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## Fall in Mumbai Municipal Corporation corporator's 'progress book', of Praja Foundation



Praja Foundation has announced the progress book of the year 2020 for the performance of the corporators of Mumbai Municipal Corporation. Shiv Sena's number has dropped in this annual progress book. Only two Shiv Sena corporators have been included in the top 10 corporators. The Congress has bagged the first position and the BJP has been given the second position. Shiv Sena is at the third position.

According to the Praja Foundation, the progress book takes into account the education of the corporators, their criminal background, complaints lodged with the police against them, court petitions, attendance in the House, questions raised in the meeting, use of corporator funds.

According to the report, BJP has five, Congress has three and Shiv Sena has only two in the top ten. BJP corporator Harish Chheda has bagged the first position with 82.7 percent marks. BJP's Nehal Shah is at the second position. He has been given 80%

marks. Shiv Sena's Anant Nar is at the third position with 79.9 percent marks. Samadhan Sarvankar is ranked fourth. Other corporators include BJP's Swapna Mhatre, Asha Marathe, Prabhakar Shinde, while Congress' Ravi Raja, Virendra Chaudhary and Kamarjahan Siddiqui.

The report also looks at how many and to what extent corporators ask questions. According to the report, the number of questions asked in the House has decreased. The report also states that the number of people asking questions has decreased. The report shows that the number of questions asked is less than 10 per cent of the total number of complaints on sewage, waste, water, roads, rainwater harvesting.

The report states that as the corporators have to give priority to election campaign over their regular work and responsibilities in the House, the graph of corporators in Mumbai Municipal Corporation has been declining. The important thing is that the corporators have been at the forefront of relief work during the Corona period. The report states that the role of corporators remains important in urban planning.

Out of 227 corporators of the corporation, 13 corporators have not presented any question in the assembly this year. That includes both MIM corporators. Congress' Nikita Nikam, Supriya More, Vinny D'Souza, NCP's Manisha Rahate, Akhil Bharatiya Sena's Geeta Gawli, former Shiv Sena mayor Milind Vaidya, Sangeeta Sutar, Snehal More, Maryammal Thevar, Urmila Panchal, BJP's Shivkumar Jha and Ranjana Patil are also in the list. Among them, Congress' Supriya More, MIM's Gulnaz Qureshi and NCP's Manisha Rahate have not raised a single question since 2017.

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