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To

The Chief Secretaries and  
Chief Electoral Officers of  
All States/UTs.

**Sub: Applicability of Model Code of Conduct during  
general elections-Clarification-Regarding.**

Sir,

I am directed to say that the Model Code of Conduct is enforced from the date of announcement of election schedule by the Election Commission and is operational till the process of elections are completed. Now that the Commission has notified the names of members elected in respect of the Parliamentary Constituencies today, **the Model Code of Conduct has ceased to be in operation.**

This may be brought to the notice of all concerned.

Yours faithfully

**(SUMIT MUKHERJEE)**