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NOTIFICATION

Imphal, the 24th September, 1997

No. 4/32/96-Jud/L.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-section (1) and clause (iv) of sub-section (2) of section 109 read with sub-section (2) of section 14 of the Wakf Act, 1995 (No. 43 of 95), the Governor of Manipur is pleased to make the following rules relating to conduct of election of members of the Manipur State Wakf Board is hereby published in the Manipur Gazette.

2. This notification shall come into force from the date of publication in the Official Gazette.

L. IBOMCHA SINGH,

Secretary to the Govt. of Manipur.

THE MANIPUR WAKF BOARD (CONDUCT OF ELECTION) RULES, 1997

PART I

PRELIMINARY

1. Short Title.—These rules may be called the Manipur Wakf Board (Conduct of Election) Rules, 1997.

2. Definitions.—In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires:

- (a) 'Act' means the Wakf Act, 1997.
- (b) 'Electoral roll' means the separate list of members of each of the four electoral colleges specified in Clauses (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv) of section 14 (1) (b) of the Act;
- (c) 'Ballot Box' includes any box, bag or other receptacle used for the insertion of ballot papers by voters;
- (d) 'Election' means an election to fill a vacancy in the office of the members of the Manipur State Wakf Board, under clauses (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv) of section 14(1) (b) of the Act;
- (e) 'Election Authority' means the Secretary Law, Government of Manipur.
- (f) 'Election Officer' means any officer authorised or appointed by the Election Authority to do any act or to perform any function in connection with the conduct of elections under these Rules;
- (g) 'Count' means—all the operations involved in the counting of the votes recorded for candidates.

*amended
in 2004 by
Secy (Wakf)*

Explanations

The Election Authority may appoint one or more persons, who shall be an Officer or Officers of the Government, as Assistant Election Officer or Officers, to assist the Election Officer in the performance of his/their functions and every Assistant Election Officer so appointed shall be competent to perform all or any of the functions of the Election Officer subject to the control of the Election Officer and the expression Election Officer shall be deemed to include such Assistant Election Officer also.

- (h) 'Elector' in relation to an election to any category of Member of Board means any person whose name is specified in the electoral of that category unless disqualified by the Election Officers;
- (i) 'Form' means a form appended to these Rules;
- (j) 'Section' means a section of the Wakf Act, 1995;
- (k) 'Board,' means the Wakf Board, Manipur.

PART II

ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE MANIPUR STATE WAKF BOARD

3. Administrative machinery for the conduct of Elections.—(1) The Secretary to Government, Law & Legislative Department, Government of Manipur shall be the Election Authority for purpose of conduct of elections under the Act.

The Superintendence, direction, control and conduct of election of Members of the Manipur State Wakf Board under Section 14 (1) (b) of the said Act in ordinary vacancies and casual vacancies shall be his responsibility. The Joint/Deputy Secretary to Government, Law & Legislative Affairs Department shall be the Joint/Deputy Election Authority for purpose of conduct of elections under the said Act. The functions of the election authority under these rules may also be performed unless specifically otherwise provided by the Joint/Deputy Election Authority.

(2) Election Authority shall designate or nominate an Election Officer, who shall as far as possible be a Gazetted Officer of the State Government.

(3) The Election Authority may appoint one or more persons as Asst. Election Officers to assist the Election Officer.

Provided that the Assistant Election Officer shall be the Officer of the State Government.

(4) Every Assistant Election Officer shall be competent to perform all or any of the functions of the Election Officer subject to the control of the Election Officer.

(5) No Assistant Election Officer shall perform any functions of the Election Officer which relates to the scrutiny of nominations unless the Election Officer is unavoidably prevented from performing the said functions.

4. Electoral Roll.—(1) The Election Authority shall obtain the list of persons eligible to vote in the categories (1), (ii), (iii) and (iv) of section 14 (1) (b) of the Act, from the Officers specified in sub-rule (2) below, and the list of such persons subject to any modification as per rule 5 below, shall form the Electoral College for that category and the persons whose name finds place in the list shall be the electors for that category of members.

(2) the lists shall be obtained (a) for category 14 (1) (b) (i) from the Secretary, Manipur Legislative Assembly.

(b) for category 14 (1) (b) (ii) from the Secretary, Manipur Legislative Assembly.

