

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi - 110001.

Dated: 1st April, 2013
Chaitra 11, 1935 (Saka)

NOTIFICATION

No. 100/CS-MEGH/2/2013 (1) :- WHEREAS, the seat of Shri Thomas Sangma in the Council of States, elected by the elected members of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Meghalaya, has become vacant on 4th February, 2013 by the reason of his resignation, before the expiration of his term of office which was up to and including the 12th April, 2014; and

WHEREAS, a bye-election is to be held for the purpose of filling the vacancy so caused;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of section 147, sub-section (1) of section 39 and section 56 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), the Election Commission of India hereby-

- (A) **calls upon** the elected members of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Meghalaya to elect, before 22nd April, 2013 (Monday), and in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the rules and orders made thereunder, a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy in the Council of States;
- (B) **appoints**, with respect to the said election, ,
- (a) the 8th April, 2013 (Monday), as the last date for making nominations;
 - (b) the 9th April, 2013 (Tuesday), as the date for the scrutiny of the nominations;
 - (c) the 11th April, 2013 (Thursday), as the last date for the withdrawal of candidatures;
 - (d) the 18th April, 2013 (Thursday), as the date on which a poll shall, if necessary, be taken; and
 - (e) the 22nd April, 2013 (Monday), as the date before which the election shall be completed; and
- (C) **fixes the hours** from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M., as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary, be taken on the date specified above for the election.

By order,



(K. N. Bhargava)
Secretary to the

Election Commission of India