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To,

All eligible nominated delegates of Member Institutions
of Bihar Rajya Matsyajibi Sahakari Sangh Limited, (COFFED)

Subject: Election of the members of Board of Directors and Office Bearers of
Bihar Rajya Matsyajibi Sahakari Sangh Limited/Co-operative Fisheries
Federation Limited. (COFFED) on 20th November, 2022-Reg.

Dear Sir,

1. In accordance with the Order No. F.No R-11017/52/2019-L&M dated 27-12-2019 issued by the office of the Central Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Department of Co-operative, GOI, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi. and letter No. COFFED/Elections/2022-23/19319 dated 30-08-2022 issued by COFFED has appointed the undersigned to conduct the elections of Board of Directors and Office Bearers of COFFED under Rule 19 of Multi-state Cooperative Societies Rules 2002.
2. Accordingly, the names of delegates on the Special General Body of Bihar Rajya Matsyajibi Sahakari Sangh Limited/Co-operative Fisheries Federation Limited. (COFFED) were invited vide letter no. COFFED/RO/19341/22 dated 13.09.2022 and it was intimated that the special General Body Meeting of COFFED will be held on 20.11.2022 in the Committee Room of COFFED, Patna. In this meeting, election for constitution of new Board of Directors and Office Bearers of COFFED shall be conducted.
3. Provisions of bye-laws of COFFED under bye-law 22 provide for the constituencies from which the members of the Board of Director are to be elected in at Annexure-I.



4. An extract of the relevant provisions specified in sections 43, 44 & 45 of Multi-State Cooperative Societies Act, 2002 relating to election of the members of the Board of Director of COFFED is enclosed at Annexure-II.
5. Further, it is informed that as per provisions of Section 43 of Multi-State Cooperative Societies Act, 2002 and bye-laws of COFFED, disqualified member societies shall not be eligible to exercise voting right.
6. The election of the Board of Directors and Office Bearers of COFFED will be held on 20th November, 2022 in the Committee Room of COFFED, 3rd Floor, Meen Bhawan, West Boring Canal Road, Patna-800023 from 11:00 A.M to 03:00 P.M The election programme will be as follows:-

(i)	Publication of list of eligible voters	1 st November, 2022 at 11:00 A.M
(ii)	Objection on Voter List	2 nd November to 7 th November, 2022 From 11:00 A.M to 03:00 P.M
(iii)	Publication of Final Voter List	8 th November, 2022 at 11:00 A.M
(iv)	Filling of nominations from candidates contesting for elections to vacancies under constituencies referred above.	9 th November to 10 th November, 2022 From 11:00 A.M to 03:00 P.M
(v)	Scrutiny of nominations. (Committee Room, COFFED)	11 th November, 2022 From 11:00 A.M to 03:00 P.M
(vi)	Publication of List of valid nominations	12 th November, 2022 From 11:00 A.M to 03:00 P.M
(vii)	Withdrawal of nominations	14 th November, 2022 From 11:00 A.M to 03:00 P.M
(viii)	Publication of final list of candidates after withdrawal	15 th November, 2022 From 11:00 A.M to 03:00 P.M
(ix)	Symbol Allotment	16 th November, 2022 From 11:00 A.M to 03:00 P.M
(x)	Polling if required (Committee Room, COFFED)	20 th November, 2022 From 11:00 A.M to 03:00 P.M
(XI)	Counting of Votes & declaration of results	Immediately after Polling is over.

7. Shri Mani Shekhar, Assistant Returning Officer, COFFED Cum Co-operative Extension Officer, Patna and Shri Devendra Kumar, Recovery Officer, COFFED are the authorized Officer to receive the nominations on behalf of the Returning Officer. Shri Devendra Kumar, Recovery Officer, COFFED, is also authorized to issue nomination forms. **Please note the nomination forms collected only from the office of the Returning Officer will be accepted.**



8. The election will be conducted in accordance with the Schedule appended to the said Rules. A copy of the Nomination Form (FORM-III) for filling the nomination for election to the Board of Directors is also enclosed at Annexure-III.
9. A copy of the list of member Institutions (eligible), together with the names of their authorized delegates, received till 15th October, 2022 has been exhibited on the notice board of the Office of Bihar Rajya Matsyajibi Sahakari Sangh Limited/Cooperative Fisheries Federation Limited, (COFFED), Patna. Displayed valid voters list at the notice board on 1st November, 2022 copy of which can also be obtained from Shri Devendra Kumar, Recovery Officer, Bihar Rajya Matsyajibi Sahakari Sangh Limited/Cooperative Fisheries Federation Limited, (COFFED) on payment of Rs. 500/-
10. All the nominated delegates must bring their original ID proof with them for proper Identification at the time of nomination and polling.
11. As soon as the members of the Board of Directors are elected on 20th November, 2022 a meeting of the newly elected Board of Directors of the Bihar Rajya Matsyajibi Sahakari Sangh Limited/Cooperative Fisheries Federation Limited, (COFFED) it will be held in the Committee Room of COFFED on the same date for the purpose of election of Office Bearers (President and Vice-President) in term of Schedule 7 of the Multi-State Cooperative Societies Rules, 2002.

Thanking You
Encl: As Above

Yours sincerely,



17/11/2022
(Manoj Kumar Singh)
JRCS, Patna Division, Patna,
Returning Officer, COFFED
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Returning Officer, COFFED
Meen Bhawan, West Boring
Patna, Bihar - 800623

CC:

1. The Notice Board of the Bihar Rajya Matsyajibi Sahakari Sangh Limited. (COFFED).
2. Secretary, Department of Co-operative, Govt. of India.
3. Secretary, Department of Fisheries, Government of India.

4. The Central Registrar, Cooperative Societies, Department of Cooperative, Government of India.
5. Managing Director, NCDC, New Delhi.
6. MD, NCUI, New Delhi.
7. MD FISHCOPFED, New Delhi.
8. Secretary, Department of Co-operative, Bihar & Jharkhand.
9. Secretary, Department of Fisheries, Bihar & Jharkhand.
10. Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Bihar & Jharkhand.
11. Director Fisheries, Government of Bihar & Jharkhand.
12. Regional Director, NCDC, Bihar & Jharkhand.
13. All Joint Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Bihar & Jharkhand
14. All Deputy Director Fisheries, Bihar & Jharkhand.
15. All District Fisheries Officer, Bihar & Jharkhand.
16. All District Co-operative Officer, Bihar & Jharkhand.
17. The Managing Director, Bihar Rajya Matsyajibi Sahakari Sangh Limited. (COFFED). Meen Bhawan, West Boring Canal Road, Patna-800023. for information and Necessary Arrangements.

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1/11/22

