

**PANCHAYAT
ELECTION URGENT**

**WEST BENGAL STATE ELECTION COMMISSION
18, SAROJINI NAIDU SARANI
(Rawdon Street),
KOLKATA-700 017**

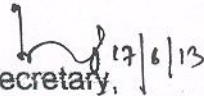
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On being satisfied that the counting of votes can more conveniently be done centrally instead of at the polling stations immediately after the close of the poll, the State Election Commissioner, West Bengal in consultation with the State Govt. hereby orders, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 73 of the West Bengal Panchayat Elections Act, 2003 read with Rule 96(1) of the West Bengal Panchayat Elections Rules, 2006, that the used and sealed ballot boxes and other records and materials of all polling stations where Panchayat elections scheduled to be held on 2nd, 6th and 9th July, 2013 shall be brought to a place or places as may be appointed by the Panchayat Returning Officers concerned for safe custody and for counting of votes on such date and at such hour as may be appointed by the Panchayat Returning Officers concerned.

By order of
State Election Commissioner
West Bengal State Election Commission


Secretary,

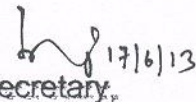
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Panchayat Returning Officers may be advised accordingly.


Secretary,

West Bengal State Election Commission