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**Sharing, spreading, comments, posts or contents inciting hatred
among public prohibited**

Shillong, April 2nd, 2019: The Returning Officer, 1-Shillong (ST) Parliamentary Constituency has informed that sharing, spreading, comments, posts or messages of communal nature and contents inciting hatred among public using any type of medium, including social media, is not only prohibited but punishable under appropriate sections of IPC and IT Act, and therefore all are requested to refrain from committing such action in order to facilitate free and fair election, and for maintenance of peace, communal harmony and normal law and order situation in the region.