



63. (1) A motion of 'no confidence' against the Chief Captain may be moved by any member of an Island Council after giving 15 days notice.

(2) A special meeting of the Island Council shall be convened within a period of 15 days from the date on which the motion has been moved, to deliberate on and decide the no confidence motion.

(3) If the motion of 'no confidence' is carried by a majority of the total membership of the Island Council, the Island Council shall recommend to all the Village General Bodies of that Island, the removal of the Chief Captain from his office.

(4) On receipt of recommendation under sub-section - 3, a special meeting of all the Village General Bodies shall be convened, in such manner as may be prescribed.

(5) One fifth of the total members of the Village General Bodies shall comprise the quorum for the meeting.

(6) Upon the approval of the recommendation under sub-section-4, by a two-thirds majority, the Chief Captain shall cease to hold office from the date on which the recommendation is approved.

(7) If the recommendation of the Island Council is not approved or there is no quorum in the special meeting of all Village General Bodies, no fresh motion of 'no confidence' shall be moved against the Chief Captain of the Island Council within a period of one year from the date on which the recommendation fails to acquire approval of all Village General Bodies or the date on which recommendation could not be considered for lack of quorum.

(8) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Regulation, the Chief Captain shall not preside over a meeting of the Island Council convened under Sub-section (2) and of the Village General Body under sub-section (4), but he shall have a right to speak or take part in the proceedings of such meetings.