

**MINUTES OF THE 188<sup>th</sup> MEETING (1st MEETING FOR THE YEAR 2013) OF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION CHANDIGARH HELD ON 01.01.2013 AT 11.00 A.M. IN THE ASSEMBLY HALL OF THE CORPORATION FOR THE ELECTION OF MAYOR, SENIOR DEPUTY MAYOR AND DEPUTY MAYOR.**

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The following were present:

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| 1.  | Sh. Babu Lal, IAS (Retd.)    | Presiding Officer   |
| 2.  | Sh. Pawan Kumar Bansal, M.P. | Ex-Officio Member   |
| 3.  | Sh. D.K.Tiwari, IAS          | Acting Commissioner |
| 4.  | Sh. Mohd. Shayin, IAS        | Deputy Commissioner |
| 5.  | Sh. Anoop Sunny Gill         | Councillor          |
| 6.  | Prof. Aruna Goel             | Councillor          |
| 7.  | Dr. Amrit Tewari             | Councillor          |
| 8.  | Maj.(Retd.) D.S. Sandhu      | Councillor          |
| 9.  | Sh. M.P. Kohli               | Councillor          |
| 10. | Sh. Sat Paul Bansal          | Councillor          |
| 11. | Mrs. Shagufta Parveen        | Councillor          |
| 12. | Sh. Surinder Bahga           | Councillor          |
| 13. | Smt. Raj Bala Malik          | Councillor          |
| 14. | Sh. Saurabh Joshi            | Councillor          |
| 15. | Sh. Pardeep Chhabra          | Councillor          |
| 16. | Smt. Asha Kumari Jaswal      | Councillor          |
| 17. | Sh. Subhash Chawla           | Councillor          |
| 18. | Sh. Sat Parkash Aggarwal     | Councillor          |

19. Smt. Laxmi Devi	Councillor
20. Sh. Arun Sood	Councillor
21. Smt. Gurbax Rawat	Councillor
22. Sh. Malkiat Singh	Councillor
23. Sh. Darshan Kumar	Councillor
24. Smt. Sheela Devi	Councillor
25. Sh. Harphool Chander Kalyan	Councillor
26. Smt. Kashmiri Devi	Councillor
27. Smt. Harjinder Kaur	Councillor
28. Sh. Rajesh Kumar Gupta	Councillor
29. Sh. Mukesh Bassi	Councillor
30. Sh. Satinder Singh	Councillor
31. Sh. Naresh Kumar	Councillor
32. Sh. Satish Kumar	Councillor
33. Smt. Heera Negi	Councillor
34. Sh. Davesh Moudgil	Councillor
35. Smt. Jannat Jahan Ul-Haq(Naina)	Councillor
36. Smt. Rajinder Kaur	Councillor
37. Sh. Gurcharan Das	Councillor
38. Sh. Des Raj Gupta	Councillor
39. Sh. Rajiv Gupta, PCS	Secretary

At the outset, the Secretary welcomed the Hon'ble Minister of Railways, Govt. of India-cum-ex-officio member, the Commissioner, all the members present in the House and wished a Happy New Year to all. He apprised the House that as per provision of the Municipal Act, the Deputy Commissioner-cum-Prescribed Authority, Chandigarh has appointed Sh. Babu Lal, IAS (Retd.) as Presiding Officer for conducting the election of Mayor. He then requested Sh. Babu Lal, IAS (Retd.), to take over the seat of Presiding Officer.

Sh. Babu Lal, IAS (Retd.) took over the seat of Presiding Officer and wished a Happy New Year to all members of the House, media persons and all the persons present in the House. He thanked the Deputy Commissioner for nominating him as the Presiding Officer for the election of the Mayor.

The Secretary apprised that there are two candidates in the fray for the election of Mayor, i.e. Sh. Arun Sood & Sh. Subhash Chawla.

The Presiding Officer showed the ballot paper to the members and requested them to put the stamp only in the box shown against their name. He further told all the members about the procedure of casting the votes.

The ballot box was shown to all the members and others present in the House.