(c) for category 14 (1) (b) (iii) from the Secretary Bar council of Assam Nagaland, Manipur.

(d) for category 14 (1) (b) (iv) from the Secretary, Manipur Wakf Board.

5. For the purpose of preparing the Electoral roll under clause (d) of rule 4, which shall constitute the electoral college, the Chief Executive Officer-cum-Secretary of the Wakf Board shall give one week time to the Mutawalli, or as the case may be, to the Managing Committee to elect :—

(i) one from among themselves to be the representative of such Wakf institution in case where a Wakf institution is having more than one Mutawalli ; and

(ii) one office bearer of such committee as the representative of such wakf institution in case a Wakf institution is being administered by a Managing Committee.

Provided that if the wakf institution fails to so elect and communicate to the Chief Executive Officer-cum Secretary, the senior Mutawalli in the case of a wakf institution having more than one Mutawalli and the President of the Managing Committee where wakf institution is being administered by such committee shall be deemed to have been selected; and the same shall be incorporated in the electoral roll for the purpose of constituting the electoral college.

6. Displaying of lists.—The lists obtained under rule 4 above, shall be displayed on the Notice Boards of Election Authority and in the Office of the Wakf Board, not less than seven days before the notified date of election under rule 8 (2).

7. Filing of objections.—(1) Any person aggrieved by such publications may file the objection petition before the Election Authority within four days of such publication, for addition, deletion or modification of any name.

(2) The Election Authority after going through the objection petition, and after obtaining any further information from any source, as he may deem fit and after giving personal hearing to the objection petitioner or to any other person, if he feels necessary shall pass orders on the objection petition.

(3) In the light of the orders passed under sub-rule (2) above, if the electoral roll requires any modification, the election authority, after incorporating such modification, shall publish the final electoral roll not less than two days before the date of election notified under rule 8(2) and such electoral roll shall be final and conclusive lists of electors for election notified under rule 8(2).

8. Public notice of intended election.— (1) After the commencement of the Act an ordinary election for the constitution of Manipur State Wakf Board under section 14 (2) shall be conducted to elect the Members in categories (i) to (iv) under Section 14(k)(b) of the Act and on the expiration of the term of the Wakf Board or on its supersession or dissolution under section 99 of the Act or for filling up of any casual vacancy caused in a particular category under section 16 or section 64 of the Act, as the case may be.

(2) For the above purpose the Election Authority shall subject to such directions as may be issued by the Government in this behalf by notification in Form I Published in the Official Gazette, call upon, on such date or dates as may be specified therein, to elect members of the Manipur Wakf Board in accordance with the provisions of the Act, the rules made thereunder.

(3) The notification shall specify the last date for making nominations, the date for scrutiny of nominations, the last date for withdrawal of the candidature, the date or dates on which and the time during which the poll shall, if necessary, be held.

(4) On the issue of the notification the Election Officer shall give public notice of the intended elections for the Manipur Wakf Board in Form II in English, Manipuri and Urdu languages which shall be published in such manner as the Election Officer thinks fit.

9. A Special Election Programme.—Notwithstanding anything contained in these rules, where the election process is interrupted or the election programme has to be altered on account of the orders of any Court of Law or for other varied reasons to be recorded in writing, it shall be competent for the Election Authority either generally or in respect of specified category/categories of Members to alter the election programme notified under sub-rule (2) of rule 8 and re-notify the election programme as he deems fit in the circumstances of the case without having regard to the guidelines mentioned in sub-rule (5) of rule 8 and the election officer shall give effect to the same—Provided that where the election programme is re-notified under this rule commencing from the making of nominations, the nominations already made shall be disregarded.

10. Nomination of candidates.—(1) Any person/persons may be nominated as a candidate to fill the Office of Member/Member of the Manipur State Wakf Board if he/they is/are qualified to be chosen to fill the seat/seats under the provisions of the Act. Every nomination paper shall be in Form III. This shall be presented on or before the date appointed, by the candidate or by his proposer in person, between the hours specified, to the Election Officer at the place specified, and signed by the candidate and in case of nomination being filed by the proposer, signed by the candidate and the proposer. The candidate shall sign the declaration on the nomination paper expressing his willingness to stand for the election.

(2) (a) A candidate for the office of Member of Wakf Board from any of the categories specified in section 14(1)(b) shall be a person whose name is registered in the electoral roll of that category.

