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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub- section (1) of section 135B of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (Central Act No.43 of 1951) and the 'Explanation' to section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 (Act 26 of 1881) read with the Notification No.U-11030/2/73-UTL dated 28/06/1973 of the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, section 3, sub-section (ii), the Government of Goa hereby declares **Tuesday, the** 7th **May, 2024 as a public holiday, being the "Polling Day" for the General Election to the House of the People (Lok Sabha), 2024**, throughout the State of Goa.

The aforesaid holiday shall be a **paid holiday**, in addition to the holidays indicated in the Government Notification No.37/4/2023-GAD-III/3993 dated 25/10/2023, published in the Official Gazette, Series II No.31 dated 02/11/2023, to the workers and establishments as detailed below:-

- (i) industrial workers of the State of Goa;
- (ii) daily wage workers of the Government Departments and State Government Industrial Departments;
- (iii) commercial and industrial workers of private establishments in the State of Goa;
- (iv) all private establishments;
- daily wage/casual workers employed in any business, trade, industrial undertakings or any other establishments.

The said public holiday shall be applicable to the registered voters of the poll bound areas even if they are working outside the territorial limits of such areas, notwithstanding whether or not such voters belong to Central or State Government Offices, Central/State Government undertakings or other entities.

By Order and in the name of the Governor of Goa

(Shaila G. Bhosle) Under Secretary (GA-I)