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To,
Office of The Chief Electoral Officer
Nirvachana Nilaya,
Maharani's College Circle,
Sheshadri Road, Bangalore 560 001.

Date: 22-March-2024

Subject: Urgent Request for Prohibition of Displaying Films, Advertisements, and Billboards of Actor Shivraj Kumar during Lok Sabha Elections - 2024

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to bring to your attention an urgent matter regarding the upcoming Lok Sabha elections and the conduct of political campaigns in Karnataka. As you are well aware, elections are a crucial time for ensuring fair and unbiased representation of all political parties and candidates.

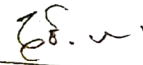
Shri Shivraj Kumar, a prominent figure in the state and currently engaged in a statewide election campaign for the Congress party, holds significant influence over the populace through his cinematic work and public persona. While we respect his right to participate in the democratic process, it is imperative to maintain a level playing field and prevent undue advantage or influence during the election period.

Given his significant influence and popularity, I earnestly request the Election Commission of India to take immediate action by issuing an order to cinema halls, TV channels, social media platforms, and local organizations, to refrain from displaying any films, advertisements, or billboards featuring Mr. Shivraj Kumar until the conclusion of the upcoming Lok Sabha elections.

In light of this, I urge the Election Commission to exercise its authority and enforce stringent measures to maintain impartiality and uphold the principles of democracy. As per the code of conduct established for electoral processes, it is imperative to ensure a fair and unbiased environment where no individual or entity can unduly influence the electorate.

I trust in the Election Commission's commitment to ensuring free and fair elections in our country, and I sincerely hope that my request will receive prompt attention and necessary action.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.


R Raghunath (Kautilya)