

No. CEA-12011/145/2024
Government of India
Ministry of Cooperation
The Co-operative Election Authority

09th Floor, Tower E, World Trade Centre
Nauroji Nagar, New Delhi -110029
Dated: 23rd May, 2025

ORDER

Sub.: Election of Mission RIEV Multi State Multipurpose Cooperative Society Limited, Shimla.

Ref.: letter no. 3-15/2022-Coop. MSCS-407 dated 19.05.2025

The Cooperative Election Authority (CEA) has been established under section 45(1) of the Multi-State Cooperative Societies (MSCS) Act, 2002 to conduct elections of multi-state cooperative societies spread across the country.

2. Further, in exercise of the powers conferred under section 45K (1) of the aforesaid Act read with rule 19F(a) of MSCS Rules, 2002, the Cooperative Election Authority, vide Order dated 24.04.2025, appointed District Magistrate/Collector, Shimla as the Returning Officer to conduct the election of Mission RIEV Multi State Multipurpose Cooperative Society Limited, Shimla, as per the election programme enclosed thereto.

3. Besides the above, elections of MSCSs across the country are being conducted by DMs /DCs concerned as Returning Officers appointed by the Authority.

4. Therefore, the explanation contained in letter no. 3-15/2022-Coop. MSCS-407 dated 19.05.2025 regarding inability to conduct the election of the aforesaid society as RO is not acceptable.

5. However, the Authority appoints Assistant Registrar, Cooperative Societies, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh as an Assistant Returning Officers (ARO) to assist Returning Officer for conducting elections.



6. The Authority has, therefore, directed to take all necessary actions to ensure the conduction of the election of the aforesaid society, in accordance with the MSCS Act and Rules.

7. Furthermore, in response to letter no. 3-15/2022-Coop.MSCS-2151 dated 05.02.2025, the reply has been already given vide e-mail dated 07.02.2025 (enclosed) that the election to be done as per Act and the authority has not notified use of electronic machine. Election has to be conducted using paper ballot for conduct of polls.

8. This issues with the approval of Co-operative Election Authority.

Encl: as above

By Order



(Authorized Signatory)
Cooperative Election Authority

To,

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Opposite CTO Building, Lower Bazar,
Shimla, Himachal Pradesh-171001
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