

# Press Conference

## Review of Poll Preparedness for forthcoming Assembly Elections in Mizoram – 2023

**August 30, 2023**

# General Overview of Electors



**Total Electors ~ 8.38 lakhs**



**Male**

~ 4.06 lakhs



**Female**

~ 4.32 lakhs



**Service Electors**

5021



**PwD**

~3,058



**80+**

~ 9,190



**Centenarian (100+)**

615



**First time voters (18-19)**

~ 40,934



**Roll Gender Ratio**

1060

**ASSEMBLY  
CONSTITUENCIES**

**Term of Assembly  
17.12.2023**

**TOTAL 40**

**GENERAL - 01  
ST - 39**

# General Overview of Polling Stations



No. of PS  
1,276



Avg. Voter per PS  
657



Urban  
525



Rural  
751



Women Managed  
95



Youth Managed  
PS- 40



PwD managed  
11



Model PS  
40



Webcasting- 638  
PS (50%)





# ENHANCED VOTER EXPERIENCE



40 Model Polling Stations  
for Green Elections



MODEL POLLING STATION INAUGURATED  
BY A DIFFERENTLY ABLED GIRL



Women in Command in 95 PS





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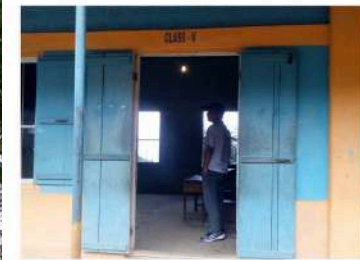
40 Polling Stations  
Managed by Young teams

PwDs to greet at some PS- one  
in each district





# Assured Minimum Facilities



Entry & Exit



Electric Power



RAMP



Toilet



Drinking Water



## PwDs & Senior Citizens



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- All PS at approach road level
- Postal Ballot facility– Form 12 D for Senior Citizens, benchmarked PwD voters – within 5 days of notification
- Ramps with proper gradient
- Volunteers to assist; Priority in Voting
- Pick and Drop facility
- Saksham App for PwDs to facilitate services at Polling Station



## Going to the Last Mile : Inclusive & Participative Elections



22 Non - motorable polling stations in the state



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## Going to the Last Mile : Inclusive & Participative Elections



**District: Mamit**

**AC : 3 – MAMIT**

**PS : 19 – KHANTHUAM**

**Total Electors – 154**

**14 Kms travel through vehicle and 13 Kms walk through Zongaw, huge reserve forest area to reach the polling station**



**District - Mamit**

**AC 3 – MAMIT**

**PS 2 – CHILUI**

**Total Electors – 54**

**72 Kms distance from district HQ on a vehicle and then 10 Kms walk to reach Polling station**

## Going to the Last Mile : Inclusive & Participative Elections



**District : Lunglei**

**AC : 34 – THORANG**

**PS : 1 – MAUZAM**

**Total Electors – 346**

**Vehicle up to Sachan, then 1 hour by boat and then on foot for 3 hours to reach the polling station**



**District : Lunglei**

**AC 35– WEST TUIPUI**

**PS 6 – CHENGKAWLLUI**

**Total Electors – 547**

**Vehicle up to Tlabung, 4 hours by boat and then on foot to reach the polling station**



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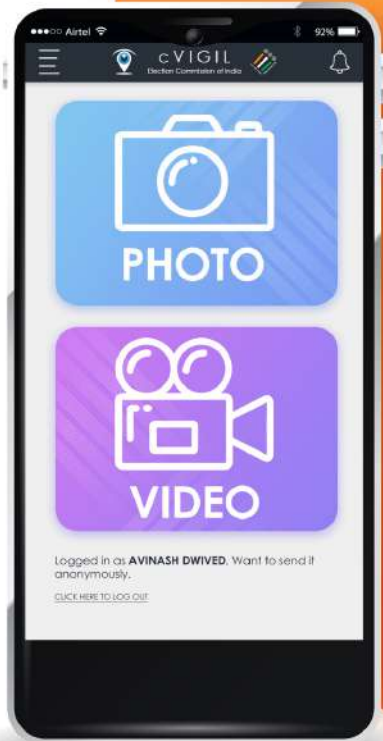
*Vigilant voters, Stronger Democracy*

