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GENERAL ELECTIONS TO LOK SABHA 2024 and Bye election to 36-Shorapura Legislative Assembly Constituency 2024 PRESS NOTE

1. Validly Nominated Candidates of Phase 3, 14 PCs of Karnataka:

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S1. No.	PC No.	PC Name	No. of Nomination filed	No. of Candidates	No. of Nominations accepted	No. of Nominations rejected	No. of validly Nominated candidates		
1	1	Chikkodi	27	20	27	0	20		
2	2	Belgaum	30	21	30	0	21		
3	3	Bagalkot	35	26	33	2	26		
4	4	Bijapur	35	21	19	16	12		
5	5 Gulbarga		36	23	26	10	18		
6	6	Raichur	21 41	11 34	18	3	10		
7	7	Bidar			27	14	20		
8	8	Koppal	40	27	34	6	23		
9	9	Bellary	19	11	19	0	11		
10	10	Haveri	47	26	28	19	14		
11	11	Dharwad	44	29	35	9	25		
12	12	Uttara Kannada	36	19	19	17	13		
13	13	Davanagere	54	40	42	12	33		
14	14	Shimoga	38	27	37	1	26		
	Pha	se 3 Total	503	335	394	109	272		

2. Validly Nominated Candidates of 36-Shorapura Legislative Assembly Constituency:

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13	7	13	0	7		

3. Cases Booked:

A case has been filed against JD(S) State President **Sri. H.D. Kumaraswamy** by the Flying Squad at the local police station of Gubbi Taluk in Tumkur district, regarding allegations of personal abuse against **Sri. D.K. Suresh**, the Congress Party candidate of Bangalore Rural Lok Sabha Constituency. The case has been filed under Sections 171(g) of the IPC 1860 and also under section 123(4) RP Act.

4. Election Expenditure Monitoring: Seizures:

Value Rs. in Crore

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Items of seizure			Police, FST & SST		Excise		Income Tax		Commercial Taxes		Grand Total	
			Previous day	Progressive	Previous day	Progressive	Previous day	Progressive	Previous day	Progressive	Previous day	Progressive
Ca	sh	Value	0.46	62.56	-	-	-	12.75	-	-	0.46	75.31
Liquor		Qty (in lakhs ltrs)	0.0021	0.17	0.17	146.46	-	-	-	-	0.17	146.63
		Value	0.01	0.73	0.43	176.28	-	-	-	-	0.43	177.01
Dru	ıde	Qty (KGs)	10.63	445.72	-	71.74	-	-	-	-	10.63	517.45
DI	ıgs	Value	0.07	10.45	-	0.28	-	-	-	-	0.07	10.73
	Gold	Qty (KGs)	0.18	70.55	-	-	-	1.62	-	36.31	0.18	108.48
		Value	0.11	43.20	-	-	-	0.96	-	13.51	0.11	57.67
Precious	Silver	Qty (KGs)	0.35	294.30	-	-	-	-	-	7.59	0.35	301.89
Metal	Silver	Value	0.002	1.12	-	-	-	-	-	0.06	0.00	1.18
	Dimond	Qty (grams)	-	-	-	-	-	4.23	-	-	-	4.23
		Value	-	-	-	-	-	0.09	-	-	-	0.09
Free	bies	Value	-	2.18	-	-	-	-	-	5.95	-	8.13
Oth	ers	Value	-	11.94	0.0006	0.03	-	-	-	60.31	0.00	72.27
TOTAL VALUE		0.65	132.17	0.43	176.59	-	13.80	-	79.83	1.07	402.39	

5. Cases Booked:

- a) Flying Squads, SSTs and Police authorities have booked **1,937** FIRs with regard to seizures of cash, liquor, drugs, precious metal and Freebies.
- b) Excise Department has booked **2,695** Heinous Cases, **3,966** cases for Breach of Licence Conditions, **153** NDPS and **22,378** cases under Section 15 (a) of Karnataka Excise act 1965 and also **1,685** different types of Vehicles have been seized.

6. Special Reports:

SST Team has seized a total seizure of **Rs. 12,06,080** including Cash **Rs 77,200** and **0.18 Kgs Gold** Ornaments worth **Rs. 11,06,880** and **0.35 Kgs Silver** value **Rs. 22,000** at Maindargi Check post, Aland, Kalaburgi Dist, Gulbarga Parliamentary Constituency.

7. Public Grievance Redressal:

Out of the **24,224** calls received through Voter Helpline, **23,996** people have sought information, **30** have given feedback, **26** have made suggestions and **172** have registered complaints. Cumulatively **24,224** calls have been disposed off. In addition, **14,819** complaints have been registered by the citizens on NGRS portal, out of which, **14,371** complaints have been disposed off.

8. cVIGIL

25,907 Complaints have been received through cVIGIL application. Major complaints received are related to Posters/Banners without permission **15,336**, Posters without mandatory declaration **1,111**, property defacement **326**, Money Distribution **180**, Distribution of gifts/coupons **127**, Campaigning during ban period **52**, Distribution of Liquor **143**, Vehicle or convoy without permission **91**, Religious or communal speeches/messages **60**, Display of Firearms, Intimidation **36.** Out of which **24,435** Complaints are found to be correct and action has been taken.

9. Media:

The complaints have been received through emails **229**, and letters **668**, Newspapers **32**, TV Channels **39** and Social Media **64** Out of the total **1,032** Complaints, **1,032** have been disposed off

10. ENCORE:

Under ENCORE, **7,510** Applications for permissions have been received; out of which **5,821** have been accepted and **1,049** have been rejected. **34** are in progress, **261** are pending and **297** are cancelled.