

SWATANTRA PARTY,
Maharashtra.
Phone No. 253085

Sassoon Building,
143 Mahatma Gandhi Road, Bombay 1
15th October 1973.

Dear Sir/Madam:

FIFTH PARTY ELECTIONS- 1973

I give below the salient features of the procedure for the 5th Party Elections at various levels as prescribed by our National Headquarters.

1. Last date for completion of elections of Committee and Office
(a) Bearers at the Primary unit level (including elections of Primary representatives on the District Committee) } 15th November 1973.
(b) Last date for completion of Committee and Office Bearers at the District level (including election of District Unit representatives on the State Council.) ..
2. Last date for completion of elections of the State Executive Committee and State representatives of State council on the General Council. .. 30th November 1973.
3. Last date by which the elections of Office Bearers and Members of the National Executive should be completed.. 31st December 1973

The Committee and Office Bearers at the Primary Unit level and at the District, State and National levels will assume office immediately on the completion of their respective elections.

4. The Bombay and Maharashtra Regions having been merged into one State Unit known as SWATANTRA PARTY, MAHARASHTRA, the Election Committee has decided that the 5th Party elections will be combined for Bombay and Maharashtra areas, since we are now a single STATE UNIT.

5. The following will be eligible to vote in the Party elections and stand for office or membership of Committees and/or Councils.

1. Those whose membership is valid and have been enrolled on or before 30th September 1973.
2. Life workers and life members (hereinafter, workers/life workers/life members will all be referred to as MEMBERS)
3. (i) Every candidate for election to the Committee of any Primary Unit must be on the Party's electoral roll of that particular Primary Unit.
(ii) Every candidate for election by a Primary Unit Committee:
 - a) to any office in that Primary Unit and/or
 - b) to the District Committee from that Primary Unit, must also be on the Party's electoral roll of that particular Primary Unit but he need not necessarily be a member of that Primary Unit Committee.
- (iii) Every candidate for election by a District Committee:
 - a) to any office in that District Unit and/or
 - b) to the State Council from that District Unit must be on the Party's electoral roll somewhere in that particular District but he need not necessarily be a member of that District Unit's Committee.
- (iv) Every candidate for election by a State Council:
 - a) to any office in that State Unit and/or
 - b) to the Executive Committee of that State unit and/or
 - c) to the General Council from that State Unit

must be on the Party's electoral roll somewhere in that particular Region; but he need not necessarily be a member of the State Council of that Region.
- (v) Every candidate for election by the General Council:
 - a) to any office at the National level and/or
 - b) to the National Executive,

must be on the Party's electoral roll somewhere in India, but he need not necessarily be a member of the General Council.

5. Maharashtra State Unit has 10 districts. The strength of the respective committee in each district will be as follows:

Name of Primary Unit.	Strength of Primary Unit to be elected Committee.	Representatives to District.	Strength of District Committee.	Representatives to be elected to State Council.
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BOMBAY SOUTH DISTRICT.

Golaba	11	5		
Lohi Talao	8	3		
Girgaum			10 member	10
Khetwadi			District	
Kumbharwada	..	2	Committee	
Umarchadi (nil)				

BOMBAY CENTRAL SOUTH DISTRICT

Walkeswhar	11	5		
Mazagon	11	4		
Nagpada			13 member	
Ryculla	..	4	Dist.	10
Parel			Committee	
Sewree				

BOMBAY CENTRAL DISTRICT.

Matunga.	9	3		
Mahim	11	10		
Naigum			15 member	10
Dadar	..	2	Dist.	
Worli			Committee	
Lovegrove.				

BOMBAY NORTH WEST DISTRICT.

Bandra	11	4	12 member	10
Santa Cruz	11	4	District	
Vile Parle	8	2	Committee	
Abaheri	..	2		
Porivli				
Mulad				

BOMBAY NORTH EAST DISTRICT.

Kurla	11	4		
Ghatkopar			7 member	7
Chembur	..	3	District	
Mulund			Committee	
Thana				
Kalyan				

POONA DISTRICT.

Poona Cantt.	9	3		
Poona city.	9	3		
Purandar	8	2	12 member	10
Dhond	8	2	District	
Velha-Bhor	8	2	Committee	

SHOLAPUR DISTRICT

Sholapur city	8	2	4 member	4
Sholapur South	8	2	District	
			Committee	

COSMANABAD DISTRICT.

Cosmanabad Taluka unit	8	2	4 member	4
Cosmanabad city	8	2	District	
			Committee	

Name of the Primary Unit	Strength of Primary unit Committee.	Representatives to be elected to District Committee	Strength of District Committee.	Representatives to be elected to State Council.
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AURANGABAD DISTRICT

Sillol Aurangabad city	8	8	4 member District Committee.	4
Nasik	..	..	..	..

The basis followed is as under:

For formation of a Primary Unit, there shall be a minimum of 50 members from at least 1/3 of the polling stations in the constituency. Each Primary Unit shall elect a minimum of 7 members and a maximum of 11 members including office-bearers.

The basis adopted in electing Primary Unit representatives on District Committee is for the first 25 members, one member with a maximum of 10 members.

The basis adopted in electing District representatives on the State Council is for the first 25 members, one member, subject to a maximum of 10 members from each district.

RETURNING OFFICERS.

The Election Committee of the State Swatantra Party has appointed the following members as the Returning Officers for the districts and these Returning Officer may, if necessary, nominate their representatives to assist them to conduct the elections.

