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No. 3969-SEC/1M-20/2013

Date : 26.10.2013

From : The Secretary,
West Bengal State Election Commission

To : The Director General &
Inspector General of Police,
West Bengal,
Writers' Buildings,
Kolkata- 700 001.

Sub.: Restrictions on movement of political functionaries provided with security on the day of Poll etc.

Sir,

I am directed to state that, this Commission has been issuing instructions from time to time to ensure free & fair elections. It is felt that movement of political functionaries who have been provided with security by the State may sometime be construed to be wielding undue influence on some sections of the electorate at the time of elections.

The Commission has further decided that the political functionaries shall not be allowed to remain present in the constituencies in which they are not electors after the period of campaign is over.

Moreover, on the day of poll, the movement of political functionaries having Security cover shall be restricted in respect of his/her visit to his/her allotted polling station, for casting vote and leaving the polling station immediately thereafter. He/She cannot freely move around the constituency on the day of poll. This instruction shall however, not be applicable to the contesting candidates.

You are requested to apprise all concerned about the above restriction for guidance.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/
Secretary,
West Bengal State Election Commission

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1. District Municipal Election Officer for Kolkata Municipal Corporation & District Magistrate, South 24-Parganas.
2. District Municipal Election Officer & District Magistrate, Cooch Behar / Jalpaiguri / Darjeeling / North 24-Parganas / South 24-Parganas / Howrah / Hooghly / Purba Medinipur / Paschim Medinipur/ Burdwan/ Purulia / Bankura / Murshidabad / Nadia.
3. Commissioner of Police, Police Commissionerate, Howrah / Siliguri / Bidhannagar / Kolkata .
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Sd/

O.S.D. & E.O. Joint Secretary,
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