The Secretary called the Councillors one by one for the election to Mayor and issued ballot papers against their signatures and members casted their votes. After the election process was over, the ballot box was emptied before the Presiding Officer.

The Presiding Officer asked the contesting candidates to send their representatives to supervise the counting process and accordingly Sh. Sat Parkash Aggarwal, & Sh. Davesh Moudgil represented Sh. Subhash Chawla & Arun Sood respectively, during the counting of votes.

After counting, the Presiding Officer announced that a total of 36 votes have been polled and no vote was found as invalid and the break-up of the votes polled for the election of the Mayor is as under :-

<u>S.No.</u>	<u>Name of Candidate</u>	<u>Votes secured</u>
1.	Sh. Arun Sood	12
2.	Sh. Subhash Chawla	24
3.	Total Votes cast	36
4.	Invalid vote	Nil

**Sh. Babu Lal, IAS (Retd.) Presiding Officer declared Sh. Subhash Chawla having been elected as Mayor of the Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh for the year, 2013.**

**Secretary  
Municipal Corporation Chandigarh**

**(Presiding Officer)**

## **ELECTION OF SR. DEPUTY MAYOR AND DEPUTY MAYOR**

After the election of the Mayor for the year, 2013, the Secretary requested Sh. Subhash Chawla to take over Mayor's seat and preside over the proceedings for the election of Sr. Dy. Mayor & Dy. Mayor.

Sh. Subhash Chawla took over the seat of the Mayor and thanked Sh. Pawan Kumar Bansal and all the members and hoped that they will cooperate him in future also and assured that he will work for the development of the city.

Then the Secretary announced for elections of Senior Deputy Mayor. He informed the House that there are two candidates for election of Sr. Deputy Mayor; namely Smt. Kashmiri Devi & Sh. Rajesh Kumar Gupta.

The Secretary called the Councillors one by one and issued ballot papers against their signatures and they cast their votes. After the election process was over, the ballot box was emptied before the Mayor. The Mayor asked the contesting candidates to send their representatives to see the counting process and accordingly Smt. Gurbax Rawat & Sh. Arun Sood represented both the candidates during the counting of votes.

After counting the votes, the Mayor declared that a total of 36 votes have been cast and all votes are valid and declared the result of Senior Deputy Mayor as under :-

<b><u>S.No.</u></b>	<b><u>Name of Candidate</u></b>	<b><u>Votes secured</u></b>
<b>1.</b>	<b>Smt. Kashmiri Devi</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>2.</b>	<b>Sh. Rajesh Kumar Gupta</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>3.</b>	<b>Total Votes cast</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>4.</b>	<b>Invalid vote</b>	<b>Nil</b>

**The Mayor declared Smt. Kashmiri Devi having been elected as Senior Deputy Mayor of the Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh for the year, 2013.**

Thereafter, the Secretary informed the House that there were two candidates for the post of Deputy Mayor namely Sh. Satish Kumar & Sh. Malkiat Singh. The Secretary called the Councillors one by one and issued the ballot papers under signatures to cast their votes secretly.

After the process was over, the Secretary asked the candidates to send their representatives and Smt. Asha Jaswal & Sh. Darshan Kumar acted as representatives of the candidates. The ballot box was emptied before the Mayor and the counting process began. The Mayor declared that 36 valid votes were cast and he accordingly declared the result as under :-

<b><u>S.No.</u></b>	<b><u>Name of Candidate</u></b>	<b><u>Votes secured</u></b>
<b>1.</b>	<b>Sh. Malkiat Singh</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>2.</b>	<b>Sh. Satish Kumar</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>3.</b>	<b>Total Votes cast</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>4.</b>	<b>Invalid vote</b>	<b>Nil</b>

**The Mayor declared Sh. Satish Kumar having been elected as Deputy Mayor of the Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh for the year, 2013.**

In the end, the Mayor extended good wishes for the New Year to all the Councillors, Officers, Staff and the media persons and thanked for their co-operation for the smooth & democratic conduct of elections.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

**Secretary  
Municipal Corporation Chandigarh**

**Mayor  
Municipal Corporation Chandigarh**