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SECRETARIAT OF THE ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

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Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001

No.56/01/Dispute/PPS-II/2022/

Dated: 7th October, 2022

To

Sh. Uddhavji Thackeray,
Shivsena Party,
Shivsena Bhavan, Gadkari Chowk,
Dadar, Mumbai (Maharashtra)- 400028

Sub: - Shivsena, a recognized State Party in Maharashtra- Dispute under paragraph 15 of the ES(R&A) Order, 1968- Eknathrao Sambhaji Shinde Vs Uddav Thackeray - Dispute Case No. 01 of 2022 – Symbols Order

Sir,

I am directed to refer to Commission's letter dated 29.09.2022 wherein it was requested to furnish written submissions with respect to Commission's direction dated 22.07.2022, along with the respective documents to support your claim, if any, latest by **07.10.2022**. It may be recalled that the above time line was given in the context of exchange of documents supporting rival claims to be the real Shiv Sena from your side and that from Shri Shinde for determination under Para 15 of the Symbols Order.

2. It is further to inform that Sh. Chirag Shah, Advocate, on behalf of Sh. Shinde has furnished an application dated 04.10.2022 under Paragraph 18 of Election Symbols (Reservation & Allotment) Order, 1968 to allot the symbol of the party 'Bow and Arrow' to the group led by Sh. Shinde in view of ongoing bye-election from 166-Andheri East Assembly Constituency. A copy of the same has already been served to you vide email dated 04.10.2022 by Sh. Shah. However, it is now attached with this reference for your information and to be accounted for and responded to.

3. Though your reply is yet to be received, considering the fact that bye-election has been notified from 166-Andheri East Assembly Constituency, it is directed that you may furnish your comments along with requisite documents as requested by the Commission's letter dated 29.09.2022, now, **latest by 2:00 pm of 8.10.2022**. Your response should account for the reference dated 04.10.2022 as mentioned in Para 2 above.

4. In case no reply is received, the Commission will take appropriate action in the matter accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

(Manish Kumar)
Under Secretary

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Enclosure- As above

Copy to: Sh. Chirag Shah, Advocate for Sh. Eknathrao Sambhaji Shinde, Chief Minister, Government of Maharashtra, Subh-Deep Bungalow, Landmark Society, Thane, Maharashtra-400080.