- Alertness & co-operation of voters
- Single App for recording, reporting, and resolving violation. GIS location facility
- Response in 100-minute timeline
- Anonymous complaints can be registered

**For every REACTION,  
ACTION in 100 minutes**



## cVIGIL MOBILE APP



### ONE APP TO REPORT MODEL CODE OF CONDUCT (MCC) VIOLATION

1. Political Posters/Banners
2. Money Distribution
3. Liquor/Drugs Distribution
4. Gifts/Coupons Distribution
5. Display of Firearms, Intimidation
6. Uses of loud speakers beyond permitted time
7. Religious or Communal speeches/messages
8. Vehicle or Convoy without permission
9. Political Rally/Procession without permission
10. Others

AVAILABLE NOW



# VOTER HELPLINE APP



## Voter Helpline App



- SEARCH YOUR NAME
- DOWNLOAD FORMS
- CHECK YOUR FORM STATUS
- SUBMIT ONLINE FORM
- KNOW ABOUT ELECTION
- READ ABOUT EVM

- Apply Forms online.**
- Check your name in the Electoral Roll**
- View polling booth details**
- Connect with your BLO/ERO**
- Check Election Results**
- Information on use of EVM**
- Download e-EPIC**

GET THE ANSWER YOU HAVE BEEN  
LOOKING FOR

I nformation  
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C omplaint



# Suvidha Portal

- Online portal for filing nomination & Affidavit
- Candidates can also use the portal for seeking permissions for meetings, rallies etc.



## Saksham App

- PwD new registration, migration, correction in EPIC details.
- Request for Wheelchair



## Know your Candidate - Informed Voting



- Affidavit filed by Candidate can be viewed online through KYC app & <https://affidavit.eci.gov.in>
- Empower citizens to make the right choice

### **Mandatory for Candidates with Criminal Antecedents:**

- Publishing information during the campaign period, on 3 different occasions in newspapers and television channels.

### **Mandatory for Political parties to upload detailed information:**

- On their websites/ social media platforms
- In one national and one regional newspaper





