

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
ELECTION DEPARTMENT**



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PRESS NOTE

ECI Announces Voter-Friendly Measures under SIR 2026, introduces Doorstep Facilitation for Electors; Final Publication in Meghalaya Extended to 26th October and Over 93% of Notice Cases Completed

Shillong, 1st October, 2026: The Election Commission of India (ECI) has announced important voter-friendly measures to facilitate electors during the ongoing Special Intensive Revision (SIR), 2026.

As per ECI Press Note No. ECI/PN/120/2026 dated 26th September, 2026, the following measures will apply:

- BLOs will visit the homes of electors who have been issued notices for being unmapped or having logical discrepancies, collect the required documents and upload them on ECINet for decision by the concerned ERO.
- Such electors need not visit the ERO/AERO office for hearing.
- Only in exceptional circumstances, as decided by the ERO, will a hearing be required, and such hearing will preferably be held online.
- If a hearing is required, the elector may authorise any adult member of the family to attend on his/her behalf.
- DEOs will establish Help Desks and organise Special Camps, as required, to facilitate persons living in night shelters, labourers, economically disadvantaged persons, homeless persons and others requiring assistance.

The Chief Electoral Officer, Meghalaya has directed all DEOs, EROs, AEROs and BLOs to ensure effective implementation of these facilitation measures and provide every concerned elector adequate opportunity during the revision process.

Final Publication Extended to 26th October, 2026

Further, as per ECI Press Note No. ECI/PN/121/2026 dated 30th September, 2026, the Commission has extended the date for Final Publication of the Electoral Roll in Meghalaya to 26th October, 2026.

Status of SIR as on the 1st October, 2026

The Special Intensive Revision (SIR), 2026 in Meghalaya has made substantial progress, with 6,06,939 cases completed out of 6,51,735 notices generated, representing 93.13% as on 1st October, 2026.

Out of 21,69,243 electors in the Draft Electoral Roll, notices were generated for 6,51,735 electors, comprising 2,22,786 No Mapping cases and 4,28,949 cases involving mapping discrepancies. So far, 1,194 electors have been found ineligible for the Final Electoral Roll after the prescribed process, while 19,71,723 electors have been parked for Final Publication.

During the revision process, 23,259 Forms have also been received and digitised, comprising 12,624 Form 6, 1,616 Form 7, 1,590 Form 8 for shifting and 7,429 Form 8 for correction. Political parties have appointed 1,814 Booth Level Agents (BLAs) across the State to participate in the revision process.

Electors who have received notices are requested to cooperate with their BLOs and furnish the required documents when contacted. All electors are also advised to check and confirm their names in the Final Electoral Roll after its publication.

BLOs WILL COME TO YOUR DOORSTEP

COOPERATE WITH YOUR BLO • PROVIDE THE REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

NO ELIGIBLE ELECTOR SHOULD BE LEFT BEHIND



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