

**OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER**  
OLD ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE BUILDING, KASHMERE GATE, DELHI-110006

**PRESS NOTE**

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**BYE-ELECTION TO AC-07 (BAWANA) (SC)-2017**

Sl. No.	Category	Last Assembly Election 2015	Bye-Election 2017
1.	No. of Male Electors	169284	164114
2.	No. of Female Electors	133535	130143
3.	No. of Third Gender Electors	30	25
4.	Total General Electors	302849	294282
5.	No. of Service Electors	259	307
6.	Grand Total of Electors	303108	294589
7.	No. of Polling Stations	279 (Main) + 05 (Auxiliary) = 284	379 (All main)
8.	No. of Polling Locations	53	67
9.	Average Voter per PS	1067	776
10.	Total No. of Contesting Candidates	06 (All Male)	08 (All Male)

- Campaign ended at 6 PM today.
- Paid Holiday declared for all voters who work in any institutions, establishments, government/private, casual labour, daily wagers.
- Voters have been distributed the Photo Voter Slips and specially designed Voter Awareness Booklet.
- VVPAT demonstrations are being done in the AC regularly to make the voters aware about its use.
- Dry Days declared in the Assembly Constituency and in the neighbouring Assembly Constituencies.

➤ Following Law & Order related actions have been taken so far :-

1. Seizure of Liquor (in bottles):- Country Made (8091 bottles and 17720 Qtrs.) and IMFL (4105 bottles,11088 Qtrs. And 24 Beers). 31 FIRs registered and 26 persons arrested.
2. No. of persons against whom preventive action taken so far is 594 under different acts.
3. 82 licensed arms have been deposited and 05 unlicensed arms have been seized. 02 FIRs have been registered under Arms Act and 04 persons have been arrested.

- Altogether, 314 rallies/public meetings were allowed during the campaign.
- At least in four cases of MCC violations, FIRs have been registered by the district authorities.

➤ Polling will take place on 23<sup>rd</sup> August,2017 (Wednesday) from 8.00 AM to 6.00 PM

- One wheelchair at each Polling Location will be available along with the NSS Volunteers to facilitate differently abled persons for casting their vote.
- Availability of Minimum Facilities like drinking water, toilets, electricity, ramp etc. are being ensured at each Polling Location.

➤ As against the overall polling percentage of the NCT of Delhi of 65.63% & 67.12%, polling percentage in Bawana was 61.14 % & 61.83% respectively in last two assembly elections in 2013 & 2015.

➤ In case, an elector is not able to produce EPIC (Voters' I Card), he/she can produce one of the following alternative photo identity documents, allowed by the Election Commission of India, for establishing their identity at the Polling Station to enable him/her to cast vote:-

1. Passport;
2. Driving License;
3. Service Identity Cards with photograph issued to employees by Central/State Govt. PSUs/Public Limited Companies;
4. Passbooks with photograph issued by Bank/Post Office;
5. PAN Card;
6. Smart Card issued by RGI under NPR;
7. MNREGA Job Card;
8. Health Insurance Smart Card issued under the scheme of Ministry of Labour;
9. Pension document with photograph;
10. Authenticated Photo Voter Slip issued by the election machinery;
11. Official Identity cards issued to MPs/MLAs/MLCs;
12. Aadhaar Card

➤ Counting of the Votes will commence from 8.00 AM on 28<sup>th</sup> August,2017 (Monday) at Swami Shraddhanand College (Old Building), Alipur, Delhi-110036.