

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYATS

Notification

The 10th April, 2008

No. G.S.R.29/P.A.9/1994/Ss. 12, 106 and 227/Amd.(2)/2008.—With reference to Government of Punjab, Department of Rural Development and Panchayats, Notification No. G.S.R. 27/P.A.9/1994/Ss.12, 106 and 227/Amd./2008, dated the 2nd April, 2008, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 227 read with section 12, 106 and 169 of the Punjab Panchayati Raj Act, 1994 (Punjab Act No. 9 of 1994), and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Punjab Reservation for the Offices of Sarpanches of Gram Panchayats and Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen of Panchayat Samitis and Zila Parishads Rules, 1994, namely :—

RULES

1. These rules may be called the Punjab Reservation for the Offices of Sarpanches of Gram Panchayats and Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen of Panchayat Samitis and Zila Parishads (Second Amendment) Rules, 2008.

2. In the Punjab Reservation for the Offices of Sarpanches of Gram Panchayats and Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen of Panchayat Samitis and Zila Parishads Rules, 1994 (hereinafter referred to as the said rules), in rules 3, after sub-rule (2), the following shall be inserted, namely :—

“(3) The roster referred to in sub-rules (1) and (2) shall be prepared block-wise by the Deputy Commissioner.”

3. In the said rules, after rule 7, the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

“7A. If as a result of rotation as per rule 6 office of Chairman of Zila Parishad or Panchayat Samiti, as the case may be, is reserved for Scheduled Castes or for Scheduled Castes Women, then the office of Vice-Chairman of that Zila Parishad or Panchayat Samiti as far as possible, be kept for general category candidate or for a woman of general category by shifting the point to next lower point, which as a result of rotation, is likely to be kept for general category candidate. In such a situation, such a lower point shall be deemed to have been reserved in place of the point so de-reserved.”

GURINDERJIT SINGH SANDHU,

Financial Commissioner and Principal Secretary to
Government of Punjab, Department of Rural
Development and Panchayats.