

# ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

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## Bihar Legislative Assembly General Election, 2015

### **Arrangements for counting in 243 ACs of Bihar on 08.11.2015**

Under the directions of the ECI , an elaborate arrangement has been done for the smooth conduct of counting of the Bihar Legislative Assembly elections- 2015. The main highlights of the arrangements are as follows

- Trends/Results of counting will be displayed on ECI website and CEO, Bihar website on a regular basis. Election Commission of India will display the trends of counting of votes and results on 8th Nov 2015 starting from 8.00 AM through website. The URL of the website is **ecireresults.nic.in**. The website of Election Commission of India **eci.nic.in** will also have related link.
- There are 243 counting halls in 39 counting centres approved by the ECI. All counting centres are situated in the district headquarters. In Saharsa district, there are two counting centres separated by common road and in remaining 37 districts, there is one counting premise.
- 243 observers from ECI have been deployed to supervise the counting process.
- 24 x 7 three tier security has been ensured on all counting centers with the inner cordon being manned by CAPF.
- CCTVs have been installed at all counting centres.
- Training has been provided to all officials involved in the counting. State level refresher training has further been given to all District Election Officer-cum-District Magistrate, ROs, Dy. Eos, DIOs, IT Managers and other technical persons.

- Necessary infrastructure like computers, internet (Data cards) of at least two different Telecom Service Providers, Printers, Photocopiers, Standby generators, fire extinguishers etc. have been arranged at all counting centres.
- Media centre has been established at all counting centres with necessary facilities for communication.
- Randomization of officials for counting duties will be done under the supervision of ECI Observers as per the direction of ECI.
- Necessary arrangement has been done and training has been imparted to all concerned persons for uploading of data on Genesys and e-counting software of NIC.

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