



தமிழ்நாடு மாநில தேர்தல் ஆணையம், சென்னை-106.
TAMIL NADU STATE ELECTION COMMISSION,
Chennai - 600 106.

சட்டபூர்வ ஆணை
STATUTORY ORDER

சுருக்கக் குறிப்பு
ABSTRACT

Elections – Ordinary Elections to Rural Local Bodies – October 2011 – Erode District – Contested Candidates – Failed to lodge accounts of Election Expenses – Show Cause Notice Issued – Failed to submit explanation and accounts – Disqualification Ordered – Further report received – Disqualification reconsidered for Sl.No.336 in S.O.No.7/2013/TNSEC/PE-2, dated 26.08.2013 – Deletion of Sl.No.336 – Ordered.

S.O.No.4/2014/TNSEC/PE-2

Dated, the 19th June, 2014

Read:

1. S.O. No. 7/2013/TNSEC/PE-2, dated, the 26th August 2013.
2. From the District Election Officer/District Collector, Erode District Lr.No.12286/2012/பஅ 4, dated 06.01.2014.
3. From the District Election Officer/District Collector, Erode District Lr.No. 12286/2012/பஅ 4, dated 12.06.2014.

ORDER:

WHEREAS, in the S.O. read above, published as Notification No. VI(2)/169(a)/2013, at pages 1 to 37 of Part VI – Section 2 of the *Tamil Nadu Government Gazette* Extraordinary No. 246, dated the 30th August 2013, by invoking sub-section (4) of section 37 of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats Act, 1994 (Tamil Nadu Act 21 of 1994), the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission declared *inter-alia* Tmt. S. Palaniyammal, W/o S. Sekar, President of Kolathupalayam Village Panchayat, Kodumudi Panchayat Union, Erode District under the Table, in the Serial No. 336 disqualified for being chosen as a member or president and for being the president for a period of three years from the date of the said Order issued based on the report of the District Election Officer/District Collector, Erode;

2. WHEREAS, on the basis of the news published in one of the Tamil Daily Newspapers, Chennai Edition, dated 19.12.2013, the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission came to know about the disqualification of the elected President of Kolathupalayam Village Panchayat, Kodumudi Panchayat Union, Erode District and further report called for from the District Election Officer/District Collector, Erode District;

3. WHEREAS, the District Election Officer/District Collector, Erode District sent a report that the candidate had already submitted her accounts belatedly and without

explanation, but it was wrongly reported earlier to the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission that she did not submit her accounts;

4. WHEREAS, the Commission conducted a detailed enquiry in this matter and decided to give an opportunity to the individual and further report from the District Election Officer/District Collector, Erode District, was called for;

5. WHEREAS, the District Election Officer/District Collector, Erode District, in his letter third read above recommended to accept the explanation given by Tmt. S. Palaniyammal, W/o S. Sekar, Kolathupalayam Village Panchayat, Kodumudi Panchayat Union, Erode District; and

6. WHEREAS, based on the enquiry conducted by the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission and in view of the recommendation of the District Election Officer/District Collector, Erode District, in the reference third read above, the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission decided to condone the delay in submission of accounts on election expenses by Tmt. S. Palaniyammal, W/o S. Sekar, Kolathupalayam Village Panchayat, Kodumudi Panchayat Union, Erode District and to accept the accounts and explanation submitted by her.

7. NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (4) of section 37 of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats Act, 1994 (Tamil Nadu Act 21 of 1994) read with sub-rule (1) of rule 143 of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats (Elections) Rules, 1995, the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission hereby directs that Serial No. 336 in the order issued in S.O. No.7/2013/TNSEC/PE-2, dated, the 26th August 2013 and published as Notification No. VI(2)/169(a)/2013, at pages 1 to 37 of Part VI - Section 2 of the *Tamil Nadu Government Gazette* Extraordinary No. 246, dated the 30th August 2013, declaring Tmt. S. Palaniyammal, W/o S. Sekar, Kolathupalayam Village Panchayat, Kodumudi Panchayat Union, Erode District to have been disqualified for being chosen as a member or president and for being a president for three years shall be deemed to have been deleted.

(தமிழ்நாடு மாநில தேர்தல் ஆணைய ஆணைப்படி)
(By Order of the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission)



B. JOTHI NIRMALASAMY
செயலாளர்
Secretary

To

The Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai-600 079.

(with a request to publish the Statutory Order in an Extra-ordinary issue of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette on 20.06.2014 without fail and to supply 25 copies of the Gazette to this Commission).

Tmt. S. Palaniyammal, W/o S. Sekar, Kolathupalayam Village Panchayat,
Kodumudi Panchayat Union, Erode District

.. through the District Election Officer / District Collector, Erode.

The Returning Officer and Commissioner, Panchayat Union, Kodumudi.

.. through the District Election Officer / District Collector, Erode.

The District Election Officer / District Collector, Erode.

The State Election Officer / Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj,
Saidapet, Chennai-600 015.

The Secretary to Government, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department,
Chennai-600 009.

L1 Section, TNSEC.

ME1 Section, TNSEC (for documentation).

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