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Dear Members,

Subject: Elections to the Central and Regional Governing Councils of EPCES

As you know, elections to the Central and Regional Governing Councils of EPCES are due this year as the two-year term will be over this year. Development Commissioners of respective zones are the designated Returning Officers for conducting these elections. The election schedule and list of vacancies is attached. Letters addressed from DG EPCES to respective Development Commissioners is also attached. All DCs will also formally inform the members about the elections and elections schedules by email (keeping in view the covid situation) and they are putting all details on their respective Zones Development Commissioners official websites.

EPCES will also be putting all relevant details on the EPCES website(www.epces.in). First, the draft of the members (electorate) list will be put up on websites inviting objections/corrections from the members/electorate. Afterwards, all these Objections/corrections are to be given on the emails provided by Development Commissioners (ROs). The draft list will be put up on DC and EPCES websites on **9th June 2021**.

Objections/corrections can be given by 25th June 2021.

The final list will be displayed on websites on **29th June 2021**

After that, the elections will take place as per the schedule from **2nd July 2021 onwards**.

The Last Date of sending nominations to DC offices is **23rd July 2021**.

In a contest among candidates, elections will be conducted through electronic voting by NSDL from **9th Aug 2021 to 13th Aug 2021**.

The Counting of votes will take place on 16th Aug 2021, and the result will be declared on **17th Aug 2021**.

We will keep you informed of all the developments in this regard through these WhatsApp group and websites.

It is requested that members keep checking the websites of DC office and EPCES for election-related information regularly.

Best wishes

DG EPCES