

**MOST URGENT**  
**ELECTION MATTER**

**F.No. C-50/156/2024-Ad.II**  
Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
(Central Board of Indirect Taxes & Customs)

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North Block, New Delhi- 110001

Dated: 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2025

To

The concerned Pr. Chief Commissioners/Pr. Director Generals/Chief  
Commissioners/Director Generals of CBIC.

**Subject: General Elections to the Legislative Assembly of Delhi, 2025- Deployment of  
Expenditure Observers- regarding.**

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith Election Commission of India's letter No. 464/ECI/  
DL-LA & BEs/EEPS/2025 dated 17.01.2025 on the subject mentioned above and to inform that  
the Election Commission of India has deployed **Shri Minhaj Uddin Nizami, IRS (C&IT): 16  
(R-20319)** as Expenditure Observer in General Elections to the Legislative Assembly of Delhi,  
2025 announced by the Commission vide its Press Note No. ECI/PN/169/2025 dated 07.01.2025.  
He is required to report to the Constituency/District Hq. assigned to him **on 17.01.2025 and stay  
in the constituency up to date of poll i.e., 05.02.2025.**

2. It is requested that the directions of the Election Commission of India, contained in the  
said letter, may be communicated to the Shri Minhaj Uddin Nizami, IRS (C&IT), to enable him  
to visit the assigned ACs/District Hq. as per schedule, without fail.

Yours faithfully,

Encl. As Above.



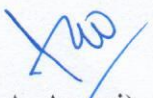
(S.A. Ansari)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

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Copy to:

The Website Manager, CBIC, with a request to upload this letter along-with the  
enclosures on the official website of CBIC with a ticker.



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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

## ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001

No. 464/ECI/DL-LA & BEs/EEPS/2025

Dated: 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2025

To

Shri. S. A. Ansari, Dy. Secretary (Ad. II) & Nodal Officer  
M/o Finance, Deptt. of Revenue, Central Board of Indirect Taxes & Customs  
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New Delhi  
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**Sub:- General Election to the Legislative Assembly of Delhi, 2025-Deployment of Expenditure Observers – Reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to state that in exercise of the power conferred on it by Article 324 of Constitution and Section 20B of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, the Commission has deployed **Sh. Minhaj Uddin Nizami, IRS(C&CE): 16 (R-20319) (Mob. No. 8802122895)** as Expenditure Observer in **General Election to the Legislative Assembly of Delhi, 2025** announced by the Commission vide its Press Note no. ECI/PN/169/2025, dated 07.01.2025 (copy enclosed).

2. Under Section 13CC of the Representation of the People Act, 1950 and Section 28A of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, he will be deemed to be on deputation to the Election Commission during the period, he is working as Observer. Working as Observer of the Election Commission he will be subject to the control, superintendence and discipline of the Election Commission with respect to his duties performed as Observer.

3. The Observer is entitled for TA/DA as admissible on tour. He will draw TA/DA from his Ministry/Department/Office. The expenditure will be debitable to the Budget grant of his Ministry or Department/Office. He is also entitled to travel by air by any scheduled commercial flight of any airlines. However, whenever he travels by train, it shall be as per his entitled class.

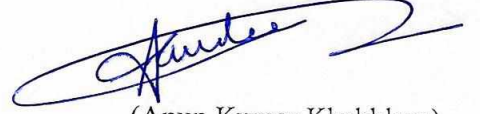
4. The Expenditure Observer is also required to go through **“Compendium of Instructions on Election Expenditure Monitoring (December, 2024)”** available on the ECI website [www.eci.gov.in-Compendium of Instructions-Compendium of Instructions on Election Expenditure Monitoring \(December, 2024\)](http://www.eci.gov.in-Compendium_of_Instructions-Compendium_of_Instructions_on_Election_Expenditure_Monitoring_(December,_2024).).

5. The Expenditure Observer may be informed that-

- (i) He/She is required to upload his/her photograph in the Personal Information Sheet on the Observer portal. This is required for printing of Identity Cards.
- (ii) User id and password for accessing the Observer portal is ‘Observer Code’ mentioned against his/her name. He/She should change his/her passwords on first login, if he/she so wish.
- (iii) The deployment list indicating the State, District and Constituency is enclosed.

6. Expenditure Observer is hereby directed to report to the Constituencies/District Hq. assigned to him on 17.01.2025 and stay in the Constituencies upto date of Poll i.e. 05.02.2025. Further, he will be required to make his last visit to the constituencies assigned to him on 25<sup>th</sup> day of declaration of results.
7. Updated list of Expenditure Observers is being enclosed herewith. You are requested to intimate the newly deployed Expenditure Observer immediately.

Yours faithfully,



(Anup Kumar Khakhlary)  
Under Secretary  
(khakhlaryanup@eci.gov.in)

Copy to: Chief Electoral Officer of Delhi for kind information and requested to intimate the DEO concerned. (By Special Messenger/e-mail)