(b) Each candidate shall be nominated on a separate nomination paper.

(c) A candidate may be nominated for more than one categories specified in section 14(1)(b).

11. Presentation of nomination paper and requirements of valid nomination.—(1) On receiving the nomination paper, the Election Officer shall forthwith number the nomination paper serially in the order in which it is presented and give a receipt as provided in Form IV. The Election Officer or such other authorised person shall satisfy himself that the name and number of the candidate and his proposer, as entered in the nomination paper, are the same as those entered in the electoral roll, wherever necessary, he shall direct that the nomination form be amended so as to be in accordance with the electoral roll.

(2) The Election Officer may while interpreting and entry in the electoral roll overlook merely clerical or printing errors, but he shall record the interpretation adopted by him, together with the reasons therefore, while making the formal acceptance or rejection or scrutiny of a nomination.

12. Publication of nominations received.—Immediately expiration of the time specified for receipt of the nomination papers on the dates fixed for that purpose, the Election Officer or such other authorised person shall publish at his Office in English and Manipuri languages a list in Form (V) of all the nomination received, with a notice that the nomination papers will be taken up by the Election Officer for scrutiny at the specified place, the date and the time.

13. Scrutiny of nomination papers.—(1) On the date appointed for scrutiny of the nominations, the candidates, the proposer of each candidate and one other person duly authorised in writing by each candidate, may attend at such time and place as may be specified under rule 11. The Election Officer may,

however, admit such other persons as he thinks fit, to assist him. The Election Officer shall give such persons all reasonable facilities to examine the nomination papers of all the candidates, which have been received as aforesaid.

(2) The Election Officer shall then examine the nomination papers and shall decide on all objections, which may be made at the time to any nomination and may either on such objection or on his own motion after such summary enquiry as he thinks necessary, reject any nomination on any of the following grounds namely :—

- (i) that the candidate is ineligible for election as a Member of that particular category of the Wakf Board ;
- (ii) that the candidate incurred any of the disqualifications specified in section 16 of the Act ;
- (iii) that the name of the candidate or of his proposer or both is or are not registered in the electoral roll ;
- (iv) that the candidate or his proposer has failed to comply with any of the provisions of rule 10; or
- (v) that the signature/thumb impression of the candidate or the proposer in the nomination paper is not genuine; provided that the nomination of a candidate shall not be rejected merely on the ground of an incorrect description of his name or of the name of his proposer, or of any other particulars relating to the candidate or his proposer as entered in the electoral roll, if the identity of the candidate or proposer, as the case may be is otherwise established beyond reasonable doubt.

(3) The Election Officer, shall endorse on each nomination paper, his decision, accepting or rejecting the same and, if the nomination paper is rejected, he shall record in writing a brief statement of his reasons for such rejection. The scrutiny shall as far as practicable be completed on the date appointed in this behalf and no adjournment of the proceedings shall ordinarily be permissible except, at the discretion of the Election Officer to provide an opportunity to a candidate to rebut any contentions raised against his candidature.

(4) For the purposes of this rule, a certified copy of an entry in the electoral roll for the time being in force of any of the category of Member of Wakf Board shall be conclusive evidence of the fact that the person referred to in that entry is an election for that category of Wakf Board unless, it is proved that he is subject to any disqualification mentioned in the Act.

(5) Immediately after the nomination papers have been scrutinised and the decisions, accepting or rejecting the same have been recorded, the Election Officer shall prepare a valid list of nominations found valid under each category and display it on the notice board of his office in Form VI.

14. **Withdrawal of nominations.**—Any candidate may withdraw his nomination in writing in Form VII signed by him and delivered to the Election Officer either in person or by his proposer not later than 5 O' clock in the evening of the appointed last day of withdrawal. The Election Officer shall give a receipt for the same as prescribed in Form VII on being satisfied as to the genuineness of the notice of withdrawal and the identity of the person delivering it.

15. **Publication of list of contesting candidates.**—(1) On the following day after withdrawal of the nominations the Election Officer shall prepare in English and Manipuri languages a list in Form VIII of persons whose nominations have been found valid and display it on the notice board of his office.

(2) The list shall contain the names of the candidates as described in their nomination paper in English and Manipuri languages duly arranged in English alphabetical order.

