena
Chief Electoral Officer &
Additional Chief Secretary to Government

To

The Additional Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries/Secretaries (All Departments).

All Heads of Departments

All Public Sector Undertakings (Central/State)

All Departments/Sections in the Secretariat including GAD, Finance, Law and Legislature.

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