

MOST IMMEDIATE
ELECTION MATTER

No. 19-2-2004-GAD/PART
Government of Goa,
General Admn. Deptt.,
Secretariat-Porvorim.

Dated: 27/12/2011

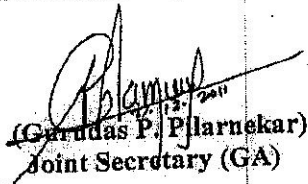
C I R C U L A R

Consequent to announcement by the Election Commission of India on 24.12.2011 to hold Legislative Assembly Elections in the State of Goa on 3rd March, 2012; the provisions of the Code of Conduct have come into force with immediate effect i.e., w.e.f. 24.12.2011(4.00 pm onwards) which will be in operation until Due Constitution Notifications constituting the new house is issued by the Commission.

Several complaints are being received by the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer, Altinho, Panaji, regarding conduct of interviews, issue of offer of appointment letters, issue of predated appointment orders to the candidates under direct recruitment process by the Heads of Departments. This is in violation of Code of Conduct for the General Elections to the Goa Legislative Assembly.

As per the Election Commission of India's Code of Conduct-Do's and Dont's No. 464/INST/2007-PLN-I dated 7.1.2007, "No appointments or promotions in Government/Public Undertakings shall be made during the aforesaid period, without prior clearance of the commission". Copy enclosed.

All Heads of Departments/Offices/Public Undertakings are therefore required to take note of the contents of this Circular for strict compliance.


(Garudas P. Pillarnekhar)
Joint Secretary (GA)

Enc: As above.

To,

- 1) All the Secretaries, Government of Goa..
- 2) All the Heads of Departments/Offices/Public Undertakings.
- 3) Office Copy.
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