16. **Declaration of result of uncontested candidate/candidates.**—(1) If the number of contesting candidates is more than the number of vacancy/vacancies in a particular category, poll shall be conducted.

(2) If number of nominated candidate/candidates is equal or less than the number of vacancy/vacancies in a particular category, the Election Officer shall forthwith declare such candidate/candidates as duly elected in Form IX and send the same to the Election Authority.

17. **Death of candidate before poll.**—If a contesting candidate dies and a report of his death is received before commencement of the poll, the Election Officer shall upon being satisfied of the fact of the death of the candidate, countermand the poll and election proceedings shall be started afresh in all respects as if for a new election.

Provided that no fresh nomination, shall be necessary in the case of a candidate who stood validly nominated at the time of countermanding of the poll.

18. **Voting.**—(1) If poll is to be conducted, the Election Officer shall take necessary action for conduct of poll and shall see that the election is fairly conducted, at the polling station, and regulate the number of electors to be admitted at one time, and shall exclude all persons other than the following.—

- (a) The candidate ;
- (b) The police or other public servants on duty ;
- (c) his own clerks and such persons as the Polling Officers may from time to time admit for the purpose of identifying electors ;
- (d) persons authorised by the Government ;
- (e) a child in arms accompanying an elector ; and
- (f) a person accompanying a blind or infirm elector who cannot move without help.

(2) Where a woman elector cannot be identified by the Election Officer appointed under sub-rule (1) by reason of her observing purdah, she may be required to be identified by any of her near relative unless she otherwise satisfies the Election Officer, of her identity.

EXPLANATION :

If any question arises as to whether a person is or is not a near relative within the meaning of this sub-rule it shall be decided by the Election Officer and his decision shall be final.

19. Right of Vote,—Voting is to be in person. All electors voting at an election shall do so in person at the polling station provided for them under the rules.

(1) Counting shall be arranged at the end of the polling for the election of each category of members specified in section 14(1)(b) of the Act.

(2) The Election Officer shall provide at each polling station, sufficient number of ballot boxes, together with copies of the electoral roll containing the name of the electors, entitled to vote and such other papers and articles necessary for electors to mark the ballot papers, stationery and forms, as may be necessary.

20. Immediately before commencement of the poll the polling officer shall demonstrate to the polling agents and other persons present that the ballot box is empty.

21. Form of Ballot Paper.—(1) Every ballot paper shall contain serial number and list of contesting candidates in English and Manipuri languages in the serial order of English Alphabet.

(2) Every ballot paper shall, before issue to an elector, be,

(a) Stamped or shall be written on its back ;

(i) Name and category of Member ;

(ii) Place of election,

(b) Signed in full on its back by the Election Officer.

22. Issue of Ballot Paper.—Immediately after ballot paper is issued to an elector, the Election Officer shall obtain the signature of Elector in token of having received the ballot paper, on the office copy of electoral roll to be retained by polling officer for record.

23. Maintenance of a secrecy of voting by electors and voting procedure.—

(1) Every elector to whom a ballot paper has been issued under rule 21 shall maintain secrecy of voting within the polling station and for that purpose observe the voting procedure hereinafter laid down.

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(2) The elector on receiving the ballot paper or papers as the case may be, shall forthwith.

- (a) Proceed to the voting compartment.
 - (b) record his first, second third and so on preference by writing numerical 1, 2 or 3 and so on against the names of the contestants he intends to give the preference; and
 - (c) insert the folded ballot paper into the specified ballot box.
- (3) Every elector shall vote without any delay.

24. Blind and inform voters:

(1) If owing to blindness or other physical infirmity, an elector is unable to recognise the names of the contestants on the ballot paper or to write preference thereon, the election officer shall record the vote on the ballot paper in accordance with the wishes of the elector, fold it and insert it into the ballot box.

(2) While acting under this rule, the election officer shall observe secrecy and shall keep a brief record of each such instance, but shall not indicate therein the manner in which any vote has been exercised.

25. Challenging of identity:

(1) Any candidate may challenge the identity of a person claiming to be a particular elector by first depositing a sum of one hundred rupees in cash with the election officer for each such challenge.

(2) On such a deposit being made, the election officer shall:

- (a) warn the person challenged of the penalty for impersonation; and
- (b) read the relevant entry in the electoral roll in full and ask him whether he is the person referred to in the entry or not.

