

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi.

No.MCS/PN/19/99

Dated : 9th August, 1999

PRESS NOTE

Subject: Bye-election to the Council of States (Rajya Sabha) from the State of Assam.

A Vacancy has occurred in the Council of States due to the death of sitting member Sh. Parag Chaliha on 22.6.99 who was elected from the State of Assam and whose term of office otherwise would have been upto 14th June, 2001. In order to fill the abovesaid vacancy, the Commission has decided to hold bye-election to the Council of State as per the following schedule.

SCHEDULE

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| (a) Issue of Notification | 13.08.1999 (Friday) |
| (b) Last date for filing Nominations | 20.08.1999 (Friday) |
| (c) Scrutiny of nominations | 21.08.1999 (Saturday) |
| (d) Last date for withdrawal of
candidatures | 23.08.1999 (Monday) |
| (e) Date of poll | 30.08.1999 (Monday) |
| (f) Counting of Votes | 30.08.1999 (Monday) |
| (g) Date before which the election
shall be completed | 01.09.1999 (Wednesday) |

(K.R.PRASAD)

SECRETARY