<u>DISTRICT.</u>	<u>Returning Officers.</u>
1. Bombay South	.. Mr. S.L. Poopat
2. Bombay Central South	.. Mr. L.R. Sampat
3. Bombay Central District.	.. Mr. P.M. Shah
4. Bombay North West	.. Mr. Hiren Shah
5. Bombay North East.	.. Mr. Dhiraj Shah
6. Poona District.	.. Mr. K.B. Pandey
7. Sholapur District.	.. Mr. A.R. Deshpande
8. Aurangabad Dist.	.. Mr. Sunatilal P. Shah
9. Oosmanabad Dist.	.. Mr. P.Y. Kanbaskar
10. Nasik District.	..

The date and time and place of elections, in case of contests, as decided by Returning Officers, are given below. The nomination paper is also attached hereto.

Nomination paper for a particular office, duly proposed and seconded, should be handed over to the Returning Officer concerned, half an hour before the time of election, provided that the Returning Officer may, at his discretion accept the nomination paper any time before the election takes place.

All Primary Unit areas in a particular district which have not been able to enrol minimum number of members required, shall meet together to elect their proportionate number of members to the District Committee.

In some units, where there are no required number of members to form a Primary Unit, ad hoc committee shall be constituted after the Party elections are over.

ELECTION PROGRAMME (Bombay area)

<u>Unit</u>	<u>Place of election.</u>	<u>Date & time.</u>
Colaba	Party Office, Sassoon Bldg.	4.11.73 at 10-00 a.m.
Thobi Talao	M.G. Road, Bombay 1	
Walkeswar.	-10-	3.11.73 at 2.00 p.m.
Mazagon.	Shankar Manir, Love Lane, Bombay 10 (Mr. Sadha Singh's residence)	4.11.73 at 10.00 a.m. PTO

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Matunga.	Tejookaya Park, Matunga	Sunday, 4th Nov. 1973 at 10.00 a.m.
Mahim.	Mr. Jiwari's house, Bungalow No. 5 5, Khansaheb wadi, Mahim.	Thursday, 1st Nov. 1973 at 8.00 PM
Bandra.	Mr. R.A. Pinto's house, Garde cottage, 145 Hill Road, Bandra.	Sunday, 4th Nov. 1973 at 10.00 a.m.
Santa Cruz.	Ambika Chawk, Bal Mandir, Khotwadi, Santa Cruz, Bombay 54	Thursday, 1st Nov. 1973 at 8.00 PM
Vile Parle.	Mr. N.J. Barot's House, 36 Tejpal Rd. Vile Parle East.	Sunday, 4th Nov. 1973 at 9.00 a.m.
Kurla	Mr. Jiwari's House, Bungalow No. 5, 5, Khansaheb wadi, Mahim.	Friday, 2nd Nov. 1973 at 8.00 P.M.
Sillod.	Mr. K.B. Pandey's house Aland.	Monday, 29th Oct. 73 at 10.00 a.m.
Aurangabad	Dist. committee election.	Monday 29th Oct. 73 at 5 p.m.
Dhond.	Bhansaheb Pansare's house, PATAS.	Thursday 1st Nov. 73 at 11.00 a.m.
Velha-Rhor	D.L. Mane's house, Kandavne, Velha.	Friday, 2nd Nov. 73 at 11.00 a.m.
Purandar	G.S. Dhende's house, Belsar.	Saturday 3rd Nov. 73 at 11.00 a.m.
Poona Cantt.	Mr. Sadashiv Krishnaji More's House, Bungalow No. 7, Dr. Ambedkar Rd, Poona 1.	Sunday, 4th Nov. 73 at 9.00 a.m.
Poona city	Mr. Maruti Ganpatrao Dalvi's house, Building No. 12, Thube Park, Shivaji- Nagar. Poona 5.	Sunday 4th Nov. 73 at 2.00 p.m.
(Dist. committee election 5.00 p.m. at the same place.)		
Sholapur city	Mr. P.Y. Kanbaskar's house 148 Goldfinch Peth, Sholapur.	Tuesday, 6th Nov. 73 at 9.00 a.m.
South Sholapur.	-do-	Tuesday, 6th Nov. 73 at 3.00 p.m.
Oosamanabad Taluka	Dr. Y.B. Phosle's house, Rui Nhar.	Wednesday, 7th Nov 73 at 11.00 a.m.
Oosmanabad city.	Mr. Manohar Vithalrao Pahelwan's House, opp: ST Bus Stand, Oosmanabad city.	Wednesday, 7th Nov. 73 at 3.00 p.m.

Any further information can be had from the Office Secretary at the State Office, Sassoon Building, Mahatma Gandhi Road. The constituencywise membership list constituting the electoral roll will be available for inspection at the Party office at the above address during working hours. Outside Bombay area, lists will be available with the respective District Presidents.

The decision of the Returning Officers in respect of the elections to the Primary Unit and District Committee shall be final.

Co-operation from all members is requested to have a smooth election.

P. C. Cama
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General Secretary.

Encl: Nomination paper.

NOMINATION PAPER

I,..... hereby nominate
Mr./Mrs./Miss..... to be a candidate
for the membership of Primary/District/ Committee/ State Council/
State Executive Committee/ General Council.

Signature.....

Card No.....

Date.

I second the nomination.

Signature..... Card No.

Date.

I agree to be a candidate for membership of Primary Committee/
District Committee/ State Council/ State Executive Committee/ General Council.

Signature

Card No.....

Date.....