



தமிழ்நாடு மாநிலத் தேர்தல் ஆணையம்,

சென்னை - 106

**TAMIL NADU STATE ELECTION COMMISSION,**

Chennai - 106

சட்டபூர்வ ஆணை

**STATUTORY ORDER**

சுருக்கக் குறிப்பு

**ABSTRACT**

Elections - Conduct of - Preparation of Electoral Rolls - Appointment of Block Development Officers (Block Panchayat) as Panchayat Electoral Registration Officer - Notification Issued.

S.O.No. 3/2019/TNSEC/PE-1

Dated, the 10<sup>th</sup> April 2019

Read:

1. The Tamil Nadu State Election Commission's S.O.No.3/2017/TNSEC/PE-1, Dated 3.3.2017.
2. The Hon'ble High Court of Madras, Interim Order in Cont. Pettn. No.1697/2017 and CMP No.16875/2017 in W.A. No.1268/2017, Dated 7.1.2019.

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**ORDER:**

WHEREAS, the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission appointed the Block Development Officers (Block Panchayat) as the Panchayat Electoral Registration Officers for performing the functions specified in sub-section (2) of Section 30 of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats Act, 1994 (Tamil Nadu Act 21 of 1994) read with rule 7 and 14 of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats (Elections) Rules, 1995 for the purposes of preparing and publishing panchayat electoral rolls in respect of wards of panchayats lying within their respective jurisdiction in connection with the conduct of Elections to Panchayats vide Tamil Nadu State Election Commission's Statutory Order No.3/2017/TNSEC/PE-1, Dated 03.03.2017 and the same has been published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette Extraordinary issue No. 58, Part VI--Section 2, Dated 6.3.2017 vide notification No. VI(2)/27(a-3)/2017;

WHEREAS, the Hon'ble High Court of Madras has recorded in the Contempt Petition No. 1697/2017 and CMP No. 16875/2017 in W.A. No. 1268/2017 Dated 07.01.2019 that the necessary notification for conducting local body elections will be issued by the end of May 2019 (31.05.2019).

AND WHEREAS, as recorded in the Contempt Petition No. 1697/2017 and CMP No. 16875/2017 in WA No. 1268/2017 by the Hon'ble High Court of Madras, election notification has to be issued by the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission in time and to expedite the process of election immediately;

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NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of Section 30 of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats Act, 1994 (Tamil Nadu Act 21 of 1994) read with rule 7 and 14 of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats (Elections) Rules, 1995 and in supersession of the notification No. VI(2)/27(a-3)/2017 has published in Part VI--Section 2 of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette Extraordinary No. 58, dated 6.3.2017 at Page No.2, the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission hereby designates the Block Development Officers (Block Panchayat) as the Panchayat Electoral Registration Officers for the purposes of preparing and publishing panchayat electoral rolls in respect of wards of panchayats lying within their respective jurisdiction in connection with the conduct of Elections to Panchayats.

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

T S Rajasekar

T.S. RAJASEKAR  
செயலாளர்  
Secretary

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With a request to publish the Notification in the extra ordinary issue of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette on 12.4.2019 and supply 50 copies of the notifications to this Commission.

All Panchayat Electoral Registration Officers and Block Development Officers (Block Panchayat) ... through District Election Officers.

All District Election Officers and District Collectors (except Chennai).

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

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