

legally required so to do, or has refused to answer questions which he has been legally required to answer.

68. (1) The presiding officer shall keep order at his polling station and shall regulate the number of voters to be admitted at a time, and shall exclude all other persons except the Supervisor of Elections, the returning officer of the electoral district, the poll clerk, the candidates, one agent for each candidate appointed by such candidate in accordance with the provisions of section 60 and the police officers on duty.

Who are to be admitted within polling stations.

(2) The agents aforesaid shall be posted in such a place that they can see each person who presents himself as a voter and hear his name as given in by him, but so that they cannot see how any voter votes. They shall not interfere in the proceedings save in so far they may be allowed by this Ordinance.

Agents how to be placed.

(3) If any person persists, after being warned, in disobeying the directions of the presiding officer or in acting in contravention of this section, it shall be lawful for the presiding officer to cause him to be removed from the polling station.

Preservation of order.

69. (1) Each voter shall receive from the presiding officer a ballot paper on which such officer has previously put his initials so placed as indicated in the form set out as Form No. 17 in the Second Schedule that when the ballot paper is folded the said initials can be seen without opening it, and on the counterfoil of which he has placed a number corresponding to the consecutive number on the official list of voters and entered in the poll book.

General mode of taking ballot.

(2) The presiding officer shall instruct the voter how to make his mark, and shall properly fold the voter's ballot paper, directing him to return it, when marked, folded as shown, but without inquiring or seeing for whom the voter intends to vote, except when the voter is unable to vote in the manner prescribed by this Ordinance on account of illiteracy, blindness or other physical incapacity.