



**KEY HIGHLIGHTS**  
OF  
**GENERAL ELECTION, 1957**  
TO  
**THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY**  
OF  
**ORRISA**

**ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA**  
**NEW DELHI**

**Election Commission of India - General Election, 1957 to the Legislative  
Assembly of Orrisa**

**STATISTICAL REPORT**

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## LIST OF PARTICIPATING POLITICAL PARTIES

<b>PARTYTYPE</b>	<b>ABBREVIATION</b>	<b>PARTY</b>
<b>NATIONAL PARTIES</b>		
1 .	CPI	COMMUNIST PARTY OF INDIA
2 .	INC	INDIAN NATIONAL CONGRESS
3 .	PSP	PRAJA SOCIALIST PARTY
<b>STATE PARTIES</b>		
4 .	GP	GANATANTRA PARISHAD
<b>INDEPENDENTS</b>		
5 .	IND	INDEPENDENT

<b>OTHER ABBREVIATIONS AND DESCRIPTION</b>
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<b>ABBREVIATION</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
FD	Forfeited Deposits
Gen	General Constituency
SC	Reserved for Scheduled Castes
ST	Reserved for Scheduled Tribes
M	Men
W	Women
T	Total
N	National Party
S	State Party
U	Registered (Unrecognised) Party
Z	Independent

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## HIGHLIGHTS

### 1. NO. OF CONSTITUENCIES

TYPE OF CONSTITUENC	GEN	SC	ST	TOTAL
NO. OF CONSTITUENCIE	58	25	18	101

### 2. NO. OF CONTESTANTS

NO. OF CONTESTANTS IN A CONSTITUENCY	1	2	3	4	5	6-10	11-15	Above15
NO. OF SUCH CONSTITUENCIES	1	13	24	16	11	28	8	0

TOTAL CONTESTANTS IN FRAY : 517

AVERAGE CONTESTANTS PER CONSTITUENCY : 5

MINIMUM CONTESTANTS IN A CONSTITUENCY : 1 IN 64 - SATYABADI

MAXIMUM CONTESTANTS IN A CONSTITUENCY : 15 IN 25 - PHULBANI

### 3. ELECTORS

	TOTAL
i. NO. OF ELECTORS	7983975
ii. NO. OF ELECTORS ENTITLED TO VOTE	12467800 *
iii. NO. OF ELECTORS WHO VOTED	4256013
iv. POLLING PERCENTAGE ( (iii/ii) * 100)	34.14%

4. NO. OF VALID VOTES : 4256013

\* - The (ii) includes electors for more than 1-seat.

**LIST OF SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES**

CONSTITUENCY	WINNER	PARTY
1. OMERKOTE	RADHAKRISHNA BISWAS ROY	INC
2. NOWRANGPUR (SC)	SADASIVA TRIPATHY	INC
	HARIJAN MIRU	INC
3. JEYPUR (SC)	HARIHAR MISHRA	GP
	LAICHAN NAIK	GP
4. MALKANGIRI	MADAKAMI GURU	GP
5. PADWA	LAXMANA GOUDO	GP
6. KORAPUT	LACMANA PUJARI	GP
7. POTTANGI	MALLU SANTA	INC
8. RAYAGADA	KAMMAYYA MANDANGI	INC
9. GUNUPUR (ST)	NARASIMHO PATRO	INC
	SANYASI CHARAN PIDIKAKA	INC
10. PARLAKIMEDI	NALLA KURMUNAIKULU	IND
11. R UDAIGIRI (ST)	RAM BHUYA	INC
12. DIGAPAHANDI (SC)	MOHANA NAYAK	INC
	DEVI ANANGACANJARI	INC
13. BERHAMPUR (SC)	LINGARAJ PANIGRAHI	INC
	DANDAPANI DAS	INC
14. DURA	P. V. JAGANADHA RAO	INC
15. CHATRAPUR	YATIRAJ PROHARAJ	INC
16. KHALIKOTE	NARAYAN SAHU	IND
17. HINJILI	BRUNADABANO NAYAK	INC
18. KODALA WEST	HARIHARO DAS	INC
19. KODALA EAST	RAMCHANDRO MARDARAJ DEV	INC
20. BHANJANAGAR (SC)	GOVINDA PRADHAN	CPI
	SUMA NAIK	CPI
21. ASKA	HARIHARA DASS	CPI
22. SURUDA	BIJAYANANDA PATNAIK	INC
23. BALLIGUDA	LOKANATH PATRA	GP
24. G UDAIGIRI	SARANGADHAR PRODHAN	GP
25. PHULBANI (SC)	ANIRUDHA DIPA	GP
	HIMANSHU SHEKHAR PADHI	GP
26. BHAWANIPATNA (ST)	KARUNAKAR BHOI	GP
	PRATAP KESHARI DEO	GP
27. KASIPUR (SC)	KISHORE CHANDRA DEO	GP
	MANIKRAI NAIK	GP
28. DHARMAGARH (ST)	JANARDAN MAJHI	GP
	BIRAKESHARI DEO	GP
29. NAWAPARA (ST)	ANUPSINGH DEO	INC
	GHASIRAM MAJHI	INC