(3) The election officer shall thereafter hold a summary inquiry into the challenge and may for that purpose;

- (a) require the challenger to adduce evidence in proof of the challenge and the person challenged to adduce evidence in proof of his identity.
- (b) put the person challenged any question necessary for the purpose of establishing his identity and require him to answer them on oath; and
- (c) administer an oath for the challenger and any other person offering to give evidence.

(4) If, after the inquiry, the election officer considers that the challenge has not been established, he shall allow the person, challenged to vote and if he considers that the challenge has been established, he shall debar the person challenged from voting.

(5) If the election officer is of the opinion that the challenger is frivolous or has not been made in good faith, he shall direct that the deposit made under sub-rule (1) above to be forfeited to the Government and in any other case, he shall return it to the challenger at the conclusion of the inquiry.

26. Spoilt and returned ballot papers:

(1) An elector who has inadvertently dealt with his ballot paper may, by delivering it to the polling officer and on satisfying him of the inadvertance, be given another ballot paper and the ballot paper so returned and the counterfoil of such ballot paper shall be marked as "Spoilt Cancelled" by the election officer.

(2) If an elector after obtaining a ballot paper decided not to use it, he shall return it to the polling officer, and the ballot paper so returned and the counterfoil of such ballot paper shall be marked as "Returned Cancelled" by the election officer.

(3) All ballot papers cancelled under sub-rule (1) and sub-rule (2) above shall be kept in a separate packet.

27. Opening of ballot boxes: The counting of votes shall commence immediately after the poll at the same place where voting was conducted.

28. Counting of ballot boxes: The Election Officer shall:—(a) Open the ballot box, count the ballot papers and ensure that the number of ballot papers found in the box are the same as the number of ballot papers issued as per the office copy of the electoral roll.

(b) separate the ballot papers which he deems valid from those which he rejects endorsing on each of the latter the word "Rejected" and the ground of rejection.

29. Invalidity of ballot papers: A ballot paper shall be invalid in any one or more of the following cases:—

(a) same preference is recorded against more than one names;

(b) numerical preference is so placed as to render it doubtful to which candidate it is, intended to apply;

(c) the numerical or such other figures are written opposite to the names in such a manner that it is not possible to ascertain the intended preference of the elector;

(d) there is any mark or writing by which the elector can be identified.

30. Arrangement of valid ballot papers in parcels: After rejecting the ballot papers which are invalid, the election officer shall:—

(a) count the maximum number of first preference votes polled by a candidate, then count the maximum number of second preference votes polled by a candidate and so on and arrange the name of candidates in that order.

(b) after such counting the candidate having obtained maximum number of first preference votes shall be declared elected if the number of vacancy is one and in case of vacancies being two, candidates having obtained maximum number of second preference votes shall be declared elected for the second vacancy.

Provided that in case more than one candidate secure equal number of first preference votes of second preference votes, as the case may be, the result shall be decided by means of drawing lot.

31. Provision of recounts:

(1) Any candidate or in his absence, his proposer, may at any time during the counting of the votes, either before or after the completion of the counting of votes, request the Election Officer to re-examine and re-count the papers of all or any candidates and the Election Officer may re-examine and re-count the same accordingly.

(2) The Election Officer may in his discretion re-count the votes either once or more than once in any case in which he is not satisfied as to the accuracy of any previous count:

Provided that nothing in this sub-rule shall make it obligatory on the Election Officer to re-count the same votes more than once.

32. Declaration of result and return by Election Officer.—(1) Upon the completion of counting, the Election Officer shall, subject to the foregoing provisions:—

(a) declare the result under clauses (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv) of section 14(1) (b) of the Wakf Act, 1995, in Form IX as may be appropriate, and send signed copies thereof, to the election authority.

(2) The Election Officer shall thereafter:—

(a) place the valid ballot papers in one packet and the rejected ballot papers in another;

(b) seal with the seals of the Election Officer and of such of the candidates, their election agents or counting agents as may desire to affix their seals, each of the packets referred to in clause (a) above;

(c) record on each of the sealed packets the description of its contents and the date of election.

