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To
Chief Electoral Officers of
All States and UTs

Sub: **e-EPIC programme roll out-reg.**

Sir/Madam,

As you are aware, Digital voter card – e-EPIC - was launched on National Voters' Day by Election Commission of India. The program has received tremendous response with more than 3 lakh newly enrolled voters who have already downloaded their e-EPIC since 25 Jan 2021. However, many of you have reported that large number of new voters have still not been able to download their e-EPIC. Some of you have also suggested that phase 1 of e-EPIC program which was meant for new voters be extended by a few more days.

2. Looking at the high demand and the consequent load on the e-EPIC system, Commission has decided to give first priority to the newly enrolled voters and has therefore decided that e-EPIC download for voters who have been newly enrolled during SSR2021 will be continued till end of February 2021 and the dates for e-EPIC download for other general voters, who have already enrolled prior to SSR 2021 and whose unique mobile numbers are authenticated, would be announced separately.

3. You are requested to bring this to the notice of all DEOs and EROs and encourage all newly enrolled voters to avail of e-EPIC. You may also monitor the progress in your State/UT and bring to Commission's attention in case the voters face any difficulty in the download process.

Yours faithfully,

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Secretary