ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

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No.ECI/PN/19/2022 **Dated:10th February,2022**

PRESS NOTE

The Election Commission of India had announced the schedule for General Election to the Legislative Assembly of State of Manipur vide its press note dated 8th January, 2022. Accordingly, notification for the election had been issued on 1st February, 2022 for 1st Phase and 4th February, 2022 for 2nd Phase and poll is to take place on 27th February, 2022 and 3rd March, 2022, respectively.

The Commission recently visited Manipur on 7-8th, February to review election preparedness and held interaction with Political Parties, Chief Secretary, Director General of Police and other State level officers, Chief Electoral Officer, District Election Officers and Superintendents of Police, , Director General Assam Rifles and other Law Enforcement Agencies and other relevant stake holders. Various issues and ground situations were presented to the Commission during the visit.

The Commission, having considered inputs, representations, past precedent, logistics, ground situations and all facts and circumstances in the matter, has decided under Section 153 of Representation of the People Act, 1951 to **revise the dates of poll** of General Election to Legislative Assembly of Manipur as follows:

Phases	Notified Dates of Poll	Revised Dates of Poll
Phase-1	27th February, 2022 (Sunday)	28th February, 2022 (Monday)
Phase-2	3rd March, 2022 (Thursday)	5th March, 2022 (Saturday)

(SANJEEV KUMAR PRASAD)
SECRETARY