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NOTIFICATIONS BY HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

TAMIL NADU STATE ELECTION COMMISSION, CHENNAI.

[ELECTIONS — ELECTIONS TO URBAN AND RURAL LOCAL BODIES — SAFEGUARDS AGAINST PERSONATION — MARKING INDELIBLE INK — FURTHER DIRECTION — ISSUED.]

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(S.O.No. 95/TNSEC/2011/EG-2.)

In pursuance of sub-rule (I)(b) of rule 47 of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats (Elections) Rules, 1995 and sub-rule (I)(b) of rule 45 of the Tamil Nadu Town Panchayats, Third Grade Municipalities, Municipalities and Corporations (Elections) Rules, 2006, the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission had directed in the S.O. No. 31/2011/TNSEC/EG2, dated the 14th September 2011, that before delivering the ballot paper or ballot papers to the elector, an indelible ink should be applied as a line from the top end of the nail to the bottom of the first joint of the left forefinger.

Whereas, the bye Election to Tiruchirappalli West Assembly Constituency has been scheduled on 13th October 2011, the above procedure will be followed during the poll for Assembly Constituency on 13th October 2011.

Now, Therefore, it is directed that in the Corporation area within the Tiruchirappalli West Assembly Constituency, where the poll for the election of Mayor/Ward Councillors of the said Corporation is Scheduled on 17th October 2011 before delivering the ballot paper or ballot papers to the elector, or before allowing to record his / her vote in Electronic Voting Machine indelible ink should be applied as a line from the top end of the nail to the bottom of the *first joint of the left middle finger*.

In view of the issue of this order the Statutory Order issued in this Commission *vide* S.O. No. 31/2011/TNSEC/EG2, dated the 14th September 2011 is ordered to be not applicable as far as the elections to the Offices of Councillors and Mayor of Tiruchirappalli Corporation is concerned (comprising of Tiruchirappalli West Assembly Constituency) for the ensuing Local Body Elections.

(By Order of the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission)

Chennai-600 106, 1st October 2011. V.M. XAVIER CHRISSO NAYAGAM, Secretary, Tamil Nadu State Election Commission.

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