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NOTIFICATIONS BY HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

TAMIL NADU STATE ELECTION COMMISSION, CHENNAI.

[ELECTIONS—ORDINARY ELECTIONS, 2011—TIRUVALLUR DISTRICT—CONTESTED CANDIDATES—FAILURE TO LODGE ELECTION EXPENSES—ORDERED TO DISQUALIFY FOR THE PERIOD OF THREE YEARS TO CONTEST LOCAL BODY ELECTIONS—REPRESENTATIONS RECEIVED—ORDERS ISSUED WITHHOLDING THE DISQUALIFICATION ORDERS.]

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WHEREAS, with regard to Tiruvallur District, the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission issued orders in the references read above, disqualifying the contested candidates those who have failed to lodge their election expenses accounts as required by or under the relevant section of the Tamil Nadu District Municipalities Act, 1920 and of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats Act, 1994 and the rules made thereunder, for a period of three years from the date of issue of orders for being elected as Chairman or Councillor or Ward Member or President as the case may be.

WHEREAS, several written representations along with the acknowledgement receipts for submission of election expenses accounts before the Officers concerned are being received from the candidates of Tiruvallur District who have been disqualified *vide* orders read above.

WHEREAS, considering the *Prima-Facie* of the representations, the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission has constituted a Committee to inquire into this matter and report.

In the above context, in exercise of the powers conferred under Article 243-ZA and Article 243-K of the Constitution of India and rule 139 of the Tamil Nadu Town Panchayats, Third Grade Municipalities, Municipalities and Corporations (Elections) Rules, 2006 and rule 143 of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats (Elections) Rules, 1995, the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission, in anticipation of the inquiry report hereby orders to withhold the statutory orders read above until further orders.

(By Order of the Tamil Nadu State Election Commission)

Chennai-600 106,
19th December 2013.

B. JOTHI NIRMALA,
Secretary,
Tamil Nadu State Election Commission.

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