

Chandigarh

Lok Sabha 2009 Elections

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Chandigarh Election Watch Lok Sabha elections 2009

Lok Sabha 2009 elections in Chandigarh were held on May 13th 2009 for one parliamentary constituency. This chapter includes analysis of voting trend, criminalization and money power in these elections.

Political Parties and Candidates

In Lok Sabha 2004, 7 parties contested. This went down to 6 parties in Lok Sabha 2009 elections. In Lok Sabha 2004 elections 17 candidates contested. This went down to 14 candidates in Lok Sabha 2009 elections.

Executive summary

- Affidavits of all 14 candidates contesting the Lok Sabha 2009 elections were analyzed by the Chandigarh Election Watch.
- None of these 14 candidates had pending criminal cases.
- Average asset for a candidate from Chandigarh was 3.7 crores.
- The constituency was won by Pawan Kumar Bansal of INC.
- Average assets for the winner, runner up and second runner up were 9.3 crores.
- There was 1 female candidate from Chandigarh. This candidate did not win.

Voting and winning trend

The % of votes polled by major parties

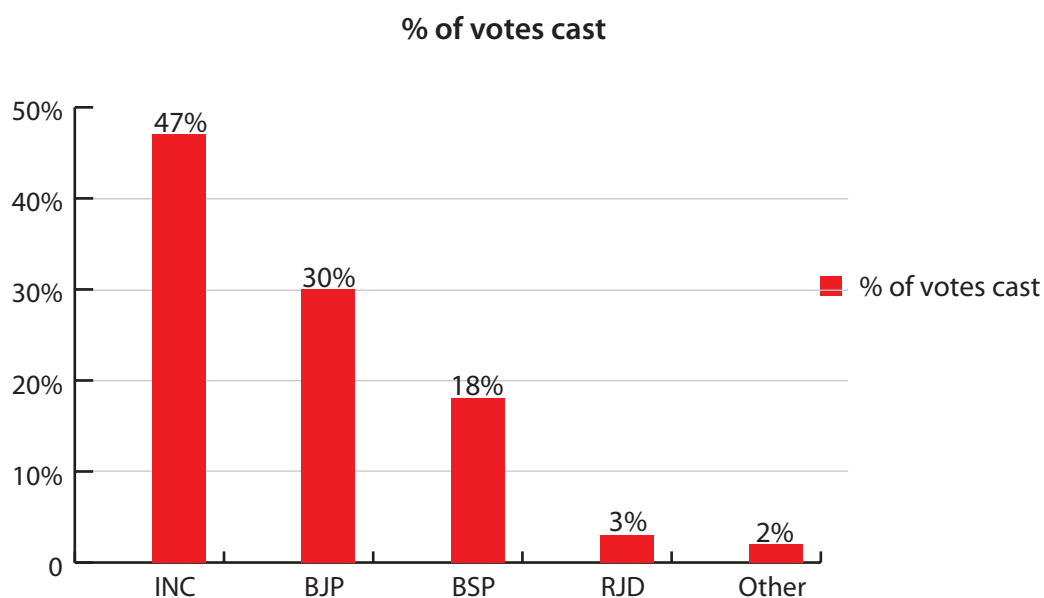
INC managed to get 47% of the votes cast. This was 31% of the electorate. The total electorate in Chandigarh was 5,24,444 and the total votes cast were 3,43,557.

Further break-up is given in the table:

Table: Per cent of votes cast

| Party | Total votes cast for the party | % of votes cast | % of total registered voters |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| Indian National Congress(INC) | 161,042 | 47% | 31% |
| Bhartiya Janta Party(BJP) | 102,075 | 30% | 19% |
| Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP) | 61,434 | 18% | 12% |
| Rashtriya Janta Dal (RJD) | 11,549 | 3% | 2% |
| Others | 7,457 | 2% | 1% |

Figure: Per cent of votes cast in Chandigarh



Comparison of Candidates

| S No. | Name | Age | Gender | Party | Criminal Cases | No. of Cases | Serious IPC Counts | Education Level | Total Assets | Total Liabilities | PAN Given |
|-------|-------------------------------|-----|--------|-------|----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|-----------|
| 1 | PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL (WINNER) | 60 | M | INC | No | Graduate Professional | 82,29,400 82 Lacs + | 3,05,00,000 3 Crore+ | 3,87,29,400 3 Crore+ | 0 | Yes |
| 2 | AJAY GOYAL | 43 | M | IND | No | Graduate Professional | 1,39,52,496 1 Crore+ | 16,34,00,000 16 Crore+ | 17,73,52,496 17 Crore + | 0 | Yes |
| 3 | DARSHAN SINGH | 34 | M | IND | No | 10th Pass | 2,64,701 2 Lacs + | 0 | 2,64,701 2 Lacs + | 0 | Yes |
| 4 | DES RAJ | 43 | M | IND | No | Not Given/ Not Filled | 3,21,382 3 Lacs + | 24,00,000 24 Lacs + | 27,21,382 27 Lacs + | 567 5 Hund + | Yes |
| 5 | GOSWAMI VISHWA BHUSHAN BHARTI | 31 | M | JD(U) | No | 12th Pass | 1,01,000 1 Lacs + | 0 | 1,01,000 1 Lacs + | 0 | Yes |
| 6 | HAFFIZ ANWAR UL HAQ | 37 | M | RJD | No | Graduate | 66,47,034 66 Lacs + | 40,00,000 40 Lacs + | 1,06,47,034 1 Crore + | 12,24,056 12 Lacs + | Yes |
| 7 | HARMOHAN DHAWAN | 69 | M | BSP | No | Post Graduate | 2,54,79,000 2 Crore + | 12,15,00,000 12 Crore + | 14,69,79,000 14 Crore + | 1,70,000 1 Lacs + | Yes |
| 8 | KAFIL AHMAD | 52 | M | IND | No | 5th Pass | 33,900 33 Thou + | 1,00,000 1 Lacs + | 1,33,900 1 Lacs + | 0 | No |
| 9 | KHEM LAL BANSAL | 63 | M | IND | No | Graduate Professional | 23,23,500 23 Lacs + | 3,30,00,000 3 Crore + | 3,53,23,500 3 Crore + | 3,50,000 3 Lacs + | Yes |
| 10 | MAYA DEVI | 36 | F | IND | No | Illiterate | 2,20,000 2 Lacs + | 0 | 2,20,000 2 Lacs + | 2,50,000 2 Lacs + | Yes |
| 11 | PARAS NATH | 43 | M | AD | No | Graduate | 40,000 40 Thou + | 0 | 40,000 40 Thou + | 10,000 10 Thou + | No |
| 12 | RAM PAL HANS | 46 | M | IND | No | Graduate | 10,000 10 Thou + | 0 | 10,000 10 Thou + | 0 | No |
| 13 | S K SURI | 67 | M | IND | No | Post Graduate | 24,00,777 24 Lacs + | 1,20,96,777 1 Crore + | 51,30,000 51 Lacs + | 51,30,000 51 Lacs + | Yes |
| 14 | SATYA PAL JAIN | 56 | M | BJP | No | Post Graduate | 24,37,145 24 Lacs + | 9,32,37,145 9 Crore + | 42,66,982 42 Lacs + | 42,66,982 42 Lacs + | Yes |

