

No. CEA-12011/521/2026
Government of India
Ministry of Cooperation
The Co-operative Election Authority

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Nauroji Nagar, New Delhi -110029
Dated: 26th May, 2026

To,

The Chief Executive Officer/ Managing Director
Mahesh Co-operative Milk Union Limited Ashti,
Shiral Road, Murshadpur, Tal – Ashti,
Beed, Maharashtra – 414203
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Subject : Amendment of Bye-Laws in consonance with the MSCS Act, 2002 (Amended in 2023) of Mahesh Co-operative Milk Union Limited Ashti, Beed, Maharashtra

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your election request uploaded on the portal for conduct of election of your society and to say that the Bye Laws of the Society have never been amended after its incorporation in the year 2005.

2. As you may be aware that the MSCS Act, 2002 has been amended in 2023 and the Societies are required to align their Bye-Laws as per the MSCS Act, 2002 (Amended in 2023).

3. While going through the Bye-Laws, it has been observed that:

- i. That the bye-laws do not account for election by the Cooperative Election Authority.

Post amendment of MSCS Act, the elections of BoDs have to be conducted by Cooperative Election Authority. {Ref. Section 45-I and 45-J of MSCS Act, 2002 (as amended in 2023)}

- ii. The Regulations to conduct election are now part of the Rules which was earlier part of abolished Annexure.
- iii. Bye-laws have to account for conduct of election for filling of Casual Vacancy by CEA as per Section 45J.
- iv. Bye-laws 35, there is no provision for Women and SC/ST Directors.
- v. A list of Members keeping in view various provisions of Bye-laws needs to be prepared by the Society as on 31.03.2026 and upload on the website of the Society for the information and necessary action of members.
- vi. Besides elections, the amended MSCS Act in 2023 has made significant provisions including for contribution to Education Fund, etc.



4. It was also observed that the society has not submitted the copy of Previous Election Proceedings.
5. You are therefore requested to amend the Bye-Laws of the society in consonance with the MSCS Act, 2002 (as amended in 2023) and submit the approved amended Bye-Laws and also to submit the copy of Previous Election Proceeding to CEA so as to enable the Authority to issue the Election Programme.
6. This issues with the approval of competent authority.



Sanjeev Kumar

(Sanjeev Kumar)
Director, CEA

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