

**ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA**  
**Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110 001.**

F.No. 56/34/2011/PPS-II/

Dated, 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2016

To,

The Chief Electoral Officers of  
All States and Union Territories.

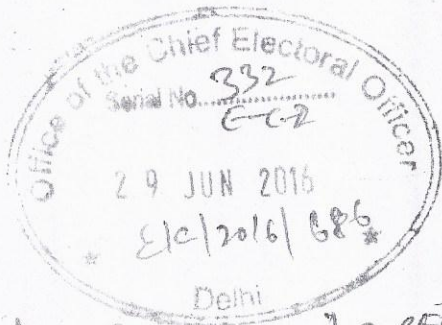
Sub:-Design of reserved symbol 'Hammer, Sickle & Star' - regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to state that the design of the reserved symbol "Hammer, Sickle & Star" of Communist Party of India(Marxist), a National recognized Party has been slightly modified as per the request of the party by making the border lines of the symbol bolden. Image of the modified design may be seen in the Annexure to this letter. The approved design of the said symbol, prepared as per the prescribed specifications is available with M/s Ideal Cottage Industries, Chanpole Bazar, Jaipur 302 001, Rajasthan or M/s Times Engineering Works, Bengaluru, Karnataka. For the purpose of printing of ballot paper at elections, the design should be obtained from the said Firms and the same should be used.

Yours faithfully,

*Pathak*  
(ANAND KUMAR PATHAK)  
UNDER SECRETARY



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*30-6-2016*

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*Add. CEO*

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*Ms Smita*  
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RITESH SINGH

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Election Commission of India

New Delhi-110001



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**ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA**  
**Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110 001.**

F.No. 56/20/2010/PPS-II/

Dated, 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2016

To,

The Chief Electoral Officers of  
All States and Union Territories.

Sub:-Design of free symbol 'Balloon' - regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to state that after considering the request received from Pattali Makkal Katchi , a recognized state party in Puducherry about similarity between the design of the free symbol "Balloon" with that of the party's reserved symbol 'Mango', the design of the free symbol "Balloon" has been slightly modified so as to remove the possibility of any confusion on account of similarity of design. Image of the modified design may be seen in the Annexure to this letter. The approved design of the said symbol, prepared as per the prescribed specifications is available with M/s Ideal Cottage Industries, Chanpole Bazar, Jaipur 302 001, Rajasthan or M/s Times Engineering Works, Bengaluru, Karnataka. For the purpose of printing of ballot paper at elections, the design should be obtained from the said Firms and the same should be used.

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Yours faithfully,

(ASHWANI KUMAR MOHAL)  
UNDER SECRETARY

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Approved modified design of  
free symbol 'Balloon'



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