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NOTIFICATION BY THE ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

ISSUE OF POSTAL BALLOT FOR ABSENTEE VOTERS IN THE CATEGORY OF PERSONS EMPLOYED IN ESSENTIAL SERVICES.

No. SRO G-7/2021.

The following Notifications of the Election Commission of India, Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110 001, dated 27th February, 2021 (08 Phalguna, 1942 (Saka) is published:

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In pursuance of the provisions of clause (c) of Section-60 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, on due consideration of the matter in consultation with the Government, the Election Commission hereby notifies that the persons employed in the following essential services:

- 1. Loco Pilots,
- 2. Assistant Loco Pilots,
- 3. Motormen.
- 4. Guards,
- 5. Travelling Ticket Examiners,
- 6. AC Coach Attendants,
- 7. Railway Protection Force Personnel on Train, escorting duties of the Railway Department.
- 8. Media persons authorized by ECI for poll day;
- 9. Aviation; and
- 10. Shipping

Who on account of being on duty on the day of poll in the current General Election to Legislative Assembly of Tamil Nadu scheduled to be notified on 12-03-2021, will not be able to be present in their respective polling station, as a class of persons to give vote by postal ballot in the said general election as per the provisions of Part-IIIA of the Conduct of Elections Rules, 1961, as amended *vide* Ministry of Law & Justice, Government of India, Notification, SO No. 3786(E), dated 22nd October, 2019, and directions and guidelines issued by the Election Commission, in this behalf.

(By Order)

NARENDRA N. BUTOLIA, Senior Principal Secretary, Election Commission of India.

Secretariat, Chennai-600 009, 28th February 2021. SATYABRATA SAHOO, Chief Electoral Officer and Principal Secretary to Government, Public (Elections) Department.