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PRESS RELEASE

Special Summary Revision of Electoral Roll w.r.t. 01.01.2022 as qualifying date completed in the NCT of Delhi

The final Electoral Roll published today shows net increase in voters of the capital city of Delhi: CEO.

Delhi's Electoral Roll witnessed a net increase of 1,03,610 electors, including 50,562 male electors, 52,964 female electors, and 84 third gender electors: CEO.

The gender ratio of electors registered on the final electoral roll has risen from 826 last year to 831, indicating greater electoral inclusion of women: Dr. Ranbir Singh.

Number of polling stations increased from 13789 to 13820 in order to decongest polling stations: CEO.

Various SVEEP activities for potential voter awareness carried out during the Special Summary Revision proved to be beneficial in our voter registration efforts: Dr. Ranbir Singh.

The final Electoral Roll 2022 reflects progress in realizing the vision of 'No Voter to be Left Behind': CEO.

NEW DELHI:

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The Chief Electoral Officer of Delhi, Dr. Ranbir Singh, today informed that the Special Summary Revision of the Electoral Roll with 01.01.2022 as the qualifying date has been completed in the NCT of Delhi with the final electoral roll being published today.

He stated that during the period, there was a net increase of 1,03,610 electors, including 50,562 male, 52,964 female, and 84 third gender electors as compared to the previous roll published in January 2021. This increase, according to Dr. Ranbir Singh, is a step in realizing the ECI vision of "No Voter to be left behind".

The overall number of electors on the final electoral roll released today is 1,48,99,159 including 81,38,593 male, 67,59,534 female, and 1,032 third gender electors. The gender ratio of electors registered on the final electoral roll has risen from 826 last year to 831, demonstrating significant progress towards greater electoral inclusion of women, said Dr. Singh.

The increase in the number of third gender electors also demonstrates the positive result of intense efforts made by electoral machinery towards ensuring an inclusive electoral roll.

Dr. Ranbir Singh further informed that for the convenience of the public, the numbers of polling stations have been increased from 13789 to 13820, through a rationalization exercise as per the ECI guidelines.

Dr. Ranbir Singh said, “during the Special Summary Revision, various SVEEP activities were carried out to raise awareness among prospective voters about the 01.01.2022 qualifying date, such as regular announcements in the Delhi Metro, advertisements in print media, attention-grabbing jingles on different FM Radio channels, Nukkad Nataks in public spaces, Munadi and display of banners in prominent locations to catch hold of general public's attention.” The SWEEP campaign was branded as “Dilli Ka Voter Utsav 2022” and the campaign slogan was “Chalo Voter Bane Hum” and “No Voter to be left Behind”.

The primary goal of the Special Summary Revision – 2022 was to facilitate new enrolment, i.e. those who had reached the age of 18 or 18+ as of the qualifying date, i.e. 01.01.2022, and to provide opportunities for correction in electors' particulars, as well as to invite objections against any incorrect inclusion in the Electoral Roll. Throughout the month-long voter festival in Delhi, the CEO advised all Delhi residents to use digital services which are quicker and more effective like the Voter Helpline app, that allows access to various electoral services using mobile phones and ECI's PwD mobile app that digitally enable Divyang citizens to avail electoral services on the most accessible digital environment. Dr. Singh also encouraged citizens to follow the official handles of @ceodelhioffice on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and YouTube and share content among their peers to stay updated on electoral services on a daily basis.
