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Minutes of the 3rd session of Election of Chairman of Standing Committee(s) viz. Swacch Bharat, Social Justice and Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee(s) of Jammu Municipal Corporation held on 19-01-2021 at 11:00 AM in the Council Hall of JMC.

Present:

Hon'ble Members of Swacch Bharat Standing Committee

1. Sh. Yash Paul Sharma
2. Sh. Suraj Prakash
3. Smt. Jyoti Devi
4. Sh. Gopal Gupta
5. S. Inder Singh Sudan
6. Sh. Hardeep Singh (Mankotia)
7. Smt. Sandhya Gupta
8. Sh. Rachpal Bhardwaj
9. Sh. Mohi-Ud-Din

Hon'ble Members of Social Justice Standing Committee

1. Sh. Kuldeep Singh
2. Sh. Jeet Kumar
3. Smt. Tripta Devi
4. Sh. Ajay Gupta
5. Smt. Raj Rani
6. Sh. Subash Sharma
7. Smt. Ritu Choudhary
8. Smt. Rama
9. Sh. Sham Lal

Hon'ble Members of Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee

1. Sh. Narinder Singh
2. Sh. Baldev Singh
3. Smt. Tirath Kour Raina
4. Sh. Mohinder Kumar
5. Sh. Arun Kumar Khanna
6. Sh. Raj Kumar
7. Mtr. Shama Akhtar
8. Sh. Rajinder Singh
9. Sh. Sobat All

In pursuance to Notification issued vide No. 1287-1295/Secy/2020/c dated: 06-01-2021, a meeting for the election of Chairman of Standing Committee(s) viz. Swacch Bharat, Social Justice & Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee(s) was held on 19-01-2021 at 11:00 AM in the Council Hall of Jammu Municipal Corporation. The following were in the fray for election for the post of Chairman of the Swacch Bharat, Social Justice & Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee(s)-

1. Swacch Bharat Standing Committee:

- (i) Sh Yash Paul Sharma (Ward No. 35)
- (ii) S. Inder Singh Sudan (Ward No. 44)

2. Social Justice Standing Committee:

- (i) Sh. Kuldeep Singh (Ward No. 63)
- (ii) Smt. Ritu Choudhary (Ward No. 07)

3. Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee:

- (i) Sh. Narinder Singh (Ward No. 70)
- (ii) Sh. Sobat Ali (Ward No. 74)

At the outset of 3rd session of Election of Chairman of Standing Committee(s) viz. Swacch Bharat, Social Justice & Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee(s), Hon'ble Mayor, Sh. Chander Mohan Gupta being the Presiding Authority under the Act asked Secretary, Jammu Municipal Corporation to start the process of Election for all the three Standing Committee(s) viz. Swacch Bharat, Social Justice & Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee(s). Secretary, JMC welcomed Hon'ble Mayor(Presiding Authority) , Dy. Mayor , all the members of Standing Committee(s) viz. Swacch Bharat, Social Justice & Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee(s), Commissioner, JMC & Officers/Officials deployed for conducting election of the Standing Committee(s). She apprised all the members about the procedure to be followed during the election under rules. Soon after the address to all the members by the Secretary, JMC ,some members of the Standing Committee(s) protested and objected to the election being conducted through open ballot which was amended by the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India vide Order No. S.O. 3808(E) dated: 26-10-2020 whereupon Section 36(1) of the Municipal Corporation Act 2000 (amended -2020) read as

Section 36(1): “ In sub-section 1, for “ elect one of its Councillors”, substitute “elect through open ballot one of its Councillors”.