CONSTITUENCY	WINNER	PARTY
30. TITLAGARH (SC)	ACHYUTANANDA MAHANAND	GP
	RAJENDRANARAYAN SINGH DEO	GP
31. PATNAGARH (ST)	AINTHU SAHOO	GP
	ASHARAM BHOI	GP
32. LOISINGHA	RAM PRASAD MISRA	GP
33. BOLANGIR (ST)	NANDA KISHORE MISRA	GP
	RAMESH CHANDRA BHOI	GP
34. SONEPUR (SC)	ANANTARAM NANDA	GP
	DAULATA GANDA	GP
35. PADAMPUR (ST)	B. B. S. BARIHA	INC
	L. M. S. BARIHA	GP
36. BARGARH (SC)	MAHANAND BAHADUR	GP
	NIKUNJA BIHARI SINGH	GP
37. BHATLI	NATABAR BANCHHOR	CPI
38. SAMBALPUR (SC)	LAKSHMIPRASAD MISRA	GP
	GHASI BHIKHARI	GP
39. KATARBAGA	PURUSOTTAM PANDA	GP
40. DEOGARH (ST)	RANI JYOTIMANJARI DEBI	GP
	JAYADEB THAKUR	GP
41. JHARSUGUDA (ST)	PANI BIJAYA KUMAR	INC
	NAIK MANOHAR	GP
42. SUNDERGARH (ST)	UDIT PRATAP SHEKHAR DEO	GP
	GANGADHAR PRADHAN	GP
43. RAJGANGPUR (ST)	SHANTI PRAKAS ORAM	IND
44. BISRA (ST)	MUNDA NIRMAL	IND
45. BONAI (ST)	ARJUN NAIK	GP
46. CHAMPUA (ST)	NAIK GURUCHARAN	GP
	MISRA RAJBALLAV	GP
47. KEONJHAR (ST)	JANARDAN BHANJ DEO	GP
	KRUSHNA CHANDRA MAHAPATRA	IND
48. ANANDPUR (SC)	BIRAKISHORE JENA	GP
	UPENDRANATH JENA	GP
49. PAL LAHARA	MRUTYUNJOY PAL	GP
50. TALCHER	PABITRA MOHAN PRADHAN	INC
51. K NAGAR	RATNAPRABHA DEVI	GP
52. DHEKNANAL (ST)	KALIA DEHURI	GP
	SANKARPRATAP SINGDEO MAHENDRA BAHADUR RAJA	GP
53. ANGUL (SC)	KUMUDA CHANDRA SINGH	IND
	NARENDRA KUMAR NAYAK	CPI
54. ATHMALLIK	KHETRAMOHAN PANIGRAHHI	GP
55. DASPALLA (SC)	SRIDHAR NAIK	GP
	RAJA BAHADUR KISHORE CHANDRA DEO BHANJ	INC

