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C I R C U L A R

The “National Voter’s Day” will be celebrated on Wednesday, the 25th January, 2023, across the Country. This year the theme of the NVD celebrations is “Nothing like voting, I vote for sure”.

A function will be held in the open space of the Secretariat, Porvorim, wherein the Chief Secretary will read out the National Voters’ Day pledge at 11:00 a.m. on 25th January, 2023. All Officers and Staff Members of the Secretariat and the Ministerial Block are requested to be present at the aforesaid venue, date and time for the function.

As desired by the Commission, all the HODs/Offices/Autonomous Bodies/Corporations are requested to read out the National Voters’ Day pledge in their respective offices on the aforesaid date and time and to conduct any programs, as deemed fit for the function.,

Further, ECI song “Main Bharat Hoon” will be launched on the day of NVD, the link of which will be made available on ECI website (www.eci.gov.in & www.ecisveep.nic.in) from 1:00 p.m. on 25th January, 2023. The offices in the State Government Departments as well as the educational institutions are requested to play the song and upload the photographs on their social media handles using hashtag #MainBharatHoon, #VoteDeneJayenge.

(Shaila G. Bhosle)
Under Secretary (GA-II)

Encl: NVD pledge (Hindi & English).

To:-

1. All Secretaries to Government, Secretariat, Porvorim.
2. Secretary to Governor, Raj Bhavan, Dona Paula.
3. All Additional Secretaries /Joint Secretaries /Under Secretaries to Government, Secretariat, Porvorim-Goa.
4. O.S.D./ P.S. to Chief Minister/ Ministers/ Speaker/ Dy. Speaker/ Leader of Opposition.
5. All HODs/Offices/Autonomous Bodies/Corporations.
6. All the Departments in the Secretariat, Porvorim.

Copy to: -

1. The Director of Information and Publicity, Panaji, with a request to make necessary arrangements for TV and press coverage for the aforesaid function.
2. Shri. S.M. Godinho, Security Officer-cum-Housekeeper, Secretariat, Porvorim – with a request to make other required arrangements in the open space on 25/01/2023 for the function.
3. Office copy.



ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Pledge For National Voters' Day, 25th January 2023

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”.