

Special Training Program for AEROs, BLO Supervisors, and DEOs on Handling of Various Election Apps held in Kargil

Kargil, November 12, 2025: A Special Training Program for Assistant Electoral Registration Officers (AEROs), Booth Level Officer (BLO) Supervisors, and Data Entry Operators (DEOs) of Kargil District on the handling of various election-related applications was successfully conducted today at the Conference Hall, Baroo.

The training was organized by the District Election Officer (Deputy Commissioner), Kargil, as part of the pre-preparatory exercise for the upcoming Special Intensive Revision (SIR) of the Electoral Roll 2025, in comparison with the 2005 Electoral Roll.

The session commenced with the welcoming of all participants by Master Trainer Mr. Mohd Amin, who set a positive and motivating tone for the day. Mr. Amin delivered detailed demonstrations on Form Verification, ECI NET handling, AERO Map/ERO Map, BLO Mapping, the Voter Helpline App (VHA), and eci.net, emphasizing the importance of accuracy, transparency, and efficiency in maintaining the updated electoral roll.

He further highlighted that ensuring the accuracy of the electoral roll is a fundamental step toward conducting free, fair, and credible elections. Key topics covered included Mapping, Progeny, and Self-Progeny, along with correct procedures for name correction, deletion, shifting, and the use of appropriate forms for various updates. Mr. Amin also cautioned that any willful mistakes or negligence by BLOs would attract strict disciplinary action.

Special emphasis was laid on the verification process for married female voters, ensuring their correct inclusion in the electoral roll. The training also covered procedures for the timely removal of deceased individuals and the inclusion of newly eligible voters, particularly those who have recently turned 18 or 21 years of age. BLO Supervisors were urged to maintain close coordination with BLOs and to remain humble, approachable, and courteous in their field duties, thereby strengthening public confidence in the electoral process.

The day concluded with practical exercises, enabling AEROs and BLO Supervisors to effectively guide BLOs in Mapping, Progeny, and Self-Progeny of electors within their respective sections and families. The program also included group discussions, case studies, and an interactive Q&A session, during which all queries raised by participants were thoroughly addressed. The training concluded successfully with participants expressing satisfaction and confidence in implementing the knowledge gained in the upcoming SIR 2025 exercise.



