

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001

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Chief Election Commissioner Shri Gyanesh Kumar and Election Commissioners Dr. Sukhbir Singh Sandhu and Dr. Vivek Joshi had an interaction with a delegation from Janata Dal (Secular) led by its National General Secretary and Authorised Representative Shri. K.R. Shivakumar and received their suggestions at Nirvachan Sadan, New Delhi today.

Background

The meeting is in continuation of the interactions being held by ECI with the Presidents of various National and State Political Parties. These interactions provide for a long-felt need of constructive discussions which enable National and State Party Presidents to share their suggestions and concerns directly with the Commission. This initiative aligns with the Commission's broader vision of further strengthening the electoral process in accordance with the existing legal framework with all stakeholders.

During the past 150 days, a total of 4,719 all-party meetings were conducted including 40 meetings by CEOs, 800 by DEOs, and 3879 by EROs engaging over 28,000 representatives of various political parties.

Recognised National Party			
Sl. No.	Name of the Political Party	Delegation led by	Date of meeting
1.	Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP)	Km. Mayawati (Party President)	May 06, 2025
2.	Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)	Shri. Jagat Prakash Nadda (Party President)	May 08, 2025
3.	Communist Party of India (Marxist)	Shri M.A. Baby (General Secretary)	May 10, 2025
4.	National People's Party (NPP)	Shri Conrad Sangma (Party President)	May 13, 2025
5.	Aam Aadmi Party (AAP)	Shri Arvind Kejriwal (National Convenor)	May 15, 2025
Recognised State Party			
6.	All India Trinamool Congress (AITC)	Ms. Chandrima Bhattacharya (Authorised Representative)	July 1, 2025
7.	Yuvajana Sramika Rythu Congress Party	Shri Y.V Subba Reddy	July 3, 2025

8.	Samajwadi Party	Shri Ramgopal Yadav (Secretary General)	July 3, 2025
9.	All India Majlis-e-Ittehadul Muslimeen Party	Shri Asaduddin Owaisi (National President)	July 7, 2025
10.	Telugu Desam Party	Shri Palla Srinivasa Rao (State President)	July 15, 2025
11.	Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam	Shri N.R. Elango	July 17, 2025
12.	Communist Party of India (Marxist-Leninist (Liberation))	Shri Sanjay Sharma (Authorised representative)	July 22, 2025
13.	Tipra Motha Party	Shri. Brishaketu Debbarma (General Secretary)	July 23, 2025
14.	All India Anna Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam	Shri. Shanmugam (Authorised Representative)	July 24, 2025
15.	Shiv Sena	Shri. Uday Samant	July 29, 2025
16.	Janata Dal (United)	Mr. Afaque Ahmad Khan (Authorised Representative)	July 31, 2025
17.	Indigenous People's Front of Tripura	Sh. Prem Kumar Reang (Party President)	August 1, 2025
18.	Bharat Rashtra Samithi	Sh. Kalvakuntla Taraka Rama Rao (Working President)	August 5, 2025
19.	Lok Janshakti Party (Ram Vilas)	Sh. A.K. Bajpayee (Vice President)	August 7, 2025
20.	Nationalist Congress Party	Shri. Brijmohan Shrivastav (Authorised Representative)	August 12, 2025
21.	Biju Janata Dal	Shri. Debi Prasad Mishra (Sr. Vice President and Authorised Representative)	August 19, 2025
