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ORDER

Subject:- Restriction on number of vehicles and people at the time of nominations for Bye Election to Ward No. III of Village Panchayat Arpora Nagao, taluka Bardez, North Goa District in the State of Goa and Ward No. VII of Village Panchayat Sancordem, taluka Dharbandora, Kushavati District in the State of Goa.

While filing of nominations in the office of Returning Officer proper control and order needs to be maintained to avoid overcrowding by the supporters of the candidates so that problem of overcrowding of the office of Returning Officer at the time of filing nomination does not arise. The following directions therefore are to be followed.

The RO/ARO may inform the contestants and interest groups that the maximum number of vehicles that will be allowed to come within the periphery of 100 mtrs. of Returning Officer/Assistant Returning Officer's office shall be **two** and maximum number of persons that will be allowed to enter the office of Returning Officer/Assistant Returning Officer at the time of filing the nomination shall be candidate and his proposer proposing the nomination of the candidate and one more person i.e. there can be only **three person** (including the candidate) who can remain present inside the Returning Officer's room at the time of filing nomination.

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

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4. The Additional Collector - I South Goa District, Margao-Goa.
5. The Director, Directorate of Panchayat, Panaji Goa.

6. The Returning Officers (RO) / Assistant Returning Officer for Bye Election to Ward No. III of Village Panchayat Arpora Nagao.
7. The Returning Officers (RO) / Assistant Returning Officer for Bye Election to Ward No. VII of Village Panchayat Sancordem.
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