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**PANCHAYAT
 ELECTION URGENT**

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No. 1368(17)-SEC/6D-9/2010

Date : 03.06.2013

From : The O.S.D. & E.O.
 Joint Secretary,
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To : The District Panchayat Election Officer &
 District Magistrate, Cooch Behar / Jalpaiguri /
 Uttar Dinajpur / Dakshin Dinajpur / Malda /
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 South 24-Parganas / Howrah / Hooghly / Purba Medinipur /
 Paschim Medinipur / Purulia / Bankura / Burdwan / Birbhum.

**Sub.: Eligibility and ineligibility for candidature to the
 Panchayat General Elections, 2013.**

Sir/Madam,

In continuation of this Commission's letter No.1029(17)-SEC/6D-9/2010 dated.24.05.2013,
 I am directed to issue the following clarification in the matter as stated in the above noted subject.

(1)	Para Teacher & Staff and Gr.'B', Gr.'C' & Gr.'D' of College, Secondary & Higher Secondary Schools etc.	
Normally they are eligible to contest elections if there is no bar in their Service Regulations but Para Teachers and other categories of Staff of the purely Government Institution are not eligible.		
(2)	Chairman, District Primary School Council	- They are eligible only after they resign from the said post.
(3)	Guest Lecturer, Lecturer, Reader of Govt. aided colleges	- They are eligible to contest in election but if they are working in Govt. colleges they are not eligible to contest in elections.
(4)	Contractual Staff of P.R.I.	- They are eligible to contest as they are neither the employees of the State Govt. or the Panchayat.

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(5)	Civil Defense Volunteers	-	They are eligible to contest election if there is no bar in their Service Regulation.
(6)	S.S.K.-M.S.K.	-	They are eligible to contest election if there is no bar in their Regulation of Service.
(7)	Gram Panchayat Resource Persons (GRP), District Resource Person (DRP), related to SGSY	-	They are eligible if there is no bar in there regulation of Service.
(8)	Home Guard	-	They are not eligible to contest since they are the Govt. employees.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]
O.S.D. & E.O.
Joint Secretary,

West Bengal State Election Commission

Dt. 04/06/2013

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- 1-3) The A.D.M (G)/ADM (LR) & ADM (EP), Malda.
- 4-5) The S.D.O. (S)/Chanchal, Malda
- 6) The DIO, NIC, Malda. He is requested to arrange the above data for upload in the Dist. website.
- 7) The ofc, media cell & ofc. DDM, Malda.
- 8-22) The Block Dev. officer _____ (All) Dev. Block, Malda.
- 23-31) The President/Secretary _____ (All) Political Party, Malda.
- 32) The C.A. to the D.M, Malda.
- 33) Guard File of this section.

[Signature]
District Panchayat &
Rural Dev. Officer Malda
04/06/13