

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001

No. 464/INST /2011/EPS

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To

The Chief Electoral Officers of

1. Assam, Dispur
2. West Bengal, Kolkata
3. Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
4. Tamil Nadu, Chennai
5. Puducherry, Puducherry

Subject: - General Elections to the Legislative Assembly to Assam, West Bengal, Kerala, Tamil Nadu and Puducherry - Request of Political Parties for vehicle permission for transporting publicity material – regarding.

Sir,

The Commission has decided that if any political party makes a request to the Chief Electoral Officer for grant of vehicle permission for distribution of their publicity material to their various party offices in the State, the Chief Electoral Officer may grant permission for such vehicles. However, the concerned political party (the applicant) will have to specify the name of the District, the route map and the dates for which the vehicle will be required for the above purpose. For such vehicles, the CEO may issue permission, but he will ensure that such vehicles will also be subjected to normal checks and they will not be used for election campaigning. The expenditure on account of such vehicle shall be apportioned equally among the candidates of the party contesting from the Assembly Constituencies for which vehicle permit has been sought.

Yours faithfully,

(SUMIT MUKHERJEE)
UNDER SECRETARY