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GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

(Elections-F)

CURTAILMENT OF OFFICE OF MEMBERS UPON THE FIRST CONSTITUTION OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL IN ANDHRA PRADESH.

[G.O. Ms. No. 493, General Administration (Elections. F), 12th July, 2007.]

- Read the following:-
1. Lr. No. 744/Elections F/2007-4, Dated 11-6-2007
 2. ECI Lr. No. 322/AP/LC/2007-PLN-III/2478, Dated 3-7-2007.

In pursuance of sub-section (1) of Section 156 of the Representation of People Act, 1951, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh after consultation with Election Commission of India hereby makes the following order:

- (1) This Order may be called the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Council (Curtilment of terms of Office of Members) Order, 2007.
- (2) It shall come into force at once.
- (3) The words "notified date" in this order shall mean,-
 - (a) 2-5-2007 for members in category 2 (b) in the Table in Para 2 below.
 - (b) 30-3-2007 for all other members in the rest of the categories in the Table in Para 2 below.

2. The term of Office of Members of the A.P. Legislative Council elected from the following Constituencies and nominated by the Governor shall be determined by lot as per the following table.

Sl. No.	Constituencies	No. of Members	2 Years Term	4 Years Term	6 Years Term
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
(1)	Elected by MLAs	31	11	10	10
(2)	Elected by Members of Local Authorities	28	10	9	9
	(a) 5 Members (notified on 30-3-2007)	5	1	2	2
	(b) 23 Members (notified on 2-5-2007)	23	9	7	7
(3)	Elected by Teachers	8	2	3	3
(4)	Elected by Graduates	8	2	3	3
(5)	Nominated by Governor	12	4	4	4
	Total	87	29	29	29

3. Of the 31 Members, elected by Members of Legislative Assembly of Andhra Pradesh, the term of Office of such 11 members as may be determined by lot, shall expire after a term of 2 years from the notified date; that of such 10 other Members as may be determined by lot shall expire after a term of 4 years from the notified date and that of 10 remaining members shall expire after a term of 6 years from the notified date.

4. Of the 5 Members elected by the local Authority Constituencies under item 2(a) in Para 2 above, the term of office of one such member as may be determined by lot, shall expire after 2 years from the notified date; that of such 2 other members as may be determined by lot shall expire after a term of 4 years from the notified date and the term of office of the remaining 2 members shall expire after 6 years from the notified date.

5. Of the 23 Members elected by the Local Authority Constituencies under item 2(b) in Para 2 above, the term of office of 9 members as may be determined by lot shall expire after 2 years from the notified date; that of such 7 other members as may be determined by lot shall expire after a term of 4 years from the notified date and the term of office of the remaining 7 members shall expire after 6 years from the notified date.

6. Of the 8 Members elected by the Teachers Constituencies, the term of office of such 2 members as may be determined by lot shall expire after 2 years from the notified date; that of such 3 other members as may be determined by lot shall expire after 4 years from the notified date and the term of office of the remaining 3 members shall expire after 6 years from the notified date.

7. Of the 8 Members elected by the Graduates Constituencies, the terms of office of such 2 members as may be determined by lot shall expire after 2 years from the notified date; that of such 3 other members as may be determined by lot shall expire after 4 years from the notified date, the term of Office of the remaining 3 members shall expire after 6 years from the notified date.

8. Of the 12 Members nominated by the Governor, the term of Office of such 4 members as may be determined by lot shall expire after 2 years from the notified date, the term of office of 4 such other members as may be determined by lot shall expire after 4 years from the notified date and the term of office of the remaining 4 members shall expire after 6 years from the notified date.

9. The lots referred to in Paragraph 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 above shall be drawn in public in presence of a Secretary of the Election Commission of India by the Secretary, A.P. State Legislature at such time and place as he may notify in the official Gazette.

10. The Secretary of the A.P. State Legislature shall cause to be published in the official Gazette a statement showing the term of office of Members as determined under this order.

11. Elections to 3 seats from the Local Authorities Constituencies have been deferred. These include 2 Members in the Hyderabad Local Authorities Constituency and 1 member in Ranga Reddy Local Authorities Constituency. The procedure for curtailing the term of office of these members will be determined after the election of these 3 members is notified under Section 74 of the Representation of Peoples Act, 1951.

J. HARINARAYAN,
Chief Secretary to Government.

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