The protesting members asked the Commissioner, JMC to hold the election by way of secret ballot as per previous provisions of the Municipal Corporation Act/amended the subject, otherwise they would boycott the election process. Commissioner, JMC apprised all the members that the Govt of India had amended Section 36 of Municipal Corporation Act-2000 (amended 2020) vide order No. S.O. 3808(E) dated: 26-10-2020. She told all the members of the Standing Committees that election of all the three Standing Committee(s) viz: Swacch Bharat, Social Justice & Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee(s) shall be conducted only through open ballot, for which the communication was already send to all the Hon'ble members and Councillors vide No. 1326-1408/Secy/2020/C, dated: 15-01-2021. The protesting members again refuse to participate in the election process through open ballot and demanded to hold the election though Secret Ballot. .The Presiding Authority clarified to all the members of the three Standing Committee(s) that the election to be conducted only through open ballot as per amendments made by the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India in the J&K Municipal Corporation Act 2000(amended-2020). The protesting members refused to participate in the election process and boycotted the election of all the three Standing Committee(s) viz. Swacch Bharat, Social Justice & Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee(s).

Thereafter, the Presiding Authority asked the Secretary, JMC to complete the process of election of all the three Standing Committee(s) viz. Swacch Bharat, Social Justice & Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee(s). Secretary, JMC asked all the remaining members of the Standing Committee(s) to start the process of election with the recitation of National Anthem.

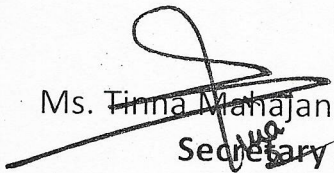
Since, no member contested against the nominated members; the contesting candidates of Swacch Bharat Standing Committee, Sh. Yash Paul Sharma, Social Justice Standing Committee, Sh. Kuldeep Singh and Public health Sanitation Standing Committee, Sh. Narinder Singh were elected unopposed and the Presiding Authority announced the results of the election for Chairman of Swacch Bharat Standing Committee, Social Justice Standing Committee and Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee .

The Presiding Authority, Hon'ble Mayor, Jammu Municipal Corporation, Sh. Chander Mohan Gupta in exercise of the powers conferred under Regulation 50 of the Municipal Corporation (procedure and conduct of Business) Regulations 2005, hereby declares the names of Chairman of all the three Standing Committee(s) viz.

Swacch Bharat, Social Justice & Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee(s) and hereby declares the members mentioned below as duly elected as Chairpersons of the Standing Committee(s):

1. Sh. Yash Paul Sharma, (member) of Ward no 35 as Chairperson of the Swacch Bharat Standing Committee.
2. Sh. Kuldeep Singh, (member) of Ward no 63 as Chairperson of the Social Justice Standing Committee.
3. Sh. Narinder Singh, (member) of Ward no 70 as Chairperson of the Public Health Sanitation Standing Committee.

The election process ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.


Ms. Tinna Mahajan
Secretary
Municipal Corporation,
Jammu.

No: 1453-1546/Secy/2020/C

Dated: 19-01-2021

Copy to the:-

1. Hon`ble Mayor, JMC for information please.
2. Hon`ble Deputy Mayor, JMC for information please.
3. Hon`ble Chairpersons of the Standing Committee(s), JMC for information please.
4. All the members (concerned) of the Standing Committee(s), JMC for information please.
5. All the Hon`ble Councillors , JMC for information please.

Copy also to the:-

1. Commissioner, JMC for information please.
2. Joint Commissioner (A), JMC for information please.
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5. Chief Accounts Officer, JMC for information please.
6. Asstt. Commissioner (R) JMC for information.
7. Deputy Director Planning, JMC for information.
8. Health Officer, JMC for information.
9. MVO, JMC for information.

10. Senior Law Officer, JMC for information.
11. Executive Engineer of Div – I, II, III, IV, Projects, JMC & XEn, UEED, Jammu, for information.
12. AEE (Tpt.), JMC for information.
13. AEE (M), JMC for information.
14. Senior Town Planner, JMC for information.
15. CEO and I/c CEO of Zone I, II & III for information.
16. Asstt. Secretary, JMC for information.
17. Revenue Officer (concerned), JMC for information.
18. Informatics Officer, JMC for information & to upload minutes of Election of Chairman of Standing Committee(s) on the Official website of JMC & in the Hon'ble Councillors group.