

State Election Commission permits alternate documents as proof of identity to vote for the electors who do not possess EPIC.

Now the State Election Commission has directed that the electors who do not have EPIC shall have to produce any one of the following photo documents for establishing their identity before casting their votes:

- 1) Passports.
- 2) Driving License.
- 3) Income Tax Identity (PAN) Cards.
- 4) Service Identity Cards with photograph issued to its employees by State/Central Government, Public Sector/undertakings or Public Limited Companies.
- 5) Passbooks with photographs issued by Public Sector Banks/Post Office and Kisan Passbook
- 6) Student Identity Card with photograph issued by Recognized Educational Institutions
- 7) Property documents with Photograph such as pattas, Registered Deeds, etc.
- 8) Ration Card with Photograph issued
- 9) SC/ST/OBC Certificates with photograph issued by competent authority
- 10) Pension Document with photograph such as ex-servicemen's Pension Book/Pension Payment Order, ex-servicemen's Widow/Dependent Certificates, Oldage Pension Order, Widow Pension Order with photograph
- 11) Freedom Fighter Identity Card with photograph.
- 12) Arms License with photograph, issued
- 13) Certificate of Physical Handicap with photograph issued by competent authority
- 14) Ex-servicemen CSD Canteen card with photograph.
- 15) Sandhya Suraksha Scheme Card with photograph issued
- 16) Job Card with photograph issued under the National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme
- 17) Yashaswini Card with photograph issued
- 18) The service identity cards with photographs issued by the local bodies namely Municipal Corporation, City Municipal Council, Town Municipal Council, Village Panchayats, etc
- 19) Senior Citizen Cards bearing photographs of the holder of the card, issued by the Government Department.
- 20) Temporary or permanent Ration card which including Family members details with photographs issued by Government of Karnataka
- 21) Health Insurance Scheme smart card, with photograph (Ministry of Labour Scheme),
- 22) Aadhaar Card issued