

Most Urgent/Election Matter

By email/Camp bag

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110 001.

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To

**The Chief Electoral Officers of
All States/UTs**

**Subject: Display of NVD Pledge inside the voting compartments at all the Polling
Stations - reg.**

Sir / Madam,

I am directed to say that the Commission has directed that the NVD Pledge also called the Voters' Pledge (copy enclosed) shall be compulsorily displayed inside the wall of every voting compartment at all Polling Stations.

2. The Pledge, in the local language, would be printed in normal Black on a white paper and pasted on the wall of the compartment facing the Voter so that the Voter can see it when he is inside the compartment to cast his vote. In addition, the pledge may be displayed close to the outside queue, where it can receive attention of voters.

Encl: Voters' Pledge

Yours Sincerely,

T.C.KOM

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UNDER SECRETARY

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मतदाताओं द्वारा ली जाने वाली शपथ

"हम, भारत के नागरिक, लोकतंत्र में अपनी पूर्ण आस्था रखते हुए यह शपथ लेते हैं कि हम अपने देश की लोकतांत्रिक परम्पराओं की मर्यादा को बनाए रखेंगे तथा स्वतंत्र, निष्पक्ष एवं शांतिपूर्ण निर्वाचन की गरिमा को अक्षुण्ण रखते हुए, निर्भीक होकर, धर्म, वर्ग, जाति, समुदाय, भाषा अथवा अन्य किसी भी प्रलोभन से प्रभावित हुए बिना सभी निर्वाचनों में अपने मताधिकार का प्रयोग करेंगे" ।

Voters' Pledge

“We, the citizens of India, having abiding faith in democracy, hereby pledge to uphold the democratic traditions of our country and the dignity of free, fair and peaceful elections, and to vote in every election fearlessly and without being influenced by considerations of religion, race, caste, community, language or any inducement”.