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29<sup>th</sup> Pausa, 1944 (Saka)

**NOTIFICATION**

**No.52/2023/SDR/Vol.I.** – In pursuance of the provisions of clause (c) of Section-60 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, the Election Commission hereby specifies that the Covid-19 suspect or affected person, certified by competent authority, who applies for voting by postal ballot paper, and subject to verification of his request by the Returning Officer concerned, would be a class of persons to give vote by postal ballot in the ongoing **General Election to the Legislative Assemblies of Meghalaya, Nagaland and Tripura** to be notified under Section 30 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, as per the provisions in Part-III A of the Conduct of Elections Rules, 1961, as amended *vide* Ministry of Law & Justice, Government of India, Notification SO No.1964(E), dated 19<sup>th</sup> June, 2020 *read* with the directions and guidelines issued by the Election Commission on the subject.

**No.52/2023/SDR/Vol.I.** – In pursuance of the provisions of clause (c) of Section 60 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, the Election Commission hereby specifies that the elector above the age of 80 years and elector with physical disability (benchmark) as already marked/flagged in the data base of the electoral rolls of the State and, who requests for voting by postal ballot paper and subject to the verification of his request by Returning Officer concerned, would be a class of persons to give vote by postal ballot in the ongoing **General Election to the Legislative Assemblies of Meghalaya, Nagaland and Tripura**, to be notified under Section 30 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, as per the provisions in Part-III A of the Conduct of Elections Rules, 1961, as amended *vide* Ministry of Law & Justice, Government of India, Notification SO No.3786(E), dated 22<sup>nd</sup> October, 2019, and the directions and guidelines issued by the Election Commission, on the subject.

By order.

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