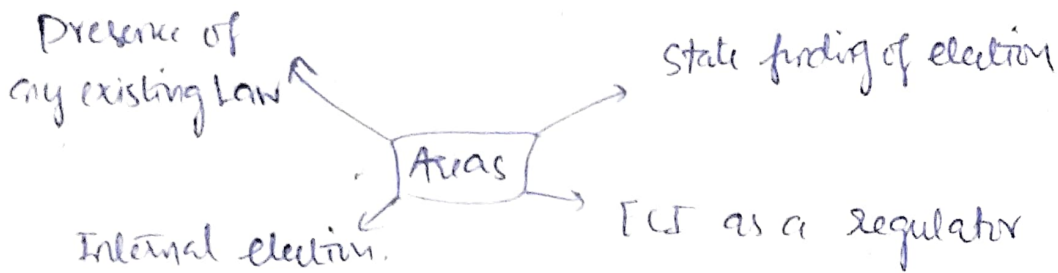


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1. DO you think Election Commission of India is right in rejecting the idea of permanent president for a political party? Comment.

E.C.I has recently rejected several political parties inactive for years from being a Political party.



## Law

1. NO law but executive order by ECI. It expects political parties to abide by its own constitution.

2. Court's observation. neither Art 324 nor Section 29A of RPA, 1951 provided power to regulate the Internal elections of the political party.

## Internal elections

Global examples → US and UK goes for debate

for leadership within the party.

2' phases { Elections within party → [ Divisive in nature  
may affect democracy in long term. ]

Single leadership → High command culture.

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Specimen Booklet

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Internal elections → Help bring out different ideas, views between Heterogenous members within of party.  
→ Helps in upward mobility.

concern : High command culture in India and South Asia.

State funding of Elections

1. Law commission report of 1999 - Suggested funding as a form of Regulation of Internal party. But was not approved.

2. ECI must bring out Innovative measure to regulate - eg: Funding based on vote share in election

ECI as regulator

ECI must interpret existing laws. Stake hold measures

- i) Reporting of change in office bearers
- ii) ~~Notice~~ of → Elections within party
- iii) Document funding at election and non-election period.

ECI ~~must~~ <sup>can</sup> device ways, that influence the political parties to take frequent changes instead of drastic measures like de-register, & maintain a middle ground