



AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLERS' GUILD (INDIA)
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTION COMMISSIONER, CEC ELECTION 2026

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Date: 30/03/2026

To,

The Presiding Officer's
ATC Guild CEC Elections-2026

Subject: Restriction on Use of Mobile Phones inside Polling Booth

Dear Presiding Officers,

Use of personal mobile phones inside the polling booth is strictly prohibited. All voters entering the polling area shall refrain from using mobile phones at any stage, including while casting their vote. If required, voters may deposit their mobile phones with the Presiding Officer/Polling Officer before entering the polling booth.

In this regard, all concerned are directed to take every necessary measure to ensure strict enforcement of this prohibition within the polling area.

This restriction is essential to:

- Safeguard the secrecy of voting
- Prevent any form of undue influence or coercion
- Maintain the integrity and transparency of the election process

You are requested to make appropriate announcements and prominently display the following at the polling station.

**“USE OF PERSONAL MOBILE PHONES STRICTLY PROHIBITED INSIDE
POLLING BOOTH”**

This may be treated as urgent and important

(Ankur Singh)
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