# TRANSPARENCY

Free, Fair & Participative Elections

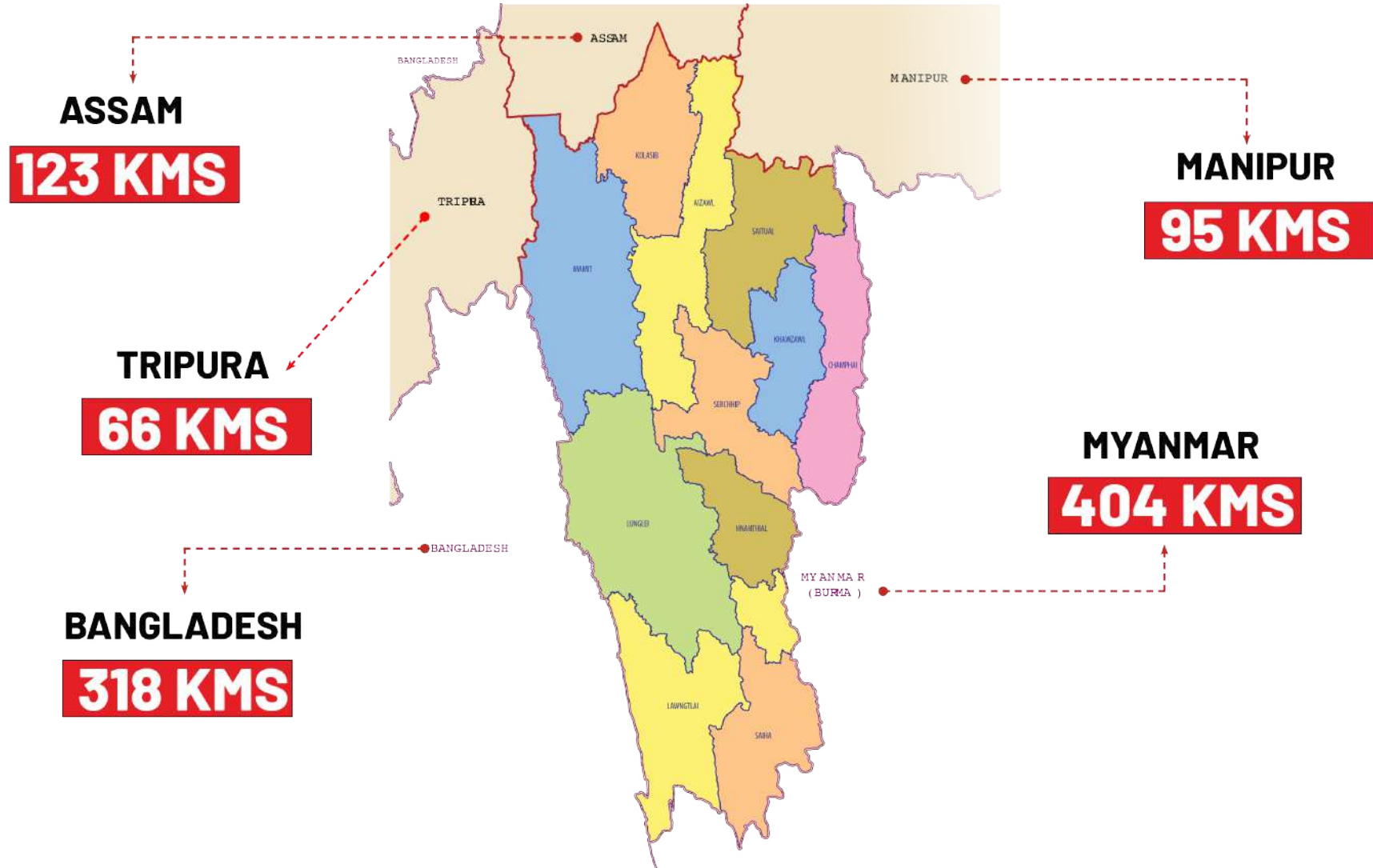
## Vision Of Transparency in Election Process

### Involvement in All Processes from ROLL TO POLL AND COUNTING



- Updation of Electoral Rolls
- Standing Committee meetings
- FLC, Commissioning and Symbol loading
- Mock Polls on 3 occasion for every machine
- Storage, Transportation of EVMs
- Booth level agents, Polling agents, Counting agents
- Strong rooms monitoring by Political Parties
- Voting through Postal Ballot (Home voting )
- Counting

# Strict Vigil on International and Inter-State Borders





# Robust Mechanism for Inducement Free Election

Agencies to work in coordinated approach rather than working in silos  
Mapping of Expenditure Sensitive Constituencies

- ✓ State Police
- ✓ State Excise Dept.
- ✓ Central GST & Customs
- ✓ State GST
- ✓ Directorate of Revenue Intelligence
- ✓ Central Industrial Security Force
- ✓ Central Reserve Police Force
- ✓ Income Tax Department
- ✓ Enforcement Directorate
- ✓ Bureau of Civil Aviation Security(BCAS)

