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# ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001

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Dated: 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2019

To,

The Chief Electoral Officers of  
All States and Union Territories

Sub: Color of envelopes in Form 13B and Form 13C appended to Conduct of Elections Rules, 1961-regarding.

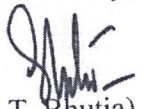
Sir,

I am directed to invite reference to the e-mail dated 26.02.2019 regarding Chief Electoral Officers to furnish to the Record/Unit offices blank envelopes for them to use the same for the service voters in various units for the Electronically Transmitted Postal Ballot Papers (ETPBs). There is no need to print the name of the State on such envelopes or any other particulars. Further, in cases where envelopes already printed contains description such as "Postal Ballot Paper", description of Form, etc., they may also be used for supplying to the Units.

2. A question has been raised about the colour of such envelopes and also about cases where envelopes with description such as "Form 13C", Form 13B", "Postal Ballots" already printed. It is clarified that such envelopes should be of white colour. However, if envelopes have been printed in any other colour, they can be used and it is not necessary to print afresh in white colour

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours faithfully,

  
(N.T. Bhutia)  
Secretary


Copy to:- Director(IT)

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Endt. on ECI-144/162/19 dated, 18.03.2019

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material management and Nodal officer for Ballot  
Paper for information.

Chief Electoral Officer, Andhra Pradesh

  
Dy. Chief Electoral Officer (K. K. K. K.)