CONSTITUENCY	WINNER	PARTY
56. KHANDPARA	HARIHAR SINGH MARDARAJ BHARMARABAY ROY	INC
57. NAYAGARH	KRUSHNA CH. SINGH MANDHATA	IND
58. RANPUR	BASANT MANJARI DEVI	INC
59. BEGUNIA	SATYANANDA CHAMPATI RAY	INC
60. KHURDA	PRANANATH PATTNAIK	CPI
61. BHUBANESWAR	SATYAPRIYA MOHANTY	INC
62. BRAHMAGIRI	PADMA CHARAN SAMANTA SINHAR	INC
63. PURI	HARIHAR BAHINIPATI	PSP
64. SATYABADI	NILAKANTHA DAS	INC
65. PIPILI (SC)	GOPINATH BHOI	INC
	RAMCHANDRA PATTNAIK	IND
66. KAKATPUR (SC)	BHARAT DAS	CPI
	MOHAN DAS	CPI
67. BANKI	JOGESH CHANDRA ROUT	INC
68. BARAMBA	RANI SAHEBA KANAKLATA DEBI	GP
69. ATHGARH	RADHANATH RATH	INC
70. CUTTACK CITY	BIREN MITRA	INC
71. CUTTACK SADAR (SC)	PUNANANDA SAMAL	INC
	RAJ KRUSHNA BOSE	INC
72. JAGATSINGHPUR (SC)	NILAMONI PRADHAN	INC
	KANDURI CHARAN MALICK	PSP
73. SALEPUR (SC)	BAIDHAR BEHERA	PSP
	PRADIPTA KISHORE DAS	PSP
74. BALIKUDA	BAIKUNTHANATH MOHANTY	PSP
75. ERSAMA	LOKANATH CHOUDHURY	CPI
76. TIRTOL	NIHAMANI KHUNTIA	PSP
77. PATKURA	LOKANATH MISRA	INC
78. RAJNAGAR	ANANTA CHARAN TRIPATHY	IND
79. AUL	RAJA SAILENDRA NARAYAN BHANJA DEO	INC
80. KENDRAPARA (SC)	PRAHALAD MALIK	INC
	DINABANDHU SAHU	INC
81. BINJHARPUR	BANKABEHARI DAS	PSP
82. BARCHANA	JADUMONI MANGARAJ	INC
83. DHARMASALA (SC)	MADAN MOHAN PATNAYAK	INC
	MAYADHAR SINHA	INC
84. JAJPUR (SC)	GADADHAR DUTTA	INC
	SANTANUKUMAR DAS	INC
85. DHAMANAGAR	MURALIDHAR JENA	INC
86. CHANDBALI (SC)	NANDAKISHORE JENA	INC
	NILAMANI ROUSTRAY	INC
87. BHADRAK	NITYANANDA MOHAPATRA	IND
88. SORO (SC)	CHAITANYA SETHI	INC
	HAREKRUSHNA MAHATAB	INC



<b>CONSTITUENCY</b>	<b>WINNER</b>	<b>PARTY</b>
89. NILGIRI	NILAMBAR DAS	INC
90. BALASORE	RABINDRAMOHAN DAS	PSP
91. BASTA	AKSHYA NARAYAN PRAHARAJ	INC
92. BHOGRAI	DURGASANKAR DAS	INC
93. JALESWAR	PRASANNA KUMAR PAL	PSP
94. BAISINGA (SC)	PANCHANAN DAS	INC
	PRASANNAKUMAR DAS	PSP
95. UDALA	MANMOHAN TUDU	INC
96. KARANJIA	LAL SAHEB NALIN CHANDRA BHANJ DEO	GP
97. JASHIPUR	MOCHIRAM TIRIA	GP
98. RAIRANGPUR	HARDEV TRIYA	IND
99. BAHALDA	SUNDARMOHUN HEMROM	IND
100. BANGIRIPOSI	RADHAMOHAN NAIK	GP
101. BARIPADA (ST)	HARIHAR MOHANTY	PSP
	SAMAI MAJHI	IND

<b>PERFORMANCE OF POLITICAL PARTIES</b>
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PARTY	SEATS				VOTES POLLED		VOTE % IN SEATS CONTESTED
	CONTESTED	RETIRED	WON	FD	VOTES	%	
<b>NATIONAL PARTIES</b>							
1 . <b>CPI</b>	43		9	18	357659	8.40%	26.68%
2 . <b>INC</b>	140		56	11	1628180	38.26%	38.26%
3 . <b>PSP</b>	46		11	14	442508	10.40%	28.08%
	229		76	43	2428347	57.06%	
<b>STATE PARTIES</b>							
4 . <b>GP</b>	108	1	51	22	1223014	28.74%	34.90%
	108	1	51	22	1223014	28.74%	
<b>INDEPENDENTS</b>							
5 . <b>IND</b>	171	8	13	145	604652	14.21%	21.36%
	171	8	13	145	604652	14.21%	
<b>Grand Total :</b>	508	9	140	210	4256013		

**Note :** RETIRED CANDIDATES NOT SHOWN AMONG CONTESTING CANDIDATES, BUT INCLUDED IN NUMBER OF CANDIDATES FORFEITED DEPOSITES (FD).

