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ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001.

No. 509/11/2004-J.S.I

Dated: 4th February, 2016.

To,

The Chief Electoral Officers
of all States/UTs.

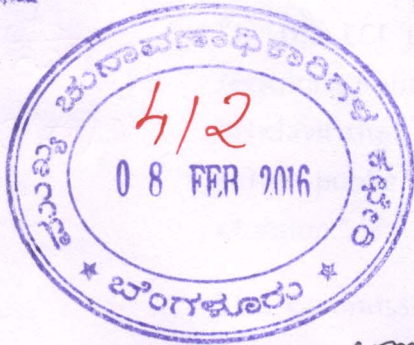
Subject :- Judgment of the Hon'ble Delhi High Court in W.P.(C) No.4912/1998 (Krishak Bharat Vs Union of India & Ors.)- Candidates to submit 'No Demand Certificate' from agencies providing electricity, water and telephone along with their nomination papers - regarding.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the aforesaid matter and to request you to kindly deliver the Commission's following order and letter to the President/General Secretary/Chairperson/Convenor of all registered unrecognised Political Parties based in your States/UTs. Acknowledgment obtained from them may also be forwarded to the Commission, at the earliest.

- (1) Order No.509/11/2004-JS.I, dated 3rd February, 2016 (copy enclosed)
- (2) Letter No.509/11/2004-J.S.I, dated 3rd February, 2016 (copy enclosed)

Kindly acknowledge the receipt.



Yours faithfully,

(N.T.BHUTIA)
UNDER SECRETARY

We may communicate urgently.
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ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA
Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001.

No. 509/11/2004-JS.I

Dated : 03rd February, 2016

To

1. The President/General Secretary/Chairperson/Convenor of all Recognised National and State Parties.
2. The President/ General Secretary/ Chairperson/Convenor of every registered unrecognised Political Parties.

Sub: Judgement of the Hon'ble Delhi High Court in W.P.(C) No. 4912/1998 (KRISHAK BHARAT VS UNION OF INDIA AND ORS.) – proposal to mandate political parties fielding candidates in election to submit Affidavit that the candidates are not in arrears of public dues - regarding.

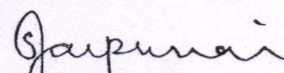
Sir/Madam,

I am directed to enclose herewith copy of the Judgement dated 07th August, 2015 of the Hon'ble Delhi High Court in the above matter. Your attention is invited to the direction in point J under paragraph 13 of the judgement, which is reproduced below:-

“J. The ECI to within six months hereof also consider the possibility of requiring political parties fielding candidates in any election to also furnish an affidavit that they are not in arrears of any electricity, water, telephone or other public dues, as a pre-condition to their fielding candidates in any election.”

The Commission desires to obtain the views of the political parties on this point. Your response, if any, may be submitted latest by 15th February, 2016. If nothing is heard from the Party by then, it will be presumed that your Party has no specific views in this regard.

Yours faithfully,


(Anuj Jaipuria)
SECRETARY

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