33. Grant of Certificate of Election to returned candidate.—As soon as may be after a candidate has been declared to be elected, the Election Officer shall grant to such candidate a certificate of election in Form X and obtain from the candidate an acknowledgement of its receipt duly signed by him.

34. Material to submit after Election.—After completion of the election, the Election Officer shall submit the following to Election authority for being kept in safe custody for records.

(a) packet of ballot papers mentioned in rule 28 above;

(b) office copy the electoral roll with signatures of the electors having received the ballot paper;

(c) brief report about fair and peaceful conduct of poll mentioning important incidents if any during the poll including challenges made about the identity of any elector and the decision of election officer thereon etc.;

(d) office copy of certificate of election issued to elected candidates and acknowledgements receipts of the same; and

(e) any other relevant papers.

35. Making of necessary nominations.—Government shall make necessary nominations for filling up of the vacancies under categories (c), (d), and (e) of section 14(1) of the Act.

36. Establishment of the Board.—After receipt of the result of the election under section 14(1)(b); and the nominations under section 14(1)(c), (d) and (e) of the Act, Government shall issue notification under section 14(9) of the Act appointing the Members of the Wakf Board, Manipur. The notification shall be published in the official gazette.

37. Filling-up of a casual vacancy.—If the election has been conducted for any casual vacancy/vacancies under Section 14(1) (b) of the Act on the receipt of result of the election from the election officer, the State Government shall issue a notification in the official Gazette under section 14(9) of the Act appointing such person/persons as Member/Members of the Board.

FORM-I

[See Rule 8 (2)]

NOTICE FOR THE ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF WAKF BOARD
MANIPUR

- (i) Name/s of the Category for which election is to be held
- (ii) Nomination papers shall be presented
 - (a) On (date)
 - (b) Time Between to Hours
 - (c) Place
 - (d) To (whom)
- (iii) Scrutiny of Nomination papers
 - (a) Place
 - (b) Date
 - (c) Time
- (iv) Withdrawal of Nomination
 - (a) Place
 - (b) Date
 - (c) Time
- (v) Polling shall be held
 - (a) Place
 - (b) Date
 - (c) Time
- (vi) Counting of votes by the Election Officer
 - (a) Place
 - (b) Date
 - (c) Time
- (vii) Declaration of results
 - (a) Place
 - (b) Date
 - (c) Time

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FORM-II
[See rule 8 (4)]

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE OFFICE OF MEMBERS
OF WAKF BOARD: MANIPUR

Notice is hereby given that:—

- (1) An election is to be held for election of the Members of Wakf Board, Manipur.
 - (2) Nomination papers may be delivered by a candidate or his proposer to the undersigned or to — — — — — between 10.30 A. M. to 5.00 P.M. from — — — — — to — — — — —
 - (3) Forms of nomination papers may be obtained at the place and time aforesaid.
 - (4) The nomination papers will be taken up for scrutiny at — — — — — on — — — — — at — — — — —
 - (5) Notice of withdrawal of candidature may be deliver by a candidate or his proposer to the undersigned or to — — — — — at his office before 3.00 P.M. on the — — — — —
 - (6) In the event of election being contested the poll will be taken on — — — — — between the hours of — — — — — at — — — — —
- (Specify the place whose voting is to be conducted).

Place: ELECTION OFFICER
Date:

FORM-III

ELECTION FOR THE OFFICE OF MEMBER OF WAKF BOARD MANIPUR
IN CATEGORY OF SECTION 14.1(b) OF THE ACT
(See rules 10 and 11)

NOMINATION PAPER

- 1. Full name of the candidate
- 2. Father's or Husband's name : — — — — —
- 3. Serial number of the candidate in the Electoral Roll
- 4. Age
- 5. Sex
- 6. Occupation
- 7. Full name of the proposer
- 8. Serial number of the proposer in the Electoral Roll
- 9. Signature of the proposer

CANDIDATE'S DECLARATION

I declare that I am willing to stand for election and my age as shown above is correct.

I also declare that :

- (1) I am a muslim
- (2) I am not an undischarged insolvent.
- (3) I have been convicted of an offence involving moral turpitude or such conviction has been reversed so I have been given full pardon in respect of such offence.
- (4) I have not been in any previous occasion :
 - (i) removed from office as a Member or as a Mutawlli ; or
 - (ii) removed by an order of competent Court or Tribunal from any position of trust either for mismanagement or corruption.

