

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (ELECTIONS.E) DEPARTMENT

**CLARIFICATION**

In response to queries from certain quarters regarding the eligibility of a person for enrolment in a graduate constituency is clarified as follows:

A person who has been for at least 3 years before the qualifying date (1.11.2006) a graduate of any University in the territory of India or has been in possession of equivalent qualifications listed in G.O.Ms.No.536, G.A.(Elecs.F) Dept., dt.18.09.2006 (circulated to all Electoral Registration Officers, Asst.Electoral Registration Officers and posted on the web site <http://www.ceoandhra.nic.in.>) and is ordinarily resident within the Constituency is entitled to be registered in a graduates' constituency.

As regards eligibility of a person for enrolment in Teachers Constituency, it is clarified as follows:

A person shall be entitled to be registered as elector in a Teachers' Constituency, if (a) he has been engaged in teaching, within the six years immediately before the qualifying date (1.11.2006), for a total period of three years, (b) he has been so engaged in teaching for the said period in any of educational institutions not lower in standard than that of secondary school, (c) is ordinarily resident within the territorial extent of the Teachers' Constituency in which he seeks enrolment.

State Government have notified the list of educational institutions not lower in standard than that of a secondary school in G.O.Ms.No.537, G.A.(Elecs.F) Dept., dt. 28.09.2006 (circulated to all Electoral Registration Officers, Asst.Electoral Registration Officers and posted on the web site <http://www.ceoandhra.nic.in.>)

Certain reports have been received that some EROs / AEROs / Designated Officers are insisting on submission of residential proof of the applicants. It is clarified that there is no need to submit the residential proof along with the applications, but they have to submit proof of educational qualification in respect of graduate constituency and certificate issued by the Head of the Institution in respect of Teacher Constituency. The Designated Officers shall do the supervisory checks with regard to status of ordinary resident of any elector during the period of disposal of claims and objections.

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