

MINUTES OF THE 240th MEETING (1st MEETING FOR THE YEAR 2017) OF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION CHANDIGARH HELD ON 12.01.2017 AT 11.00 A.M. IN THE ASSEMBLY HALL OF THE CORPORATION FOR THE ELECTION OF MAYOR, SENIOR DEPUTY MAYOR AND DEPUTY MAYOR.

The following were present:

Sarv/Sh./Smt:-

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| 1. Kirron Kher, M.P. | Ex-Officio Member |
| 2. Ajit Balaji Joshi, IAS | Deputy Commissioner |
| 3. Kamla Sharma | Presiding Officer |
| 4. Sh. Charanjiv Singh | Councillor |
| 5. Sh. Ajay Dutta | Councillor |
| 6. Sh. Sachin Kumar Lohtiya | Councillor |
| 7. Sh. Haji Mohd. Khurshid Ali | Councillor |
| 8. Dr. Jyotsna Wig | Councillor |
| 9. Ms. Shipra Bansal | Councillor |
| 10. Sh. Sat Parkash Aggarwal | Councillor |
| 11. Maj. Gen M.S. Kandal | Councillor |
| 12. Sh. Mahesh Inder Singh | Councillor |
| 13. Smt Raj Bala Malik | Councillor |
| 14. Sh. Ravi Kant Sharma | Councillor |
| 15. Smt. Sunita Dhawan | Councillor |
| 16. Smt. Sheela Devi | Councillor |
| 17. Smt. Farmila | Councillor |
| 18. Sh. Rajesh Kumar | Councillor |
| 19. Sh. Arun Sood | Councillor |
| 20. Smt. Gurbax Rawat | Councillor |
| 21. Sh. Hardeep Singh | Councillor |
| 22. Sh. Satish Kumar | Councillor |

23. Smt. Chanderwati Shukla	Councillor
24. Smt. Heera Negi	Councillor
25. Sh. Kanwarjeet Singh	Councillor
26. Smt. Ravinder Kaur	Councillor
27. Sh Rajesh Kumar Gupta	Councillor
28. Smt. Asha Kumari Jaswal	Councillor
29. Sh. Devinder Singh Babla	Councillor
30. Sh. Dalip Sharma	Councillor
31. Sh.Shakti Prakash Devshali	Councillor
32. Sh. Gurpreet Singh	Councillor
33. Sh. Davesh Moudgil	Councillor
34. Sh. Bharat Kumar	Councillor
35. Sh. Anil Kumar Dube	Councillor
36. Sh. Jagtar Singh	Councillor
37. Sh.Vinod Aggarwal	Councillor

At the outset, the Secretary welcomed Smt. Kirron Kher, Member of Parliament, Deputy Commissioner, all the members present in the House. He apprised the House that as per provision of the Municipal Act, the Deputy Commissioner-cum-Prescribed Authority, Chandigarh has appointed Smt. Kamla Sharma as Presiding Officer for conducting the election of Mayor. He then requested Smt. Kamla Sharma to take over the seat of Presiding Officer.

Smt. Kamla took over the seat of Presiding Officer and welcomed all members of the House, media persons and all the persons present in the House. She thanked the Deputy Commissioner for nominating her as the Presiding Officer for the election of the Mayor. She requested all the members of the House to keep all their

Mobile Phones in the tray, if any one of them is carrying it, as the Deputy Commissioner has restricted the entry of Mobiles phones in House.

It was informed that if any of the candidates want to withdraw, he/she can do.

The Secretary apprised that there are two candidates in the fray for the election of Mayor, i.e. Smt. Asha Jaswal & Smt. Gurbax Rawat.

The Presiding Officer showed the ballot paper to the members and told them 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. All the members casted their votes except Sh. Dalip Sharma, Independent Candidate who did not cast his vote.

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. Arun Sood & Sh. Devinder Singh Babla come forward to have to look at the counting of votes.

After counting, the Presiding Officer announced that a total 35 votes were found polled and no vote was found invalid by the Presiding Officer 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.	Smt. Asha Jaswal	31
2.	Smt. Gurbax Rawat	04
4.	Total Votes cast	35

Smt. Kamla Sharma, Presiding Officer declared Smt. Asha Jaswal having been elected as Mayor of the Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh for the year, 2017.

Sd/-
Secretary
M.C.C.

Sd/-
Kamla Sharma
(Presiding Officer)

ELECTION OF SR. DEPUTY MAYOR AND DEPUTY MAYOR

After the election of the Mayor for the year, 2017, the Secretary requested Smt. Asha Jaswal to take over the Mayor's seat and preside over the proceedings for the election of Sr. Dy. Mayor & Dy. Mayor.

Smt. Asha Jaswal took over the seat of the Mayor and thanked all the members and hoped that they would co-operate her in future also and assured that she would work for the development of the city.

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

Smt. Sheela Devi withdrew her nomination, hence Smt. Asha Jaswal, Mayor declared Sh. Rajesh Kumar Gupta having been elected unopposed as Senior Deputy Mayor for the year 2017.

Thereafter, the Secretary informed the House that there were two candidates for the post of Deputy Mayor namely Smt. Ravinder Kaur & Sh. Anil Kumar Dubey.

Smt. Ravinder Kaur withdrew her nomination, hence Smt. Asha Jaswal, Mayor declared Sh. Anil Kumar Dubey having been elected unopposed as Deputy Mayor for the year 2017.

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

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

**Sd/-
Secretary
Municipal Corporation
Chandigarh**

**Sd/-
Mayor
Municipal Corporation
Chandigarh**