

CEA-12011/25/2024  
Ministry of Cooperation  
Cooperative Election Authority  
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To

Returning Officer and District Magistrate, Patna  
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**Ref:** i) Govt. of Bihar Notification No.3066 dated 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2025 regarding shareholding of Govt. of Jharkhand in BISCOMAUN (received in CEA on 21.04.2025)

ii) CEA's letter of even number dated 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2025 addressed to DM, Patna & RO, BISCOMAUN regarding seeking comments of RCS, Govt. of Jharkhand on shareholding in BISCOMAUN.

iii) DM, Patna & RO BISCOMAUN's letter No.LIV-17/2024/1184 dated 03.05.2025 regarding non-receipt of comments on the reference dated 22.04.2025 made by RO to RCS, Government of Jharkhand about the shareholding of the State of Jharkhand in BISCOMAUN.

**Subject:** Shareholding of Govt. of Jharkhand in BISCOMAUN and Issue of revised Election Programme for conduct of elections of the Office Bearers in BISCOMAUN.

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Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No.LIV-17/2024/1184 dated 03.05.2025 on the above cited subject and to say that vide the letter of even number dated 22.04.2024, CEA had requested RO, BISCOMAUN to seek comments of the Registrar of Societies (RCS), Govt. of Jharkhand by giving a clear 7 days' time period on the Govt. of Bihar's Notification No.3066 dated 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2025, stating that Govt. of Jharkhand has no shareholding in BISCOMAUN.



2. Comments of the RO, BISCOMAUN were called to determine inclusion/exclusion of representative (nominee Director) under section 48 (1)(a) of MSCS Act and under Rule 19N of MSCS Rules for nomination of RCS, Govt. of Jharkhand on the Board of BISCOMAUN along with participation to cast vote in the election of Office Bearers.

3. The Notification No. 3066 dated 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2025 of the Govt. of Bihar reads as follows:

“संख्या-7/ नि० (विधि-12) विविध-40/2019/पटना,  
दिनांक.....अधिसूचना संख्या-1081 दिनांक 31. 01. 2025 द्वारा यह  
स्पष्ट किया गया है कि बिहार राज्य सहकारी विपणन संघ लि०  
(बिस्कोमान) के कुल चुकता हिस्सा पूँजी में से बिहार का निवेशित  
हिस्सा पूँजी 99.26% है। इस क्रम में यह स्पष्ट करना है कि यह  
सम्पूर्ण हिस्सा पूँजी बिहार सरकार द्वारा प्रदत्त एवं धारित है तथा शेष  
0.74% हिस्सा पूँजी सदस्य सहकारी समितियों की है। झारखण्ड  
सरकार की कोई हिस्सा पूँजी बिहार राज्य सहकारी विपणन संघ लि०  
(बिस्कोमान) में निवेशित नहीं है।

अतः झारखण्ड सरकार द्वारा नामित निदेशक मल्टी स्टेट को-ऑपरेटिव  
सोसाईटी एक्ट, 2002 की धारा-48 (1) (सी) के अनुकूल नहीं है।”

4. RO vide his letter dated 03.05.2025 has stated that comments of RCS, Govt. of Jharkhand have not been received till that date and has also agreed with the notification of govt. Of Bihar dated 3.4.2025 regarding NIL shareholding of Jharkhand Govt. in BISCOMAUN.

5. In view of the comments/recommendations of RO BISCOMAUN, inter-alia, mentioning about absence of response from RCS, Govt. of Jharkhand and agreeing with notification dated 03.04.2025 of Govt. of Bihar, the Cooperative Election Authority considered the matter in its 59<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 05.05.2025 and in view of above provisions of Section 48 (1)(a) are not applicable as far as Govt. of Jharkhand is concerned. Earlier, Authority has taken note of RCS, Govt. of Jharkhand's letter dated 06.02.2025 addressed to Administrator, BISCOMAUN seeking a seat on the Board of Director as per Bye Law no 27(VI).



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6. Keeping in view, position as in preceding paragraphs, The Cooperative Election Authority decided that there cannot be a nominee director of Govt. of Jharkhand on the Board of BISCOMAUN in the absence of equity share holding. Therefore, the number of Directors who would participate and vote in enclosed Election Programme for election of Office Bearers in BISCOMAUN on 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> May, 2025, will be 20 Directors only (17 elected directors & 3 nominated directors of Govt of Bihar).

This issues with the approval of Cooperative Election Authority.



Section Officer  
For Cooperative Election Authority

Copy to: -

1. RCS, Govt. of Bihar
2. RCS, Govt. of Jharkhand
3. NIC-for uploading on CRCS Website





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Dated: 05<sup>th</sup> May, 2025


**Revised Election program of Office Bearer (Chairman-1 & Vice-Chairman-1)**

Attachment of the letter no. CEA-12011/25/2024 dated 05<sup>th</sup> May, 2025 for conduct of election of Office Bearers.

(A) General Information			
Name of MSCS		Bihar State Cooperative Marketing Union Ltd, BISCOMAUN	
Returning Officer		DM /DC Patna	
Number of directors		20 Elected- 17 (14 General, 2 Women & 1 SC/ST) Nominated under Section 48 (1) (c): 3 from Govt. of Bihar	
Polling Booth		A Polling booth to be setup	
(B) Revised Election program of Office Bearer (Chairman-1 & Vice-Chairman-1)			
	Particulars	Date	Time
1	Announcement of Election Schedule	08 <sup>th</sup> May, 2025 (Thursday)	
	Time window for filing Nomination		10:00 am – 11:00 am
	Scrutiny of nomination papers		11:00 am – 12:00 pm
	Time window for withdrawal of Nominations		12:00 pm – 01:00 pm
	Display of list of the valid nominations		01:00 pm – 01:30 pm
2	Meeting of the Board of Directors to elect Office Bearers and poll, if required	09 <sup>th</sup> May, 2025 (Friday)	11:00 AM Onwards
3	Declaration of Result of Election of Office Bearers	After approval of Cooperative Election Authority, New Delhi in Format 19N under Rule 19N	

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(Section Officer)  
Cooperative Election Authority