

Office of the Chief Electoral Officer TELANGANA

Press Release

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Special Summary Revision of Electoral Rolls, 2019

Special summary revision of electoral rolls, 2019, will commence in all the 119 Assembly constituencies in Telangana from September 1, 2018.

The draft electoral rolls are published and copies are put up in the offices of Electoral Registration Officers / Assistant Electoral Registration Officers, to enable voters to verify their entries. The published draft rolls are available on the website of the Chief Electoral Officer, Telangana (<http://ceotelangana.nic.in>). All electors are requested to confirm their names in the rolls.

New electors who will complete the age of 18 years as on January 1, 2019 (those born before January 1, 2001), can submit Form 6 for inclusion of their names. Indian citizens living abroad can submit Form 6A for inclusion of their names. Form 7 has to be submitted for deletion of names. Electors can apply for correction in name by submitting Form-8 and those who have shifted residence within Assembly constituency can submit Form 8A for address change.

The electors can file their claims and objections from September 1, 2018 to October 31, 2018.

Schedule

Publication of Integrated Draft Electoral Roll	September 1, 2018
Filing Claims & Objections	September 1, 2018 to October 31, 2018
Disposal of Claims & Objections	November 30, 2018

Eligibility

Indian citizens who have attained the age of 18 years on or before 1st of January 2019 (i.e., born on or before 31-12-2000) and are ordinary residents in the area where they seek registration.

Possession of Electors Photo Identity Card (EPIC) is not sufficient to enable you to vote. You must be registered in the electoral roll in the place where you are residing.

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Place where photo electoral roll is available for perusal

Photo Electoral Rolls are displayed at the offices of the Electoral Registration Officers and the Assistant Electoral Registration Officers, i.e. the offices of the Revenue Divisional Officers, Municipal Commissioners, Mandal Tahsildars and in the Zonal Offices. The Electoral Rolls are also displayed at the Polling Station locations.

Copy of relevant Parts of the electoral roll will be given to Residents' Welfare Associations in urban areas and Grama Sabhas in rural areas.

Names can also be searched at Chief Electoral Officer's website: <http://ceotelangana.nic.in>

Forms

For inclusion for the first time (i.e., if you are not registered anywhere) or in case of shifting from one Assembly Constituency to another AC	Form 6
For inclusion of name of an Indian citizen living abroad	Form 6A
For deletion	Form 7
For correction of entries like name, age, sex, relation type, or image etc	Form 8
For shifting of residence within the same Assembly Constituency	Form 8A

Forms can be obtained from the designated centers or downloaded free of cost from <http://ceotelangana.nic.in>

Filing of Applications:

Applications in the appropriate forms can be filled up and filed at the designated centres (normally the polling station of your area) with Booth Level Officer, Assistant Electoral Registration Officer or Electoral Registration Officer. Online filing is also possible by going to the website <https://www.nvsp.in> (National Voters' Service Portal).

Note:

(1) Except for those seeking registration for the first time (applicants in age-group 18-24), all other applicants must furnish their old address and EPIC number. If they have not shifted, they must indicate that they have been residing continuously in the present address for so many years and that they could not apply earlier or their name got omitted to be included in the current draft electoral roll.

(2) It will be presumed that all persons other than those applying for registration for the first time possess EPIC. EPIC once issued is valid throughout the country even if a person shifts from one place to another. If your name is already in Roll, but you have lost/misplaced your EPIC then you may apply at any time in the Mandal Office/ Zonal Office in Form 00I.

(3) Any person who seeks to register himself in more than one place or furnishes false information is liable for criminal action with reference to the provisions of Section 31 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.

(4) For evidence of age, a photo-copy of birth certificate or school certificate or passport may be filed. For proof of residence, photo-copy of either of the following may be filed.

- (i) Bank / Kisan / Post Office current Pass Book, or
- (ii) Applicant's Ration Card / Passport / Driving License / Income Tax Assessment Order, or
- (iii) Latest Water / Telephone / Electricity / Gas Connection Bill for that address, either in the name of the applicant or that of his / her immediate relation like parents etc., or
- (iv) Postal department's posts received / delivered in the applicant's name at the given address.
- (v) Rental agreement
- (vi) Aadhaar Letter issued by UIDAI

(5) Overseas electors: For inclusion of Indian citizens living abroad, Form 6A should be submitted directly to the Electoral Registration Officer concerned or sent by post to the Electoral Registration Officer. If Form 6A is submitted in person before the ERO, the application should be accompanied by a photo copy of the relevant pages of the passport containing the photograph and all other particulars of the applicant and the page containing the valid visa endorsement. The original passport will be verified by the ERO and returned immediately after verification. Therefore, filled in Form 6A, if presented in person, will not be received at the Designated Centers and will be received only at ERO's office. If the Form 6A is sent by post, it should be accompanied by a photocopy of the passport duly self-attested.

(6) Booth Level Officer (BLO) will be visiting the house for verification of the details in the application before the ERO passes orders.

(7) The list of claims and objections will be published on the website of Chief Electoral Officer. Objections can be raised before the respective Electoral Registration Officers based on this list.

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