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Press Release

The Election Commission of India, in exercise of the powers under sub-section (1) of section 126A of the R.P. Act 1951, has notified the period between 7.00 A.M. on 7th April 2014 (Monday) and 06.30 P.M. on 12th May 2014 (Monday), as the period during which **conducting any exit poll** and publishing or publicizing by **means of the print or electronic media** or dissemination in any other manner whatsoever, **the result of any exit poll in connection with the current General Elections to the House of the People 2014** and the State Legislative Assemblies of Andhra Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh, Odisha and Sikkim – 2014 and by-elections from assembly constituencies in the State Legislative Assemblies of Bihar, Gujrat, Himachal Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Mizoram, Uttar Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and West Bengal to be held simultaneously with the general elections to Lok Sabha **shall be prohibited.**

It is further clarified that Section 126(1)(b) of the R.P. Act, 1951, displaying any election matter including **results of any opinion poll or any other poll survey, in any electronic media, would be prohibited during the period of 48 hours ending with the hours fixed for conclusion of poll in the respective polling areas** in connection with aforesaid General elections and by-elections.

TOTAL CASH SEIZURE TILL YESTERDAY Rs. 4.85 Crores

Today's Seizures:

1. Rs.16.49 lakhs seized in three houses of Hanur town in Kollegal Taluk, Chamarajanagar District. FIR Filed No.53/2014, 54/2014, 55/2014 against Vajeer Pasha s/o Ameersab, Anantha Padbanaba S/o

Venkataramashetty and Ravi s/o Sannegowda, Hannur Town, Chamarajanagar.

TOTAL CASH SEIZURE UPTO 05.04.2014 Rs. 5.01 crores.

OTHER ITEMS SEIZURE

Total Items worth Rs. 1.14 crores seized upto 03.04.2014

Today's seizures:

- Rs. 51 thousand illegal cash and 379 cotton sarees worth of Rs.2.51 lakhs seized in Therawada Checkpost, Hubli Taluk, Dharwad District. FIR filed against Manjunath Subash Dambal and Kottresh Prabhanna, Shirahatti.
- 162 cooking vessels having the photo of Narendra Modi appx of Rs. 4 thousand seized in Shahapur of Yadgiri District. FIR No. 95/2014, dt. 04.04.2014 against Shankar Kamble, Shahapur.
- 39 Sarees with photo of Narendra Modi appx of Rs.26 thousand seized in Shahapur of Yadgiri District. FIR No. 96/2014, dt. 04.04.2014 against Kantilal S/o of Tarasingh, Shahapur.
- Unaccounted Garments worth of Rs.50.00Lakhs transporting in Lorrey (KA-01-AB-1656) has been seized in Thippenahalli, Gowribidanur Taluk, Chickaballapur District.

TOTAL OTHER ITEMS SEIZURE UPTO 05.04.2014 Rs. 1.67 crores.

Liquor seizure 39658 liters worth Rs.2.12 Crores upto 04.04.2014

- 432 ltrs liquor, 226 ltrs Beer seized in Afzalpur taluk, Gulbarga District.
- 86 ltrs of liquor illegally stored by subash in Manvi taluk, Raichur District is seized.

40402 Ltrs LIQUOR SEIZED WORTH RS. 2.14CRORES UPTO 05.04.14

Model code of conduct violations abstract

1. Karnataka Prevention of Disfigurement Act- **31 Cases**
2. Misuse of Vehicle by Political Parties/Candidates- **24 Cases**
3. Taking Out Rallies/Procession without Permission- **26 Cases**
4. Distribution of Cash/Other Items- **334 Cases**
5. Any other cases violated to MCC – **521 Cases**

TOTAL MCC VIOLATION CASES BOOKED – 909 CASES