

Copy of letter No. 36/6/79-5GS I, dated 31st August, 1979, from the Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana to all Heads of Departments, etc. etc.

Subject :—General Elections to Lok Sabha, 1979—Ban on postings and transfers.

I am directed to address you on the subject noted above and to say that it has been decided by the Government that officers and other personnel who are actually connected or are likely to be associated with the work relating to the revision of electoral rolls, conduct of elections and maintenance of law and order during elections, namely, Deputy Commissioners, Superintendents of Police, District Election Officers, Sub Divisional Magistrates, General Assistants, Assistant General Assistants, Tahsildars, Block Development Officers, Officers of Local Bodies, State Undertakings, teachers and others whose services are expected to be required for work relating to elections should not be transferred from the 1st of September, 1979 onwards till the 31st December, 1979 and no proposals for such transfers should be sent to the Government.

2. You are also requested to ensure that grant of leave to these officers and personnel is restricted to the barest minimum and that too, in exceptional circumstances, so that the election work does not suffer.

Yours faithfully,
(S.D. BHAMBRI)
Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana.

A copy is forwarded for information and necessary action to Financial Commissioner, Revenue and Development, Haryana; and All Administrative Secretaries to Government, Haryana.