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To

All the Principals/Headmasters,  
Govt. Senior Secondary Schools/Govt. High Schools,  
In District Kangra (H.P.)

**Subject: Regarding temporary deputation of teachers in Single Teacher Schools during Panchayati Raj Election Duty.**

Sir/Madam,

In continuation to the directions issued by the Office of District Election Officer (Panchayat)-cum-Deputy Commissioner, Kangra at Dharamshala vide letter No. Panch/KGR/Election/2026-2386-2387 dated 07.05.2026 regarding conduct of Elections to Panchayati Raj Institutions scheduled on 26th May, 28th May and 30th May, 2026, it has been observed that a large number of teachers have been deputed for election duties.

Due to the deputation of teachers for election duty, several single teacher schools are likely to remain unattended during the election period, which may adversely affect academic activities and the safety of students.

It is further observed that in some cases all the teachers of a school have been deputed for election duty, resulting in such schools becoming teacher-less during the election period.

Therefore, all the Principals/Headmasters are hereby directed to make temporary arrangement by deputing suitable teacher(s), wherever required, from nearby schools to such single teacher schools during the Panchayat Election duty period, so that teaching-learning activities continue smoothly and students do not face any inconvenience.

In all such cases where all the teachers of a school have been deputed for election duty, the concerned Principal of the Complex School shall ensure temporary deputation of at least one suitable teacher from any other school under the concerned complex so that the functioning of the school remains uninterrupted.

In case the number of available teachers is less than the number of schools rendered teacher-less due to election duty, the concerned Principal shall personally contact the concerned Block Development Office/Sub Divisional Magistrate Office and intimate the shortage of staff in writing.



Further, all the Principals/Headmasters shall ensure that no school remains closed or teacher-less during the election period under any circumstances.

**This matter may be treated as most urgent and top priority being election matter.**

  
**Deputy Director of School Education, Secondary  
Kangra at Dharamshala**

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