

PRESS COMMUNIQUE

Electoral Bond Scheme 2018

Sale of Electoral Bonds at Authorised Branches of State Bank of India (SBI)

Government of India has notified the Electoral Bond Scheme 2018 vide Gazette Notification No. 20 dated 02nd January 2018. As per provisions of the Scheme, Electoral Bonds may be purchased by a person, who is a citizen of India or incorporated or established in India. A person being an individual can buy Electoral Bonds, either singly or jointly with other individuals. Only the Political Parties registered under Section 29A of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951) and which secured not less than one per cent of the votes polled in the last General Election to the House of the People or the Legislative Assembly of the State, shall be eligible to receive the Electoral Bonds. The Electoral Bonds shall be encashed by an eligible Political Party only through a Bank account with the Authorized Bank.

2. State Bank of India (SBI), in the 5th phase of sale, has been authorised to issue and encash Electoral Bonds through its 29 Authorised Branches (as per list enclosed) w.e.f. 01.10.2018 to 10.10.2018.

3. It may be noted that Electoral Bonds shall be valid for fifteen calendar days from the date of issue and no payment shall be made to any payee Political Party if the Electoral Bond is deposited after expiry of the validity period. The Electoral Bond deposited by an eligible Political Party in its account shall be credited on the same day.

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Electoral Bearer Bond Scheme – 2018
Phase V: October 1-10, 2018
Authorized Branches of State Bank of India

Sl. No.	State	Name Of The Branch & Address	Branch Code No.	Existing / New
1.	Delhi	New Delhi Main Branch, 11, Parliament Street, New Delhi – 110001	00691	Existing
2.	Haryana, Punjab and Chandigarh	Chandigarh Main Branch, SCO 43-48, Banking Square, Sector-17B, Chandigarh, Distt: Chandigarh State: Chandigarh, Pin : 160017	00628	Existing
3.	Himachal Pradesh	Shimla Main Branch Near Kali Bari Temple, The Mall, Shimla Himachal Pradesh, District : Shimla State: Himachal Pradesh, Pin : 171003	00718	New
4.	Jammu and Kashmir	Badami Bagh (Srinagar) Branch Badami Bagh Cantonment, Srinagar, Kashmir District : Srinagar, Jammu & Kashmir Dist : Badgam, State: Jammu & Kashmir Pin : 190001	02295	New
5.	Uttarakhand	Dehra Dun Main Branch 4, Convent Road, Dehradun Uttarakhand District : Dehradun, State: Uttarakhand Pin : 248001	00630	New
6.	Gujarat, Dadar & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu	Gandhinagar Branch, I Floor, Zonal Office, Sector 10 B Gandhinagar Distt: Gandhinagar, Gujarat Pin:382010.	01355	Existing
7.	Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal Main Branch, T.T.Nagar,Bhopal-462003, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh, District : Bhopal, State: Madhya Pradesh. Pin : 462003	01308	Existing
8.	Chhattisgarh	Raipur Main Branch P.B.N0.29/61, Jaistambh Chowk, Raipur, District : Raipur, State : Chhatisgarh Pin: 492001	00461	New
9.	Rajasthan	Jaipur Main Branch, P.B.No.72, Sanganeri Gate Jaipur, Rajasthan District :Jaipur, State: Rajasthan. Pin : 302003	00656	Existing
10	Maharashtra	Mumbai Main Branch, Mumbai SamacharMarg Horniman Circle, Fort, Mumbai, Maharashtra Pin : 400001	00300	Existing

11.	Goa, Lakshadweep	Panaji Branch Opp : Hotel Mandovi, Dayanand, Dayanand Bandodkar Marg, Panaji, Goa . District : North Goa, State : Goa, Pin: 403001	00509	New
12.	Uttar Pradesh	Lucknow Main Branch, Tarawali Kothi, Motimahal Marg, Hazratganj, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh District : Lucknow, State: Uttar Pradesh Pin: 226001	00125	Existing
13.	Odisha	Bhubaneswar Main Branch P.B.No.14, Bhubaneswar Bhubaneswar, Orissa. District : Khurda State: Odisha, Pin : 751001	00041	New
14.	West Bengal and Andaman & Nicobar	Kolkata Main Branch, Samriddhi Bhawan 1, Strand Road, Kolkata, West Bengal, District :Kolkata. State: West Bengal. Pin : 700001	00001	Existing
15.	Bihar	Patna Main Branch West Gandhi Maidhan, Patna, Bihar. Pin: 800001	00152	New
16.	Jharkhand	Ranchi Branch Court Compound, Ranchi Jharkhand, District : Ranchi, State: Jharkhand, Pin : 834001	00167	New
17.	Sikkim	Gangtok Branch M G Marg, Gangtok SIKKIM Dist: East Sikkim State : Sikkim Pin : 737101	00232	New
18.	Arunachal Pradesh	Itanagar Branch TI Marg,VIP Road Bank Tinali, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh District : Papumpare State : Arunachal Pradesh Pin : 791111	06091	New
19.	Nagaland	Kohima Branch Near deputy commissioner's office Kohima Nagaland, Pin: 797001	00214	New
20.	Assam	Guwahati Branch, Pan Bazar, MG Road, Kamrup, Guwahati. Pin: 781001	00078	Existing
21.	Manipur	Imphal Branch M G Avenue Imphal west, Manipur Pin: 795001	00092	New

22.	Meghalaya	Shillong Branch MG road, Near General PO Shillong, District: Khasi Hills (E), Meghalaya Pin: 793001	00181	New
23.	Mizoram	Aizawl Branch Solomns cave District: Aizawl Mizoram Pin: 796001	01539	New
24.	Tripura	Agartala Branch Hari Ganga Basak Road, Agartala District: Tripura (W), Tripura Pin: 799001	00002	New
25.	Andhra Pradesh	Visakhapatnam Branch Rednam Gardens, Jail Road, Junction, Opp. Pages/Vodaphone Off , Visakhapatnam, Visakhapatnam District: Visakhapatnam State : Andhra Pradesh Pin : 530002	00952	New
26.	Telangana	Hyderabad Main Branch Bank Street, Koti, Hyderabad. District : Hyderabad State: Telangana Pin: 500095	00847	New
27.	Tamil Nadu and Puducherry	Chennai Main Branch 336/166, Thambuchetty Street, Parrys, Chennai. State: Tamil Nadu Pin : 600001	00800	Existing
28.	Karnataka	Bengaluru Main Branch, Post Bag No.5310, St. Marks Road, Bangalore, District : Bangalore Urban, State : Karnataka, Pin : 560001	00813	Existing
29.	Kerala	Thiruvananthapuram Branch P.B.No.14, M.G.Road, Thiruvananthapuram, District : Trivandrum, State: Kerala Pin : 695001	00941	New