

**H.P.BOARD OF DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION
DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION OF OTHER GAZETTED OFFICERS OF
HIMACHAL PRADESH SESSION, SEPTEMBER, 2008**

PAPER-3

(ELECTION)

**Time Allowed: 3 Hours.
100**

Maximum Marks:

Note:- Attempt any four (4) questions in all. Question No.1 is compulsory.

Q.No.1 Define any four (4) of the following:-

- (i) Adult Suffrage
- (ii) Control Tables.
- (iii) Part and Section in Electoral Rolls
- (iv) Last part of Electoral Rolls
- (v) Electors Photo Identity Cards.

Q.No.2 What do you understand by Delimitation of Constituencies? When was the last

Delimitation of Constituencies carried out in Himachal Pradesh? What are the Highlights of the latest delimitation in Himachal Pradesh?

Q.No.3 Describe the procedure to ensure that the name of members of Parliament and State legislators are not left out from the Electoral Roll.

Q.No.4 What is the difference between:-

- (i) Annual Revision of Electoral Rolls and Continuous updation of Electoral Rolls.
- (ii) Intensive Revision and Summary Revision of Electoral Rolls.

Q.No.5 Write brief notes on any four of the following:-

- (i) Election Commission of India.
- (ii) Booth Level Officers.
- (iii) Dual Registration
- (iv) Electoral Registration Officer (ER)
- (v) Disqualification for registration in Electoral Rolls.

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PAPER-4 (ELECTION LAW FOR ELECTION DEPARTMENT)

**Time Allowed: 3 Hours.
100**

Maximum Marks:

Note:- Attempt any four questions in all. Questions No.1 is compulsory.

Q.No.1 Write short notes on any four(4):-

- (i) Reserve Symbols and free Symbols
- (ii) General Electors and Service Electors
- (iii) Bye- Election
- (iv) Tendered vote
- (v) Voting by Proxy
- (vi) Micro Observer

Q.No.2 Differentiate between "Recognized" and "Registered" Political Parties. Who is Competent for registration of a Political party in India?

Q.No.3 Describe how symbols are allotted to Contesting Candidates. What points Should the Returning Officer keep in mind while allotting symbols?

Q.No.4 Write brief notes on any four (4) of the following:-

- a) Postal Ballot Paper
- b) Election Agent
- c) Polling Agent
- d) Mode Code of Conduct
- e) Office of Profit
- f) Infirm Voter.

Q.No.5 What do you understand by account of election expenses of a candidate?
What
Sabha Are the maximum limits of election expenses for Lok Sabha and Vidhan
Elections? How does Election Commission of India enforce this during
Election?

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PAPER-5 (ELECTION)

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100**

Maximum Marks:

Note:- Question No.1 is compulsory. Attempt any four questions.

Q.No.1 Write short notes on:-

- (i) Security Deposits
- (ii) Mother Roll and Supplement
- (iii) Model Code of Conduct
- (iv) Mock Poll

Q.No.2 Define any four of the following:-

- (i) Randomization of Polling Personnel
- (ii) Security of Nomination Paper
- (iii) Symbol
- (iv) Polling Booth
- (v) Uncontested Election

Q.No.3 Draw a list of all important Election Materials that a Returning Officer has to A Polling Party for holding elections. How should the Presiding Officer return

Them to Returning Officer after conducting polls?

Q.No.4 Describe the personal information/ returns etc. that a candidate has to submit During elections. Describe them step-wise?

Q.No.5 Describe how Electronic Voting machines (EVMs) are prepared for voting by Returning Officer then by Presiding Officer. What precautions must the Returning Officer take before handing over Electronic Voting Machines (EVMs) to Presiding Officer and similarly what precautions the Presiding Officer must take before and during Poll?