Signature of candidate.

Endersement by the election officer or other authorised person serial number.

This nomination paper was presented to me — — — — —

(person) at — — — — — (Date and Hours) — — — — —

Signature of the Election Officer or other Authorised Person

Decision of Election Officer accepting or rejecting the nomination paper.

I have examined this nomination paper in accordance with rule 12 and decide as follows :—

Date : Election Officer.

FORM—IV

Receipt for nomination paper and notice for scrutiny

(To be handed over to the person presenting the nomination paper).

Serial No. of nomination paper — — — — — the
Nomination paper of — — — — — a candidate for election
of Member for category — — — — — of the Wakf Board
Manipur was delivered to me at — — — — — (hour) on
— — — — — by the — — — — —
candidate/proposed

2. All nomination papers will be taken up for scrutiny at — — —
at — — — — — (hour) — — — — —
— — — — — (date) at — — — — —
— — — — — (place).

Date : Election Officer

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FORM-V
(See Rule 12)

List of nomination received on — — — — (date) — — — —
for the office of Member of Wakf Board, Manipur in the category — —
— — — — of section 14 (1) (b) of the Act.

Sl. No. of nomination paper	Name of candidate	Father's or Husband's name	Age	Occupation and address	Electoral Roll No. of candidate.	Name of the proposer	Electoral Roll No. of proposer
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

The nomination papers will be taken up for a scrutiny at A.M./P.M. on — — — — the — — — — date of — — — — at — — — — place.

Place : _____ Signature of the Electoral Officer/
date : _____ of other Authorised persons.

FORM-VI
(See Rule 13 (5))

LIST OF VALIDLY NOMINATED CANDIDATES
Election to Members of the Wakf Board, Manipur in category — — — —
— — — — of Section 14 (1) (b) of the Act.

Sl No.	Name of the candidate	Address of the candidate.
(1)	(2)	(3)
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		

Place : _____ **ELECTION OFFICER**
Date : _____

FORM-VII

(See Rule 14)

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

NOTICE TO THE OFFICE OF MEMBERS OF THE WAKF BOARD
MANIPUR IN THE CATEGORY — — — — OF SECTION
14 (1) (b) OF THE ACT.

To
The Election Officer,

I — — — — a candidate validly nominated at the
above election do hereby give notice that I withdraw my candidature.

Place :

Date :

Signature of candidate

This notice was delivered to me at my office at — — — — (hour) on
— — — — (date) by — — — — name.

Date :

ELECTION OFFICER

RECEIPT FOR NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

(To be handed over to the person delivering the notice)

The notice of withdrawal of candidature by — — — — a
candidate at the election to the Office of the Member of the Wakf Board
Manipur in the category — — — — of Section 14 (1) (b) of the
Act — — — — as delivered to me by the — — — — at my
office at — — — — (hour) on — — — — (date.)

Place :

Date :

ELECTION OFFICER.

FORM-VIII

(See Rule 25)

Election to the Office of the Member of the WAKF Board Manipur in the
category — — — — of Section 14(1) (b) of the Act.

Sl. No.	Name of the candidate	Address of the candidate
1	2	3
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		
etc.		

Place :

Date :

ELECTION OFFICER.

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FORM-IX
(See Rule 16 (2) and 32)

DECLARATION OF THE RESULT OF ELECTION UNDER RULE 32
OF THE WAKF BOARD MANIPUR CONDUCT OF ELECTION
RULES, 1996

In accordance with rule - - - - - of the Wakf Board Manipur
(Conduct of Election) Rules 1996 I declare that the following candidate
has been duly elected for the office of the Members of the Wakf Board
Manipur in the category - - - - - of section (1) (b) of the Wakf
Act, 1996.

Name :
Address :
Place : Signature of the
Date : Election Officer.

FORM-X
(See Rule 33)
CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION

I, - - - - - Election Officer for the
Member/Members of Wakf Board Manipur hereby certify that I have on the
(day) of - - - - - 19 - - - - - declared
Shri - - - - - s/o - - - - -
to have been duly elected to the Office of the Member of Wakf Board Manipur
in the category - - - - - Section 14 (1) (b) of Wakf
Act 1995 and that in token thereof I have granted to him this Certificate of
election.

Place :
Date ; ELECTION OFFICER