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Bengaluru, Thursday, May 10, 2018 (Vyashaka 20, Shaka Varsha 1940)

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PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS SECRETARIAT **NOTIFICATION**

No. DPAR 108 CHUVISA 2018, Bengaluru, Dated: 10th May, 2018.

The following Notification No.576/EXIT/ECI/LET/FUNC /JUD/SDR/2018/ Vol-II, dated: 2nd May, 2018, of the Election Commission of India is republished hereunder for general information:

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001

No. 576/EXIT/ECI/LET/FUNC/JUD/SDR/2018/Vol-II

Dated: 2nd May, 2018

NOTIFICATION

Whereas, the schedule for the General Election to the Legislative Assembly of Karnataka has been announced by the Commission vide Press Note No. ECI/PN/22/2018, dated 27th March, 2018;

- Whereas, as per the schedule so announced by the Commission, poll for the election in the State of Karnataka is to be taken on 12.05.2018 (SAT); and
- Whereas, as per the provisions of Section 126A of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, there shall be restrictions on conduct of any exit poll and publication and dissemination of result of such exit poll during such period, as may be notified by the Election Commission in this regard;
- Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers under sub-Section (1) of section 126A of the R.P. Act, 1951, the Election Commission, having regard to the provisions of sub-Section (2)(b) of the said Section, hereby notifies the period between 7.00 A.M and 6.30 P.M on 12-05-2018 (Saturday), as the period during which conducting any exit poll and publishing or publicizing by means of the print or electronic media or dissemination in any other manner whatsoever, the result of any Exit Poll in connection with the current General Election to the Legislative Assembly of Karnataka announced vide the Commission's Press Note No. ECI/PN/22/2018, dated: 27th March, 2018, shall be prohibited.
- It is further clarified that under Section 126(1)(b) of the R.P. Act, 1951, displaying any election matter including results of any opinion poll or any other poll survey, in any electronic media, would be prohibited during the period of 48 hours ending with the hour fixed for conclusion of poll in each of the phases in connection with the aforesaid General election.

By order,

(N.T.BHUTIA) Secretary

(S.N. RAMAKRISHNA)

Assistant Chief Electoral Officer and Ex-officio Under Secretary to Government, DPAR (Elections).