

Press Release

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Arrangements for counting in 243 ACs of Bihar on 08.11.2015

- There are 243 counting halls in 39 counting centres approved by the ECI. All counting centres are situated in the district headquarters (list enclosed). In Saharsa district, there are two counting centres separated by common road and in remaining 37 districts, there is one counting premise.
- 24 x 7 three tier security has been ensured on all counting centres with the inner cordon being manned by CAPF.
- CCTVs have been installed at all counting centres.
- 243 observers from ECI have been deployed to supervise the counting process.
- Training has been provided to all officials involved in the counting. State level refresher training has further been given to all District Election Officer-cum-District Magistrate, ROs, Dy. Eos, DIOs, IT Managers and other technical persons.
- Necessary infrastructure like computers, internet (Data cards) of at least two different Telecom Service Providers, Printers, Photocopiers, Standby generators, fire extinguishers etc. have been arranged at all counting centres.
- Media centre has been established at all counting centres with necessary facilities for communication.
- Randomization of officials for counting duties will be done under the supervision of ECI Observers as per the direction of ECI. Randomization software of NIC is ready for the purpose of randomization and printing of appointment letters.
- I-card to all officials / agents / candidates will be given as per ECI direction.
- Necessary arrangement has been done and training has been imparted to all concerned persons for uploading of data on Genesys and e-counting software of NIC.
- Trends/Results of counting will be displayed on website of CEO, Bihar and ECI on a regular basis.