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**ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA**  
**Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110 001.**

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To

- The Chief Electoral Officers of,  
(i) Goa, Panaji.  
(ii) Punjab, Chandigarh.

Sub: - General Elections to the **Legislative Assemblies of Punjab, Manipur, Goa, Uttarakhand and Uttar Pradesh, 2017**- Concession to candidates set up by registered unrecognized political parties- allotment of common symbol under Para 10B of the Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 1968- Regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to state that the application of the following **4 (Four)** registered unrecognized political parties for concession in the allotment of a common symbol to its candidates being set up at the forthcoming General Election to the Legislative Assemblies of Goa and Punjab, 2017 under the provisions of para 10B of the Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 1968, have been accepted by the Commission. Accordingly, the Commission has decided to extend the concession sought under Para 10B to candidates of these parties for the forthcoming General Election to Legislative Assemblies of Goa and Punjab, 2017, in the constituencies mentioned as under: -

Sl. No.	Name of the Party	Name of Election(s)	No. of Assembly constituencies	Common Symbol allotted.
1.	<b>Goa Forward Party</b>	<b>Legislative Assembly of Goa, 2017.</b>	In all the 40 Assembly Constituencies in the State of <b><u>Goa</u></b> .	<b><u>Coconut</u></b>
2.	<b>Hindustan Utthan Party</b>	<b>Legislative Assembly of Punjab, 2017.</b>	In 23 Assembly Constituencies in the State of <b><u>Punjab</u></b> as per list given in Annexure PB-I.	<b><u>Diamond</u></b>
3.	<b>Bharatrashttra Democratic Party</b>	<b>Legislative Assembly of Punjab, 2017.</b>	In all the 117 Assembly Constituencies in the State of <b><u>Punjab</u></b> .	<b><u>Shoe</u></b>
4.	<b>Punjab Democratic Party</b>	<b>Legislative Assembly of Punjab, 2017.</b>	In all the 117 Assembly Constituencies in the State of <b><u>Punjab</u></b> .	<b><u>Battery Torch</u></b>

2. The Returning Officers may be directed to allot the common symbol mentioned above to the candidates set up by the aforesaid registered un-recognised political parties, subject to fulfillment of the provisions of Para 13 of the Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 1968 relating to setting up of candidates by the party. It may also be noted that said common symbol allotted to the candidates of the above mentioned political parties, is not allotted by oversight to any other candidates in these constituencies. However, the said symbol shall be available for allotment as free symbol to other candidates in the constituencies where the aforesaid parties do not actually set up their candidates.

3. In the event of the above said parties failing to meet the requirement of the minimum number of candidates, as prescribed in Para 10B of the said Symbols Order, 1968, i.e., 5 % of total number of Assembly Constituencies in the concerned State in case of Assembly election, then the said common symbol shall not be available to their candidates.

Yours faithfully,

  
(PRAMOD KUMAR SHARMA)  
SECRETARY

**Copy to: -**

Sl. No.	Name of the Party	Instructions
1.	The President, Goa Forward Party, Sheesh Mahal, Second Floor, Office - 4, Comba, Margao - Goa - 403601.	It is informed that the party and the candidates must comply with each of the provisions of Para 13 of the Election Symbols (Reservation and Allotment) Order, 1968.
2.	The President, Hindustan Utthan Party, Village - Ravani Kateri, Post- Bugrasi, Tehsil - Sayana, Distt. - Bulandshahr, Uttar Pradesh - 245403	
3.	The President, Bharatrashttra Democratic Party Shop No. 22, CSC-II, DDA Market, I.P. Extension, Patparganj, Delhi-110092.	

4.	The President, Punjab Democratic Party, 958, Mataur, Sector – 70, SAS Nagar, Adjoining Syndicate Bank, Punjab - 160070.	
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2. Pr. Secy. (BJ)/Secy. (AK).
3. North-I/West-II.
4. Guard File.

**Annexure-PB-I**

<b>Name of the Party</b>		<b>Hindustan Utthan Party</b>	
<b>Common Symbol Allotted</b>		<b>Diamond</b>	
<b>Name of State</b>		<b>Punjab</b>	
<b>SI. No. and names of Assembly Constituencies for which symbol has been allotted</b>			
<b>AC. No.</b>	<b>Constituency Name</b>	<b>AC. No.</b>	<b>Constituency Name</b>
11	Ajnala	34	Jalandhar West (SC)
12	Raja Sansi	35	Jalandhar Central
13	Majitha	36	Jalandhar North
14	Jandiala (SC)	37	Jalandhar Cantt.
15	Amritsar North	109	Nabha (SC)
16	Amritsar West (SC)	110	Patiala Rural
17	Amritsar Central	111	Rajpura
18	Amritsar East	112	Dera Bassi
19	Amritsar South	113	Ghanaur
20	Attari (SC)	114	Sanour
32	Shahkot	115	Patiala
33	Kartarpur (SC)		
<b>Total</b>		<b>23 ACs</b>	

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