## MINUTES OF MEETING WITH DISTRICT ELECTION OFFICERS HELD ON 7<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2025 THROUGH VIDEO CONFERENCING CHAIRED BY SHRI PRADEEP KUMAR JHA, CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER, MANIPUR

At the outset, Shri Pradeep Kumar Jha, Chief Electoral Officer, Manipur welcomed all the District Election Officers present in the meeting and placed that the meeting was taken specially to discuss on actionable outcomes of the Chief Electoral Officers' Conference held at Election Commission of India on 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2025.

- 2. Chief Electoral Officer, Manipur highlighted that the Commission has identified 28 stakeholders involved in the preparation of electoral rolls and conduct of elections. The roles and responsibilities of all stakeholders as per Acts, Rules, Manual and ECI Instructions have been mapped by the legal division of ECI. Accordingly, draft PPTs have been prepared and shared with all CEOs. In the conference, the states of Manipur and Arunachal have been assigned the topic "Role of Government servants in elections". As instructed by ECI, revised PPT after considering inputs from District Election Officers has to be submitted by 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2025.
- 3. The Chief Electoral Officer, Manipur directed that District Election Officers shall go through relevant Acts/Rules/ECI Instructions in connection with "Role of Government servants in elections". It was also reiterated that the inputs/feedback shall be in conformity with Representation of People Act, 1950, Representation of People Act, 1951, Registration of Electors' Rules 1960, Conduct of Election Rules, 1961 or any other ECI Instructions issued from time to time. CEO, Manipur reminded the District Election Officers to submit their inputs by 10<sup>th</sup> March, 2025. {Draft PPT of ECI is also shared herewith}.
- 4. The Chief Electoral Officer, Manipur also directed that all District Election Officers and Electoral Registration Officers shall organise meeting with all recognised political parties by 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025. The minutes of meetings shall also be shared with the office of Chief Electoral Officer, Manipur.

Sd/-(Pradeep Kumar Jha) Chief Electoral Officer, Manipur

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Imphal, the 8th March, 2025

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- 1. Commissioner-cum-Secretary (Election), Government of Manipur.
- 2. All District Election Officers
- 3. All Electoral Registration Officers
- 4. Relevant File.

(Ramananda Nongmeikapam) Joint Chief Electoral Officer, Manipur