

Press Release

Date 21.09.2015

1. As per the directions of the Election Commission of India and the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer in Bihar, raids against illicit liquor are being carried out for the effective management of the free and fair election in Bihar. Under this campaign today, total 24856 litres of illicit liquor and 5 (five) magazines were seized from Patna today. Further, 85 Kg of smack was seized from three persons carrying Rs 1,50,000/- in Aurangabad.

In a series of raids today, cash 67,000 (Nepali currency), 196 (Qatar currency), 10,000/- (Indonesian currency) 10 (Saudi Arabia currency), 20 (United Arab Emirates currency), 5/- (Bangladeshi currency), 1 (Malaysian currency) has been seized with arrest of Md. Salim (belonging to Dhanusa District) under Dewadha Police Station (Madhubani.)

Cash amounting to 1,00,000/- (Nepali currency) from District Sitamarhi and Rs. 8,25,555/- in Biramganj from District Rohtas has been recovered. The seized cash is under investigation by the Police and I-T department.

2. Following matters were registered under the Enforcement of the Model Code of Conduct today:

Defacement in Public Property (Wall Writing, Posters, Banners, Others)	14
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Defacement in Private Property (Wall Writing, Posters, Banners, Others)	7
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Misuse of Vehicle (Beacon, light, Flag)	10
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Violation of Loudspeaker Act	2
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3. Under the Law & Order following matters were reported today

No. of Arms/Weapons seized	11
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No. of cartridges seized	70
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No. of Licensed Arms verified	199
No. of Licensed Arms deposited	1065
No. of Licensed Arms cancelled	355
No. of non-bailable warrants executed	868
Fine collected in vehicle checking	Rs. 15,64,164

4. For the first phase of Bihar General Assembly Election – 2015, nominations have been filed for the Assembly Election today 21.09.2015 :

Name of District	Assembly Constituency No. and Name	No. of nomination filed today
1	2	3
Samastipur	131-Kalyanpu (SC)	1
	133-Samastipur	2
	134-Ujiarpur	2
	135-Morwa	2
	136-Sarairanjan	3
	137-Mouddinnagar	5
	138-Bibutipur	1
Begusarai	142-Bachawara	2
	143-Teghara	2
	144-Matihani	1
	145-Sahebpur Kamal	3
	146-Begusarai	2
	147-Bakhari (SC)	1
Khagaria	148-Aluali (SC)	2
	149-Khagaria	2
	150-Beldaur	2
	151-Parbatta	3

Bhagalpur	152-Bihpur	2
	153-Gopalpur	2
	154-Pirpaiti (SC)	2
	157-Sultanganj	2
	158-Nathnagar	1
Banka	159-Amarpur	3
	160-Dhoraiya (SC)	2
	161-Banka	1
	162-Katoria (ST)	1
	163-Belhar	1
Munger	164-Tarapur	2
	165-Munger	3
	166-Jamalpur	4
Lakhisarai	167-Suryagarha	3
	168-Lakhisarai	3
Sheikhpura	170-Barbigha	1
Nawada	235-Rajauli (SC)	1
	236-Hisua	2
	237-Nawada	1
	239-Barsaliganj	1
Jamui	241-Jamui	1
	242-Jhajha	2
	243-Chakai	4
Total		81

Therefore, total 99 nominations have been filed in first phase till today.

5. Notifications have been issued today dated 21.09.2015 in view of Bihar General Assembly Election -2015 for second phase of Districts, like, Kaimur (Bhabhua), Rohtas, Arwal, Jehanabad, Aurangabad and Gaya Districts for total 32 Assembly Constituency like, 230-Ramgarh, 204-Mohania (SC), 205-

Bhabhua, 206-Chainpur, 207-Chenari (SC), 208-Sasaram, 209-Karagahar, 210-Dinara, 211-Nokha, 212-Dehri, 213-Karakat, 214-Arwal, 215-Kurtha, 215-Jehanabad, 217-Ghosi, 218-Makhdumpur (SC), 219-Goh, 220-Obra, 221-Navinagar, 222-Kutumbha (SC), 223-Aurangabad, 224-Rafiganj, 225-Gurua, 226-Sheirghati, 227-Imamganj (SC), 228-Barachhatti (SC), 229-Bodh Gaya (SC), 230-Gaya Town, 231-Tekari, 232-Belaganj, 233-Atri and 234-Vazirganj. 28th September, 2015 is last date of filing the nomination, 29th September, 2015 for scrutiny, 1st October, 2015 for withdrawal from candidature and 16th October, 2015 for Polling date has been fixed for the aforesaid constituency.

6. **Important points related to Nomination**

- Notification may be submitted at the specified location for approval to the Asstt. Returning Officer authorized by the Returning Officer on the specified date by the Election Commission of India between 11 AM to 3 PM.
- Candidate must be 25 years of age to be eligible for nomination in the Assembly election.
- Candidate may be an elector of any Assembly constituency, but it is compulsory for the proposer to be the elector of the same constituency.
- Security deposit of Rs. 10,000/- (ten thousand) is fixed for the General Candidate while for Schedule Cast and Schedule Tribes, the security deposit is fixed for Rs. 5,000/- (five thousand).
- Performa 2 B is to be used for nomination of Assembly Election.
- While filling the Performa -2B, candidates are required to submit an affidavit regarding different matters pertaining to matters pending in the court, alleged matter, conviction, educational qualification, liabilities, alongwith Performa 26.
- Performa -26 must be fully filled. Returning Officer will serve the notice to the Candidate, if Performa -26 is partially filled in.
- One Proposer will be needed for National and State Level Party (6 National Parties and 4 State Level Parties in Bihar). For others, ten (10) nos. of Proposers will be required.
- Only 3 nos. of Vehicles will be allowed to enter under the periphery of 100 meter at the office of Returning Office at the time of nomination.
- At the time of nomination only five personnel alongwith Candidate may be present.
- All recognized and non-recognized political parties shall issue Form -A and B to their candidates based on which recognition may be given.
- Candidates belonging to the listed schedule cast and schedule tribes in Bihar may contest from the reserved constituency.
- Ballot papers shall be printed with the photographs of the candidates. As per direction of Election Commission, the candidate will submit the latest photo at the time of nomination before Returning Officer.

7. For the second phase of Bihar General Assembly Election – 2015, nominations have been filed for the Assembly Election today 21.09.2015:

Name of District	Assembly Constituency No. and Name	No. of nomination filed today
1	2	3
Kaimur	203-Ramgarh	1
Rohtas	211-Nokha	1
Jehanabad	218-Makhdumpur (SC)	1
Gaya	230-Gaya Town	1
Total		4

Therefore, till today, 4 nominations (in total) have been filed in second phase
