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PART III

PUNJAB GOVERNMENT

HEALTH AND FAMILY PLANNING DEPARTMENT

Notification

The 27th October, 1971

No. G.S.R.71/P.A. 42/63/S. 54/Amd./71.—With reference to the Punjab Government, Health and Family Planning Department Notification No. G.S.R. 71/P.A. 42/63/S. 54/Amd./71, dated the 23rd August, 1971 and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 54 of the Punjab Ayurvedic and Unani Practitioners Act, 1963 and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the President of India is pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Punjab Ayurvedic and Unani Practitioners (Election) Rules, 1965, namely :—

RULES

1. These rules may be called the Punjab Ayurvedic and Unani Practitioners (Election First Amendment) Rules, 1971.

2. In the Punjab Ayurvedic and Unani Practitioners (Election) Rules, 1965 (hereinafter referred to as the said rules), in clause (d) of rule 2 and sub-rule (1) of rule 12, between the words "practitioner" and "whose name" wherever occurring, the words "residing in the State of Punjab" shall be inserted.

3. In the said rules, in rule 4, between the words "practitioners" and "shall" the words "residing in the State of Punjab" shall be inserted and after this rule, the following new rule shall be inserted, namely :—

"4-A. *Division of Punjab State into constituencies.*—For the purposes of section 3, the State of Punjab shall be divided into territorial constituencies in such manner that the ratio between the Electors of each constituency and the number of seats allotted to that constituency shall, as far as practicable, be the same throughout the State."

4. In the said rules, in rule 14, between the words "votes" and "the deposit", the words "from that constituency" shall be inserted.

5. In the said rules, in sub-rule (1) of rule 18, between the words "nominated candidates" and "in form II", the words "for each constituency" shall be inserted.

6. In the said rules, in rule 19, after the words "contesting candidates" wherever occurring, the words "for any constituency" shall be inserted.

7. In the said rules, in sub-rule (1) of rule 21, for the word "office" the word "officer" shall be substituted.

8. In the said rules, for rule 25, the following rule shall be substituted namely :—

"25. *Manner of recording votes.*—(1) Every elector in a constituency shall have as many votes as there are seats to be filled in that constituency at the election.
Sections 4 and 54(2)(b).

(2) Such an elector, when giving his votes, shall place the mark "X" in the space opposite the name of the contesting candidates

candidates in a single member constituency or double-member constituency, as the case may be, for whom he desires to vote."

9. In the said rules, in rule 27--,

(a) in clause (b), for the words "at the election" the words "in a constituency" shall be substituted ; and

(b) in proviso,—

(i) for the word "of" occurring between the brackets and letter "(c)" and the words "the total" the word "if" shall be substituted ;

(ii) between the words "to be filled" and "and there is no uncertainty" the words "in a constituency" shall be inserted ; and

(iii) for the word "than" occurring between the words "candidate" and "the ballot paper", the word "then" shall be substituted

10. In the said rules, in rule 29, between the words "completed" and "the Returning Officer", the words "for a constituency" and between the words "given" and "to be filled" the words "in the constituency" shall be inserted.

11. In the said rules in Form I, the word and dash "constituency—" shall be added below the heading "Nomination Paper".

12. In the said rules, in Form II, the words and dash "for the constituency" shall be inserted after the words "nominated candidates".

13. In the said rules, in Form III, the words and dash "Name of constituency—" shall be added below the heading "Front of Ballot Paper".

PRITMOHINDER SINGH,

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