



**STATE ELECTION COMMISSION  
GOA**

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**Date: 29 .11.2025**

**ORDER**

**Sub.:- Maximum Limit of Expenditure to be incurred by the Contesting Candidates for General Election to North Goa Zilla Panchayat and South Goa Zilla Panchayat.**

**Read:-1/199/Standing orders/2020-SEC/1233      Dated: 30/10/2020.**

**Whereas**, under Article 243K of the Constitution of India, read with Section 237 (1) of the Goa Panchayat Raj Act, 1994 the State Election Commission is vested with the power of Superintendence, direction and control for , Conduct of, all elections to the Panchayat or Zilla Panchayat.

**Whereas** it is necessary and expedient to provide in the interest of purity of election to Zilla Panchayat Constituency an account of expenditure incurred by the candidate and for matters connected therein.

**Now, therefore**, this Commission hereby directs as follows:-

1. Monitoring of election expenditures incurred by the candidates shall be as per above referred Order.
2. The maximum limit of total election expenses by a Candidate in a Constituency of Zilla Panchayat Elections has been fixed at Rs. 5,00,000/-(Rs. Five Lakh only).

**Menino D'Souza, IAS(Retd.)**

**Commissioner**

**State Election Commission, Goa**

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7. The Returning Officers (RO) / Assistant Returning Officers for General Election to North Goa Zilla Panchayat and South Goa Zilla Panchayat.
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