

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi - 110 001

No. ECI/PN/ 9 /2010

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PRESS NOTE

Subject: Bye-Election to the Council of States from Uttar Pradesh.

The Election Commission had announced a Bye-election to the Council of States from Uttar Pradesh, to fill up a casual vacancy occurred due to the death of the sitting member Shri Janeshwar Mishra, on 22nd January, 2010.

Since, 17th March, 2010 (Wednesday) which had been fixed as the date of Scrutiny of Nominations, is a holiday in the State of Uttar Pradesh, the Commission has made the following changes in the schedule already announced :-

1. Issue of Notifications : **6th March, 2010 (Saturday)**
2. Last date of making nominations : 13th March, 2010 (Saturday)
3. Scrutiny of nominations : 16th March, 2010 (Tuesday)
4. Last date for withdrawal of candidature : 18th March, 2010 (Thursday)
5. Date of poll : **26th March, 2010 (Friday)**
6. Hours of poll : 9.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M
7. Counting of Votes : **26th March, 2010 (Friday)** at 5.00 PM
8. Date before which election shall be completed : 29th March, 2010 (Monday)

(K. AJAY KUMAR)
SECRETARY