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POLITY

In news: Dhankhar submits his resignation to President.

The post of Vice-President of India is inspired on the lines of American Vice-President.

Article 63 of the Indian Constitution mentions the post of Vice-President.

Vice-President is the top second citizen of the India.

Vice President's election:

He is elected by the members of an electoral college consisting of the members of both houses of Parliament.

proportional representation by means of the single transferable vote, and the voting is by secret ballot.

Term and Vacancy:

Term: The Vice-President holds office for a term of five years from the date on which he enters his office. However, he can resign from his office anytime by addressing the resignation letter to the President.

The Vice-President can hold office beyond his term of five years until his successor assumes charge. He is also eligible for reelection to that office. He may be elected for any number of terms.

Vacancy: A vacancy in the Vice-President's office can occur in any of the following ways:

➢ On the expiry of his tenure of five years

➢ By his resignation

➢ On his removal

➢ By his death

➢ Otherwise, for example, when he becomes disqualified to hold office or when his election is declared void.

If the office falls vacant by resignation, removal, death, or otherwise, then an election to fill the vacancy should be held as soon as possible(within six months for President) after the occurrence of the vacancy.

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