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Government Notifications

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION - 2019

Procedure for casting vote where there is a reasonable fear of an inability to cast vote at a given polling station due to conditions prevailing in the area within which his polling station is situated

SECTION 119 B OF THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS ACT, No. 15 OF 1981

DUE to the prevailing situation in the area where his polling station is located, an elector who is reasonably fearful that he will not be able to go to and cast the vote at the given polling station, may request to be facilitated to vote at another polling station. The provisions of Section 119B of the Presidential Elections Act, No. 15 of 1981, as amended by the Presidential Elections (Amendment) Act, No. 16 of 1988, have provided in this regard.

02. The relevant applications can be obtained from Offices of all District Returning Officers, Divisional Secretariats, and all Grama Niladhari Offices. The applications must be forwarded to reach the Election Commission, Elections Secretariat, Sarana Mawatha, Rajagiriya within 7 days of the nomination notice, i. e on or before 25 September, 2019.

03. It is a mandatory requirement to quote the National Identity Card Number of the applicant on the application which must be certified by the relevant Grama Niladhari where the applicant resides. Applications without the certification of the Grama Niladhari will be rejected.

04. Applicants must furnish relevant information based on the Electoral Register of 2018 and such registers are available at all the District Secretariats/Kachcheris and District Election Offices.

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