

**Office of the Chief Electoral Officer
West Bengal**

13, Strand Road, Kolkata 700001

No. 21/CEO/PN/2028

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PRESS NOTE

In compliance with the directives of the Election Commission of India following the announcement of the General Elections to WBLA 2026, and the policy of zero tolerance to inducement, a major seizure was made by Income Tax Department today which is working under the supervision, control and guidance of the Election Commission of India.

On the basis of an information from Park Street Police Station, foreign currency of 4.75 Lakhs US Dollar and 3 Lakhs Thai-Bhat was seized by Income Tax Department today from 3 persons. The Value of the seizure is Rupees Four Crore Fifty ~~four~~ Lakh eighty two thousand five hundred (Rs. 4,54,82,500/-). Specific case has been started as per relevant provisions of IT Act.

Sd/-
(Arindam Niyogi)

Additional Chief Electoral Officer
West Bengal