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NOTIFICATIONS BY HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

TAMIL NADU STATE ELECTION COMMISSION, CHENNAI.

[ELECTIONS—ORDINARY ELECTIONS—CONDUCT OF MEETING FOR THE ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN/VICE-CHAIRMAN OF DISTRICT PANCHAYAT/PANCHAYAT UNION AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF VILLAGE PANCHAYAT—POSTPONEMENT—LOCAL BODIES WHERE THE COUNTING AND DECLARATION HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETED ON 21st OCTOBER 2011—CETRAIN MODIFIED ORDERS ISSUED.]

(S.O. No. 105/2011/TNSEC/PE-I.)

No. VI(2)/519(b)/2011.

READ:

S.O.Nos. 46 to 77/2011/TNSEC/PE-1, dated 21st September 2011.

Order:

Whereas, the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission inter-alia notified 29th October 2011 as the date on which the meeting of the ward members shall be held for the elections of Vice-Presidents or Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen as the case may be in the Statutory Orders read above.

Whereas, the counting of votes and declaration of results in respect of the direct elections in certain rural local bodies have not been completed on 21st October 2011.

Whereas, rule 73(3) and 94(4) of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats (Elections) Rules, 1995 stipulate that there shall be seven clear days notice for the election meeting for the offices of Chairman/Vice-Chairman of District Panchayat/ Panchayat Union and Vice-President of Village Panchayat.

Now, therefore, it has become expedient to issue an order to postpone the said meeting for the indirect elections to 1st November 2011 instead of 29th October 2011 in respect of local bodies (Village Panchayats/Panchayat Unions/District Panchayats) where the counting and declaration of results of the direct elections have not been completed on 21st October 2011 so as to comply with the said provisions of the elections rules.

Hence, in exercise of the powers conferred under rule 73, 94, 92 and 99 of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats (Elections) Rules, 1995, the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission in partial modification to the orders issued in the Statutory Orders read above hereby orders for the postponement of the date fixed for the election meeting in connection with elections to the offices of Chairman and Vice-Chairman or Vice-President for District Panchayats, Panchayat Unions and Village Panchayats to 1st November 2011 instead of 29th October 2011 where the counting and declaration of results of the direct elections have not been completed on 21st October 2011.

In respect of the said District Panchayats/Panchayat Unions/Village Panchayats where the indirect elections are to be held on 1st November 2011 the respective Returning Officers shall ensure that the revised notices for the said election meeting are served to the elected representatives on or before 24th October 2011.

(By Order of the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission)

Chennai-600 106, 23rd October 2011. V.M. XAVIER CHRISSO NAYAGAM,
Secretary,
Tamil Nadu State Election Commission.