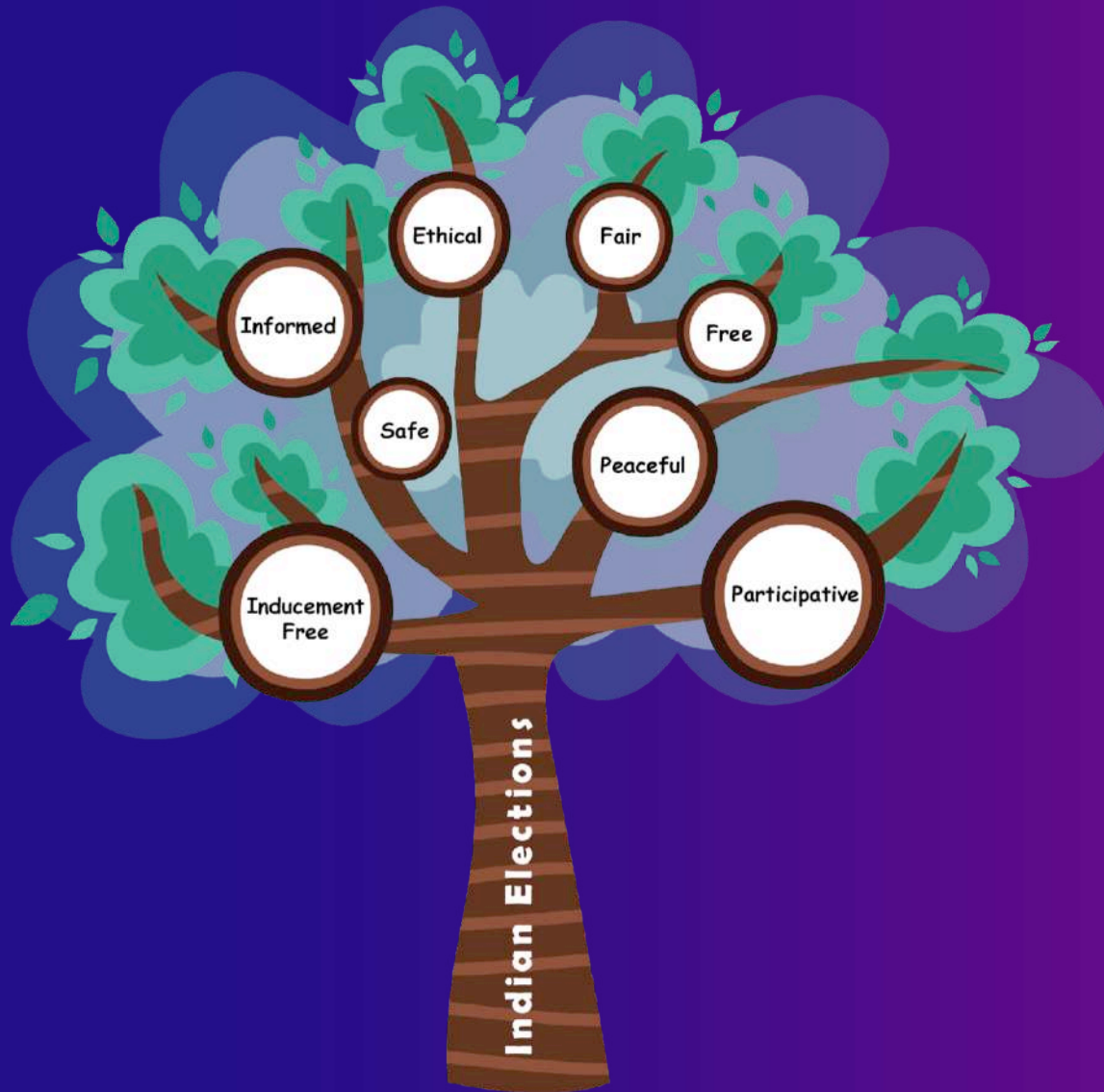


- ✓ Airport Authority of India
- ✓ State Civil Aviation Department
- ✓ Postal Department
- ✓ Reserve Bank of India
- ✓ State Level Bankers Committee
- ✓ Narcotics Control Bureau
- ✓ Railways
- ✓ State Transport Department
- ✓ Forest Department

# Directions to Enforcement Agencies

- Extra vigil along the international & inter-state borders for any inflow of liquor, Cash and drugs.
- Check Posts on strategic locations with CCTV monitoring
- Monitoring of all helipads in the state by concerned agencies
- Action against drug & Liquor Kingpins and big distributors
- Strict watch over online bribery and cash distribution
- SLBC to ensure Cash transfers only in Designated vehicles during designated hours





# Thank You



**NO VOTER TO BE LEFT BEHIND**