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#### **NOTIFICATION**

Imphal, the 19th January, 2022

Subject: Publication of criminal antecedents by political parties and candidates

No.COE-101/1/2021-ELEC-PP: In pursuance of Para No.5(b) of the "Guidelines of Election Commission of India on publicity of criminal antecedents by political parties and candidates", January, 2022 Edition, the following local newspapers/TV channels are hereby notified for publication of criminal antecedents in **Format C1 by candidates** having criminal antecedents and Format C2 by Political parties setting up such candidates.

#### Local newspapers

- a) Sangai Express (Manipuri)
- b) Poknapham
- c) Manipur Chronicle
- d) Manipur Express
- e) Sangai Express (English)
- f) Hueiyen Lanpao (Manipuri)
- g) Lamka Post

## **Local TV Channels**

- a) ISTV
- b) Impact TV
- c) TOM TV

Further, political parties shall publish information regarding individuals with pending criminal cases, who have been selected as candidates, along with reasons for such selection, as also to why other individuals without criminal antecedents could not be selected as candidates in Format C7 in the following national papers in addition to publication in local newspapers indicated in Para 1, websites and social media accounts of political parties.

#### **National Papers**

- a) Hindu (Kolkata Edition)
- b) Times of India (Guwahati Edition)

(Raiesh Agrawal)

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### Copy to:

- 1. All District Election Officers/Returning Officers
- 2. President/Secretary, All recognised/unrecognised political parties
- 3. All intending candidates
- 4. Notice Board
- 5. Relevant File/Guard File

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