

MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**NOTIFICATION**

New Delhi, the 4th February, 2009

G.S.R. 74(E).— In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of Section 185 of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Panchayats) Regulation, 1994 (1 of 1994), the President hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Election Commissioner's Conditions of Service) Rules, 1994, namely :—

1. (1) These rules may be called the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Election Commissioner's Conditions of Service) Amendment Rules, 2009.

(2) They shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st January, 2006.

2. In the Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Election Commissioner's Conditions of Service) Rules, 1994, in rule 4, for the words, figures and brackets, "Rs. 26,000 (Rupees twenty six thousand only)", the words, figures and brackets "Rs. 80,000 (Rupees eighty thousand only)" shall be substituted.

[F. No. U-11023/2/2008-UTL]

B. BHAMATHI, Jt. Secy.

Note :— The Principal rules were published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary *vide* Number G.S.R. 794 (E), dated the 9th November, 1994 and subsequently amended *vide* number G.S.R. 575(E), dated the 10th September, 1998.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

It is clarified that the Election Commission is a single member Commission, and that the provisions of rule 4 are not likely to have any adverse effect on any other member of the Election Commission of the Union Territory of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands by its retrospective effect.