<b>CANDIDATES DATA SUMMARY</b>
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	TYPE OF CONSTITUENCY			TOTAL
	GEN	SC	ST	
<b>1. NO. OF CONSTITUENCIES</b>	58	25	18	101
<b>2. NOMINATIONS FILED</b>				
<b>a. Men</b>				
<b>b. Women</b>				
<b>c. Total</b>				646
<b>3. NOMINATIONS REJECTED</b>				
<b>a. Men</b>				
<b>b. Women</b>				
<b>c. Total</b>				129
<b>4. NOMINATIONS WITHDRAWN</b>				
<b>a. Men</b>				
<b>b. Women</b>				
<b>c. Total</b>				0
<b>5. CONTESTING CANDIDATES</b>				
<b>a. Men</b>				
<b>b. Women</b>				
<b>c. Total</b>				517
<b>6. FORFEITED DEPOSITS</b>				
<b>a. Men</b>				
<b>b. Women</b>				
<b>c. Total</b>				209

<b>ELECTORS DATA SUMMARY</b>
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		TYPE OF CONSTITUENCY			
		GEN	SC	ST	TOTAL
<b>1.</b>	<b>NO. OF CONSTITUENCIES</b>				
	Single Member	58	0	4	62
	Double Member	0	25	14	39
	<b>Total</b>	58	25	18	101
<b>2.</b>	<b>ELECTORS</b>				
	Single Member	3271766	0	228384	3500150
	Double Member	0	2941952	1541873	4483825
	<b>Total</b>	3271766	2941952	1770257	7983975
<b>3.</b>	<b>ELECTORS WHO VOTED</b>				
	Single Member	1241685	0	228384	1470069
	Double Member	0	1983217	948183	2931400
	<b>Total</b>	1241685	1983217	1176567	4401469
<b>4.</b>	<b>POLL PERCENTAGE</b>	37.95	33.71	35.52	35.30
<b>5.</b>	<b>VALID VOTES</b>	1241685	1983217	1031111	4256013

**WOMEN CANDIDATES**

CONSTITUENCY									
Rank	CANDIDATE	PARTY	Votes Polled		Statu	Winner's Votes	Margin	Total Valid Votes	
			Votes	%					
<b>12 - DIGAPAHANDI (SC)</b>									
1	DEVI ANANGACANJARI	INC	18060	33.48	W	18060	0	53949	
6	HIRAMALI PATOMAHA DEVI	GP	4079	7.56	F	18060	13981	53949	
<b>31 - PATNAGARH (ST)</b>									
4	CHANDRA KUMARI	INC	9259	12.90	F	26895	17636	71784	
<b>35 - PADAMPUR (ST)</b>									
11	KAMALA MISRA	IND	831	1.65	F	12521	11690	50465	
<b>36 - BARGARH (SC)</b>									
3	SARASWATI PRADHAN	INC	9751	15.51	F	12134	2383	62884	
<b>40 - DEOGARH (ST)</b>									
1	RANI JYOTIMANJARI DEBI	GP	23728	29.00	W	23728	0	81807	
<b>51 - K NAGAR</b>									
1	RATNAPRABHA DEVI	GP	20784	78.92	W	20784	0	26337	
<b>58 - RANPUR</b>									
1	BASANT MANJARI DEVI	INC	17700	60.56	W	17700	0	29225	
<b>63 - PURI</b>									
2	KUNTALA DEBI	INC	9508	41.34	N	12149	2641	23000	
3	SARASWATI DEBI	IND	1343	5.84	F	12149	10806	23000	
<b>68 - BARAMBA</b>									
1	RANI SAHEBA KANAKLATA DEBI	GP	14715	43.54	W	14715	0	33794	
<b>76 - TIRTOL</b>									
2	RATNAMALI JEMA	INC	11425	35.23	N	19268	7843	32431	
<b>77 - PATKURA</b>									
4	SRIMATI DASS	IND	2105	8.60	F	9419	7314	24463	
<b>78 - RAJNAGAR</b>									
3	SARASWATI DEBI	INC	7438	27.15	N	10858	3420	27396	
<b>79 - AUL</b>									
2	RAM RAJA KUMARI	IND	11622	34.26	N	18143	6521	33924	
<b>83 - DHARMASALA (SC)</b>									
3	MALATI DAS	PSP	18694	19.37	N	30324	11630	96502	

N.B. : Candidate Status : W - Winner, F - Forfeited Deposit, N - Not Won and not Forfeited Deposit.

<b>Total Women Contestants:</b>	16
<b>Total Elected Women :</b>	5