



KURUKSHETRA UNIVERSITY KURUKSHETRA
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NOTIFICATION

In reference to letter no. E-1069345/190/190(Govt.Emp)/HVS-Elec-2024/2AE-8427 dated 28.08.2024 from the Chief Electoral Officer, Haryana, along with its enclosures received through the Chief Secretary’s office, Election Branch, Haryana Government (Endst. No. 8/76/2024-1Election dated 28.08.2024), all university employees are hereby required to strictly comply with the legal provisions outlined in Sections 129 and 134A of the Representation of People Act, 1951, as well as Rule 9 of the Haryana Civil Services (Government Employees’ Conduct) Rules, 2016.

For immediate attention and strict adherence, Rule 9 of the Haryana Civil Services (Government Employees’ Conduct) Rules, 2016 is reproduced below:

“9. Taking part in politics and elections.-

- (1) No Government employees shall be a member of, or be otherwise associated with, any political party or any organization, which takes part in politics, nor shall take part in, or subscribe in aid of, or assist in any other manner, any political movement or activity.
- (2) It shall be the duty of every Government employee to endeavour to prevent any member of his family from taking part in or subscribing in aid of or assisting in any other manner, any movement of, activity which is, or tends directly or indirectly to be subversive of the Government as by law established, and where a Government employee is unable to prevent member of his family from taking part in or subscribing in aid of, or assisting in any other manner, any such movement of activity, he shall make a report to that effect to the Government.
- (3) If any question arises whether a party is a political party or whether any organization takes part in politics or whether any movement or activity fall within the scope of sub-rule (2), the decision of the Government thereon shall be final.
- (4) **No Government employee shall canvass** or otherwise interfere with, or use his influence in connection with or take part in, an election to any legislature or local authority:

Provided that a Government employee—

- (a) qualified to vote at such election may exercise his right to vote, but where he does so, he shall give no indication of the manner in which he proposes to vote or has voted;
- (b) shall not be deemed to have contravened the provisions of this sub-rule by reason only that he has assisted in the conduct of an election in the due performance of a duty imposed on him by or under any law for the time being in force.

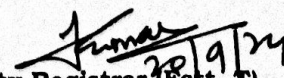
Explanation.— The display by a Government employee on his person, vehicle or residence of any electoral symbol shall amount to using his influence in connection with an election, within the meaning of this sub-rule.”

All University employees are directed to strictly adhere to this rule. Any violation will be viewed seriously and may attract disciplinary action as per the rules.

Endst. No. ET-10/24/ 9036-9/05 Dated 20.9.24

Registrar

A copy of the above is forwarded to all the Deans of the Faculty/ All Heads of the Departments/Institutes/ Branches/Offices for information and necessary action.


Deputy Registrar (Estt.-I)
for Registrar