

- (g) has been convicted by a criminal court of any offence involving violence or moral turpitude and sentenced to imprisonment for not less than three months and five years have not elapsed since his release, or
- (h) is without permission of the Village Council, absent for three consecutive meetings, or
- (i) is of an unsound mind and has been so declared by a competent court, or
- (j) has been declared by a court to be insolvent, or
- (k) has been disqualified under any law for the time being in force by competent court for adopting a corrupt practice or for commission of an election offence at an election during the period of such disqualification, or
- (l) subject to clause (f) is so disqualified by or under any law for the time being in force for the purpose of elections to the House of the People.

14. If any question arises as to whether a person has become subject to any disqualification referred to in section 4, section 7 or section 13, it shall be referred to the Deputy Commissioner for decision and his decision thereon shall be final:

Provided that before giving any decision on any such question, the Deputy Commissioner shall obtain the opinion of the Election Commission and shall act according to such opinion.

15. The 1st Captain and 2nd Captain shall not hold any office in the Village judicial Council.

16. (i) On the constitution of a Village Council for the first time under this Regulation or on the expiry of the term of a Village Councillor on its reconstitution, a meeting shall be called on a date fixed by the Assistant Commissioner for the election of the 2nd Captain.

(ii) The Assistant Commissioner shall preside at such meeting but shall not have the right to vote,

(iii) No business other than the election of the 2nd Captain shall be transacted at such meeting.

(iv) In case of equality of votes, the result of the election shall be decided by lots drawn in the presence of the Assistant Commissioner in such manner as he may determine.

17. The executive powers of the Village Council under this Regulation and the responsibility for the due fulfillment of the duties imposed on the Village Council under this Regulation and for carrying out the resolution of the Village Council shall vest in the 1st Captain,