

(k) subject to clause (h) is so disqualified by or under any law for the time being in force for the purposes of election of the House of the People.

59 III. If any question arises whether a person has become subject to any disqualification referred to in section 4, section 7 or section 110 it shall be referred to the Chief Secretary, for decision and his decision thereon shall be final:

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

7 50 112.(i) On the constitution of a Island Council for the first time under this Regulation or on the expiry of the term of a Island Council or on its reconstitution, a meeting shall be called on a date fixed by the Deputy Commissioner for the election of the Chief Captain and the Vice-Chief Captain by and from amongst the elected members of the Island Council

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

(iii) No business other than the election of the Chief Captain and Vice Chief 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 Deputy Commissioner in such manner as he may determine.

(v) Subject to any general or special order of the Administrator, the Deputy Commissioner shall reserve not less than one-third of the total number of offices of Chief Captain in the Island Councils for women:

Provided that the offices reserved under this subsection shall be allotted by the Election Commission by rotation to different Island Councils in such manner as may be prescribed.

69 113. The executive powers of the Island Council under this Regulation and the responsibility for the due fulfillment of the duties imposed on the Island Council under this Regulation and for carrying out the resolutions of the Island Council shall vest in the Chief Captain.

7 60 114.(i) The Island Council unless sooner dissolved under any law for the time being in force shall continue in office for five years from the date appointed for its first meeting and no longer.

(ii) An election to constitute a Island Council shall be completed: before the expiry of the its duration specified in sub-section(i);

(a) before the expiration of a period of six months from the date of its dissolution:

(b) Provided that where the remainder of the period for which the dissolved Island Council would have continued is less than six months, It shall not be necessary to hold any election under this sub-section for constituting the Island Council: