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**BILLS INTRODUCED IN THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
OF THE STATE OF TAMIL NADU**

Under Rule 130 of the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Rules, the following Bill which was introduced in the Legislative Assembly of the State of Tamil Nadu on 21st April, 2023 is published together with Statement of Objects and Reasons for general information:—

L.A Bill No. 21 of 2023

A Bill to Consolidate Lands for Implementation of Projects of Significance in the State and for the Matters Connected therewith or incidental thereto.

BE it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Tamil Nadu in the Seventy-fourth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

Short title and commencement.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Tamil Nadu Land Consolidation (for Special Projects) Act, 2023.

(2) It shall come into force on such date as the State Government may, by notification, appoint.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,—

(a) "Collector" means the Collector of a district and includes any Officer specially appointed by the Government to perform the functions of the Collector under this Act;

(b) "competent authority" means any Officer, committee or authority specified by the Government, by notification, to exercise the powers and perform the functions of a competent authority under this Act;

(c) "Expert committee" means a committee constituted under sub-section (2) of section 4;

(d) "Government" means the State Government;

(e) "Government land" for the purpose of this Act, means lands owned by or vested in the Government, but does not include any land under the purview of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Central Act 69 of 1980.

(f) "interested person" means any person ordinarily residing in a project land or within a radius of ten kilometers therefrom and includes any person beyond such distance if he has an easement in or owns, any portion of the Project land;

(g) "land acquisition law" means the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013 including any Act in the Fourth Schedule of that Act, the Tamil Nadu Acquisition of Land for Harijan Welfare Schemes Act, 1978, the Tamil Nadu Acquisition of Land for Industrial Purposes Act, 1997 and the Tamil Nadu Highways Act, 2001; Central Act 30 of 2013.

(h) "project land" means the overall lands required for a project, including,—

(i) the land owned by the Project proponent;

(ii) lands owned by any person other than the Government or a quasi-Government agency, provided the Government have granted administrative sanction for acquisition of such lands under a land acquisition law; Tamil Nadu Act 31 of 1978.
Tamil Nadu Act 10 of 1999.
Tamil Nadu Act 34 of 2002.

(iii) Government lands or quasi-Government lands interspersed therein or abutting the lands referred to in sub-clauses (i) and (ii);

(i) "Project proponent" means any person proposing to implement a project of infrastructural, industrial, commercial or agricultural in nature, which requires an extent of not less than one hundred hectares;

(j) "quasi-Government agency" means and includes a local authority, university, Government company, or a board or authority constituted under a statute of the State legislature and is under the control of the Government;

(k) "quasi-Government land" means the land owned by a quasi- Government agency;

(l) "Special project" means any project which requires not less than one hundred hectares of land and notified as such by the Government.

3. (1) A Project proponent may submit an application in the prescribed form, a proposal for consolidation of the project land, to the Government. Application for consolidation of project land.

(2) The proposal for consolidation of project land, shall contain,—

(a) a hydrological plan, in the prescribed form, along with a certificate that,—

(i) the overall storage of water in the project land will not be reduced; and

(ii) the carrying capacity of the channels, canals or any other arrangement for the flow of water will not be diminished in any manner both upstream and downstream of the project land;

(b) land ownership plan, in the prescribed form, containing the details of ownership of the project land.

(c) land use plan, in the prescribed form, containing the details of usage of the project land.

4. (1) On receipt of an application under section 3, on consideration of the factors and conditions prescribed, if the Government are satisfied that the project will be of significance for the State, may notify the project as a Special project for the purposes of this Act and shall forward the application to the Collector of the district in which the project is to be implemented. Notification of Special Project.

(2) As soon as may be, on notification of the Special project, the Government shall constitute an Expert committee consisting of five members, namely:—

(i) Superintending Engineer, Water Resources Department, having jurisdiction over the project land-Chairperson;

(ii) Joint Director, Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services, having jurisdiction over the project land-Member;

(iii) an eminent person in the field of ecological conservation or water management, nominated by the Government- Member;

(iv) an eminent academic in the field of civil engineering, hydrology, ecology, environment, or allied subjects, nominated by the Government- Member; and

(v) District Revenue Officer, who shall act as the convenor of the committee.

5. (1) The Expert Committee shall cause, publication of the land consolidation proposal of the Project proponent and conduct of public hearing by the convenor, after giving adequate publicity about the date, time and venue for the public hearing, in the manner as may be prescribed, to ascertain the views of the interested persons. Publication of land consolidation proposal.

(2) The Convenor of the Expert Committee shall also consult the quasi-government agency, if any, on whom the project land vests and also seek their concurrence to dispense with their land for the project.

6. (1) The Expert Committee shall prepare a draft land consolidation scheme based on the proposal of project proponent, also incorporating the views of the interested persons, the concurrence or otherwise of the quasi-government agencies, if applicable and the views of the Committee and submit the same to the Collector for approval.

Draft Land
Consolidation
Scheme.

(2) On approval, the Collector shall cause the same to be published in the District Gazette and in two leading daily newspapers of which one shall be in Tamil. Any interested person may within a period of thirty days from the date of publication of the draft Land Consolidation Scheme, submit their objections or suggestions in writing to the Collector:

Provided that the draft Land Consolidation Scheme shall not be published unless the lands of persons, if any, other than that of the project proponent are vested on the Government.

Final Land
Consolidation
Scheme.

7. (1) The Collector, shall, on expiry of thirty days from the date of publication of the draft Land Consolidation Scheme, send the draft land Consolidation Scheme and objections and suggestions, if any received, together with his recommendation thereon to the competent authority.

(2) The competent authority shall, within two months from the date of receipt of the draft land Consolidation Scheme, either approve or approve with such conditions, as it may deem fit, to be complied with by the Project proponent within a specified period.

(3) On approval of the draft Land Consolidation Scheme by the competent authority under sub-section (2), it becomes final and the final Land Consolidation Scheme shall be published in the *Tamil Nadu Government Gazette* and in two leading daily newspapers of the area, of which one shall be in Tamil:

Provided that the competent authority may cancel or modify the final Land Consolidation Scheme wholly or partly, if any of the conditions has not been complied with by the Project proponent:

Provided further that no such cancellation or modification shall be done unless an opportunity of being heard is given to the Project proponent.

Appeal.

8. (1) Any person aggrieved by an order of the competent authority made under sub-section (2) of section 7 may, within thirty days from the date of publication of the final land Consolidation Scheme, appeal to the Government in such manner, as may be prescribed.

(2) On receipt of an appeal under sub-section (1), the Government shall, within a period of two months, dispose of the appeal after giving the appellant an opportunity of being heard.

Power of
Government to
call for record.

9. The Government may, either *suo-motu* or on application made by any person, at any time, for the purpose of satisfying themselves as to the legality or propriety of any order passed, scheme prepared or approved by the Collector, Expert Committee or competent authority, call for and examine the record of any case pending before or disposed of by the competent authority and may pass such order in reference thereto, as they think fit:

Provided that no order or scheme shall be varied or reversed without giving the affected persons an opportunity of being heard.

Protection of
water bodies.

10. (1) In cases where a river, stream or other waterway changes its course due to natural events and passes through a land owned by any person, the owner of the land, may make an application in the form and manner prescribed to the Collector, seeking grant of land at the disposal of the Government in exchange of the land owned by him.

(2) The Collector shall, on verification of the revenue records and after causing a topographical survey, if there exists a *prima facie* case for proceeding in the matter, send a report along with the application, to the Government.

(3) On receipt of the report from the Collector, the Government shall constitute an Expert committee consisting of members as specified in sub-section (2) of section 4, to examine the request of the applicant and make a recommendation to the Government within a period of sixty days therefrom.

(4) The Government shall thereafter pass appropriate final orders based on the recommendation of the Expert committee.

Central Act XLV
of 1860.

11. Every officer and employee acting under this Act shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of section 21 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860.

Officers and employees to be public servants.

12. No suit, prosecution or other legal proceeding shall lie against any authority, officer or other employee for anything done or intended to be done in good faith under this Act.

Protection of action taken in good faith.

13. If any difficulty arises in giving effect to any provision of this Act, the Government may, by an order published in the *Tamil Nadu Government Gazette*, make such provision not inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, as may be necessary or expedient for the purpose of removing the difficulty:

Power to remove difficulties.

Provided that no such order shall be made after the expiry of two years from the date of commencement of this Act.

14. (1) The Government may make rules for carrying out the purposes of this Act.

Power to make rules.

(2) (a) All rules made under this Act shall be published in the *Tamil Nadu Government Gazette* and, unless they are expressed to come into force on a particular day, shall come into force on the day on which they are so published.

(b) All notifications issued under this Act shall, unless they are expressed to come into force on a particular day, come into force on the day on which they are so published.

(3) Every rule made or notification or order issued under this Act shall, as soon as possible, after it is made or issued, be placed on the table of the Legislative Assembly, and if, before the expiry of the session in which it is so placed or the next session, the Assembly makes any modification in any such rule or notification or order, or the Assembly decides that the rule or notification or order should not be made or issued, the rule or notification or order shall thereafter have effect only in such modified form or be of no effect, as the case may be, so, however, that any such modification or annulment shall be without prejudice to the validity of anything previously done under that rule or notification or order.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

Land is an important factor of production and critical for the economic development of the State. The existing procedures pertaining to consolidation and disposal of Government lands, such as exchange, alienation, re-routing, assignment, and lease, have evolved over two centuries through executive instructions issued from time to time right from the colonial days. Land is also governed by various statutes such as local body Acts, which vest Government land in such local bodies. This multiplicity of executive instructions and references to land in multiple laws lead to delay and uncertainty in consolidation of lands, leading to time and cost overruns and loss of public money.

2. Further, many water bodies, especially rivers and streams, change their extent and course due to natural events, in the course of time. Such water bodies need to be protected in public interest. Standing order (26-A) of the Board of Revenue provides for grant of land at the disposal of the Government for land owned privately, if water changes its course through the private holding. It is considered that with a view to regulate the process of such exchange of land and to effectively protect such water bodies, statutory backing may be provided therefor.

3. In the said circumstances, the Government have, decided to enact a law to streamline the process of consolidation of Government lands for large projects which will be of significance for the State and also to protect such water bodies.

4. The Bill seeks to give effect to the above decision.

K.K.S.S.R. RAMACHANDRAN,
*Minister for Revenue and
Disaster Management.*

MEMORANDUM REGARDING DELEGATED LEGISLATION

Clauses 1(2), 2(b) and (l), 3, 4(1), 5(1), 8(1), 9, 10(1) and (4), 13 and 14 of Bill authorise the Government to make rules or to issue notifications or orders, as the case may be, for the purposes specified therein.

2. The powers delegated are normal and not of an exceptional character.

K.K.S.S.R. RAMACHANDRAN,
*Minister for Revenue and
Disaster Management.*

Secretariat,
Chennai-600 009,
21st April 2023.

K. SRINIVASAN,
Secretary.

Under Rule 130 of the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Rules, the following Bill which was introduced in the Legislative Assembly of the State of Tamil Nadu on 21st April, 2023 is published together with Statement of Objects and Reasons for general information:—

L.A Bill No. 22 of 2023

A Bill to Repeal certain Enactments

BE it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Tamil Nadu in the Seventy-fourth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

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| 1. This Act may be called the Tamil Nadu Repealing (Third) Act, 2023. | Short title. |
| 2. The enactments specified in the Schedule are hereby repealed. | Repeal of certain enactments. |
| 3. Notwithstanding the repeal of the enactments under section 2,— | Savings. |

Tamil Nadu Act
XXVI of 1948.
Tamil Nadu Act
XXX of 1956.
Tamil Nadu Act
27 of 1963.
Tamil Nadu Act
31 of 1963.
Tamil Nadu Act
30 of 1964.
Tamil Nadu Act
31 of 1964.
Tamil Nadu Act
32 of 1964.
Tamil Nadu Act
39 of 1964.
Tamil Nadu Act
11 of 1973.
Tamil Nadu Act
31 of 1973.

(a) any claim or proceeding pending before any Assistant Settlement Officer, Settlement Officer or Director of Settlements under the Tamil Nadu Estates (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1948, the Tamil Nadu Estates (Supplementary) Act, 1956, the Tamil Nadu Lease-holds (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1963, the Tamil Nadu Inams (Supplementary) Act, 1963, the Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Ryotwari Settlement Act, 1964, the Kanyakumari Sreepandaravaka Lands (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1964, the Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Thiruppuvaram Payment Abolition Act, 1964, the Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Jenmikaram Payment Abolition Act, 1964, the Kanyakumari Sreepadam Lands (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1972 or the Tamil Nadu Levy of Ryotwari Assessment on Free-hold Lands Act, 1972, as the case may be, shall stand transferred to the Commissioner of Land Administration, Chennai with effect on and from the date of commencement of this Act and be heard and disposed of, as if these Acts have not been repealed and the order passed by the Commissioner of Land Administration shall be final;

Tamil Nadu Act
I of 1908.
Tamil Nadu Act
XXX of 1947.
Tamil Nadu Act
XXVI of 1948.
Tamil Nadu Act
XXX of 1956.
Tamil Nadu Act
27 of 1963.
Tamil Nadu Act
31 of 1963.
Tamil Nadu Act
31 of 1964.
Tamil Nadu Act
32 of 1964.
Tamil Nadu Act
39 of 1964.
Tamil Nadu Act
11 of 1973.

(b) all cases and other proceedings pending on the date of commencement of this Act before any Tribunal, Appellate Tribunal, Special Tribunal or Special Appellate Tribunal under the Tamil Nadu Estates Land Act, 1908, the Tamil Nadu Estates Land (Reduction of Rent) Act, 1947, the Tamil Nadu Estates (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act 1948, the Tamil Nadu Estates (Supplementary) Act, 1956, the Tamil Nadu Lease-holds (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1963, the Tamil Nadu Inams (Supplementary) Act, 1963, the Kanyakumari Sreepandaravaka Lands (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1964, the Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Thiruppuvaram Payment Abolition Act, 1964, the Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Jenmikaram Payment Abolition Act, 1964 or the Kanyakumari Sreepadam Lands (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1972, as the case may be, shall be continued to be heard and disposed of by that Tribunal, Appellate Tribunal, Special Tribunal or Special Appellate Tribunal in accordance with the provisions of these Acts, as if these Acts had not been repealed;

(c) tasdik allowance payable to religious, educational or charitable institutions, on the date of commencement of this Act, under the Tamil Nadu Estates (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1948, the Kanyakumari Sreepandaravaka Lands (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1964, The Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Thiruppuvaram Payment Abolition Act, 1964 and the Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Jenmikaram Payment Abolition Act, 1964, shall be continued to be paid, as if these Acts had not been repealed.

Tamil Nadu Act XXVI of 1948.
Tamil Nadu Act 31 of 1964.
Tamil Nadu Act 32 of 1964.
Tamil Nadu Act 39 of 1964.

THE SCHEDULE

REPEALS

(See section 2)

S.No.	Year	Number	Short Title
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1.	1862	IV	The Tamil Nadu Enfranchised Inams Act, 1862.
2.	1866	IV	The Tamil Nadu Enfranchised Inams Act, 1866.
3.	1869	VIII	The Tamil Nadu Inams Act, 1869.
4.	1908	I	The Tamil Nadu Estates Land Act, 1908.
5.	1947	XXX	The Tamil Nadu Estates Land (Reduction of Rent) Act, 1947.
6.	1948	XXVI	The Tamil Nadu Estates (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1948.
7.	1955	XXIII	The Pudukkottai (Settlement of Inams) Act, 1955.
8.	1956	XXX	The Tamil Nadu Estates (Supplementary) Act, 1956.
9.	1963	27	The Tamil Nadu Lease-holds (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1963.
10.	1963	31	The Tamil Nadu Inams (Supplementary) Act, 1963.
11.	1964	30	The Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Ryotwari Settlement Act, 1964.
12.	1964	31	The Kanyakumari Sreepandaravaka Lands (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1964.
13.	1964	32	The Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Thiruppuvaram Payment Abolition Act, 1964.
14.	1964	39	The Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Jenmikaram Payment Abolition Act, 1964.
15.	1973	11	The Kanyakumari Sreepadam Lands (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1972.
16.	1973	31	The Tamil Nadu Levy of Ryotwari Assessment on Free-hold Lands Act, 1972.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The Hon'ble High Court of Madras in its common order dated 29.04.2022 in W.P.Nos.14418 of 2003, 13723 of 2004, 1635 & 2401 of 2021, wherein an order of the Government setting aside a settlement patta granted under the Tamil Nadu Estates (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1948 was challenged, while dismissing all the Writ Petitions, was of the view that by efflux of time, the ryotwari lands would have now lost its character as such lands and the ryotwari enactments have outlived their life. The High Court has also observed in the aforesaid order that all of the Inam Estate Acts require repealing as they have served their purpose for which they were enacted and the same were no longer required. Accordingly, the High Court has directed to take necessary steps to find out the Acts which have outlived their requirement and purpose and take concrete and necessary action for repealing such enactments in consultation with the Law Commission.

2. The Government, on consideration of the aforesaid order of the said High Court, in consultation with the State Law Commission, have decided to repeal the following sixteen obsolete and redundant laws, namely:—

- (1) The Tamil Nadu Enfranchised Inams Act, 1862.
- (2) The Tamil Nadu Enfranchised Inams Act, 1866.
- (3) The Tamil Nadu Inams Act, 1869.
- (4) The Tamil Nadu Estate Land Act, 1908.
- (5) The Tamil Nadu Estates Land (Reduction of Rent) Act, 1947.
- (6) The Tamil Nadu Estates (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1948.
- (7) The Pudukkottai (Settlement of Inams) Act, 1955.
- (8) The Tamil Nadu Estates (Supplementary) Act, 1956.
- (9) The Tamil Nadu Lease-holds (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1963.
- (10) The Tamil Nadu Inams (Supplementary) Act, 1963.
- (11) The Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Ryotwari Settlement Act, 1964.
- (12) The Kanyakumari Sreepandaravaka Lands (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1964.
- (13) The Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Thiruppuvaram Payment Abolition Act, 1964.
- (14) The Tamil Nadu (Transferred Territory) Jenmikaram Payment Abolition Act, 1964.
- (15) The Kanyakumari Sreepadam Lands (Abolition and Conversion into Ryotwari) Act, 1972.
- (16) The Tamil Nadu Levy of Ryotwari Assessment on Free-hold Lands Act, 1972.

3. The Bill seeks to give effect to the above decision.

S. REGUPATHY,
Minister for Law.

Secretariat,
Chennai-600 009,
21st April 2023.

K. SRINIVASAN,
Secretary.

Under Rule 130 of the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Rules, the following Bill which was introduced in the Legislative Assembly of the State of Tamil Nadu on 21st April, 2023 is published together with Statement of Objects and Reasons for general information:—

L.A Bill No. 23 of 2023

A Bill to provide for the appropriation of moneys out of the Consolidated Fund of the State for the services and purposes of the financial year commenced on the 1st day of April 2023.

BE it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Tamil Nadu in the Seventy-fourth Year of the Republic of India as follows:-

1. This Act may be called the Tamil Nadu Appropriation (No. 2) Act, 2023.

Short title.

2. The State Government may appropriate out of the Consolidated Fund of the State for the services and purposes of the financial year commenced on the 1st day of April 2023, a sum not exceeding Four Lakh Thirteen Thousand Six Hundred Thirty Nine Crore Seventy Seven Lakh Sixty Thousand rupees, which shall be inclusive of the sum of Two Lakh Seventy Five Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty Two Crore Twenty Two Lakh and Sixty Eight Thousand rupees specified in section 2 of the Tamil Nadu Appropriation (Vote on Account) Act, 2023, being moneys required to meet--

Appropriation out of the Consolidated Fund of the State for the services and purposes of the financial year commenced on the 1st day of April 2023.

Tamil Nadu Act
___ of 2023

- (a) the grants made by the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly for the year, as set forth in column (3) of the Schedule; and
- (b) the expenditure *charged* on the Consolidated Fund of the State for that year, as set forth in column (4) of the Schedule.

THE SCHEDULE.

(See section 2).

Demand Number	Services and Purposes	Sums not exceeding		
		Voted by the Legislative Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated Fund of the State	Total
(1)	(2)	(3) ₹	(4) ₹	(5) ₹
001 STATE LEGISLATURE	Revenue	87,66,87,000	54,92,000	88,21,79,000
	Capital	...	...	...
	Loan	1,00,00,000	...	1,00,00,000
002 GOVERNOR AND COUNCIL OF MINISTERS	Revenue	53,33,16,000	17,89,31,000	71,22,47,000
	Capital	...	...	...
	Loan	...	...	...
003 ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE	Revenue	1,394,20,65,000	353,17,10,000	1,747,37,75,000
	Capital	...	...	...
	Loan	...	...	...
004 ADI-DRAVIDAR AND TRIBAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT	Revenue	2,995,81,74,000	20,00,53,000	3,015,82,27,000
	Capital	497,02,81,000	...	497,02,81,000
	Loan	1,000	...	1,000
005 AGRICULTURE AND FARMER'S WELFARE DEPARTMENT	Revenue	14,124,43,40,000	1,03,000	14,124,44,43,000
	Capital	129,00,98,000	...	129,00,98,000
	Loan	1,00,17,000	...	1,00,17,000
006 ANIMAL HUSBANDRY (Animal Husbandry, Dairying, Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare Department)	Revenue	1,310,42,51,000	1,000	1,310,42,52,000
	Capital	141,08,33,000	...	141,08,33,000
	Loan	40,00,000	...	40,00,000
007 FISHERIES AND FISHERMEN WELFARE (Animal Husbandry, Dairying, Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare Department)	Revenue	618,41,03,000	1,000	618,41,04,000
	Capital	739,85,05,000	...	739,85,05,000
	Loan	...	...	...
008 DAIRY DEVELOPMENT (Animal Husbandry, Dairying, Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare Department)	Revenue	41,59,11,000	1,000	41,59,12,000
	Capital	81,07,75,000	...	81,07,75,000
	Loan	...	...	...
009 BACKWARD CLASSES, MOST BACKWARD CLASSES AND MINORITIES WELFARE DEPARTMENT	Revenue	1,224,78,08,000	3,00,05,000	1,227,78,13,000
	Capital	352,32,93,000	...	352,32,93,000
	Loan	1,000	...	1,000
010 COMMERCIAL TAXES (Commercial Taxes and Registration Department)	Revenue	523,82,32,000	3,000	523,82,35,000
	Capital	1,000	...	1,000
	Loan	40,00,000	...	40,00,000
011 STAMPS AND REGISTRATION (Commercial Taxes and Registration Department)	Revenue	429,47,93,000	1,000	429,47,94,000
	Capital	...	...	...
	Loan	...	...	...
012 CO-OPERATION (Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection Department)	Revenue	4,983,37,05,000	4,000	4,983,37,09,000
	Capital	6,000	...	6,000
	Loan	2,00,03,000	...	2,00,03,000

Demand Number	Services and Purposes	Sums not exceeding		
		Voted by the Legislative Assembly	Charged on the Consolidated Fund of the State	Total
(1)	(2)	(3) ₹	(4) ₹	(5) ₹
013 FOOD AND CONSUMER PROTECTION (Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection Department)	Revenue	10,975,87,67,000	4,000	10,975,87,71,000
	Capital	301,14,09,000	...	301,14,09,000
	Loan	1,000	...	1,000
014 ENERGY DEPARTMENT	Revenue	8,379,29,32,000	1,000	8,379,29,33,000
	Capital	72,27,04,000	...	72,27,04,000
	Loan	2,241,95,03,000	...	2,241,95,03,000
015 ENVIRONMENT AND CLIMATE CHANGE (Environment, Climate Change and Forests Department)	Revenue	128,76,73,000	...	128,76,73,000
	Capital	4,99,00,000	...	4,99,00,000
	Loan	3,63,86,000	...	3,63,86,000
016 FINANCE DEPARTMENT	Revenue	2,330,96,15,000	18,000	2,330,96,33,000
	Capital	390,02,81,000	...	390,02,81,000
	Loan	112,62,53,000	...	112,62,53,000
017 HANDLOOMS AND TEXTILES (Handlooms, Handicrafts, Textiles and Khadi Department)	Revenue	1,151,44,05,000	2,000	1,151,44,07,000
	Capital	1,000	...	1,000
	Loan	5,000	...	5,000
018 KHADI, VILLAGE INDUSTRIES AND HANDICRAFTS (Handlooms, Handicrafts, Textiles and Khadi Department)	Revenue	224,86,93,000	2,000	224,86,95,000
	Capital	...	...	...
	Loan	...	...	...
019 HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT	Revenue	17,525,38,15,000	46,43,000	17,525,84,58,000
	Capital	1,134,91,16,000	1,000	1,134,91,17,000
	Loan	40,00,000	...	40,00,000
020 HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT	Revenue	6,405,61,18,000	2,000	6,405,61,20,000
	Capital	561,15,13,000	2,000	561,15,15,000
	Loan	1,000	...	1,000
021 HIGHWAYS AND MINOR PORTS DEPARTMENT	Revenue	2,028,87,58,000	2,000	2,028,87,60,000
	Capital	17,435,47,30,000	4,000	17,435,47,34,000
	Loan	40,00,000	...	40,00,000
022 POLICE (Home, Prohibition and Excise Department)	Revenue	10,661,42,97,000	6,00,10,000	10,667,43,07,000
	Capital	122,97,92,000	...	122,97,92,000
	Loan	21,55,01,000	...	21,55,01,000
023 FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICES (Home, Prohibition and Excise Department)	Revenue	489,28,81,000	1,000	489,28,82,000
	Capital	80,00,00,000	...	80,00,00,000
	Loan	1,000	...	1,000
024 PRISONS AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES (Home, Prohibition and Excise Department)	Revenue	447,13,79,000	5,02,000	447,18,81,000
	Capital	1,69,00,000	...	1,69,00,000
	Loan	...	...	...
025 MOTOR VEHICLES ACTS-ADMINISTRATION (Home, Prohibition and Excise Department)	Revenue	610,33,46,000	1,000	610,33,47,000
	Capital	1,000	...	1,000
	Loan

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026 HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT	Revenue	3,742,29,20,000	2,000	3,742,29,22,000
	Capital	2,000,00,08,000	...	2,000,00,08,000
	Loan	8,226,50,03,000	...	8,226,50,03,000
027 INDUSTRIES, INVESTMENT PROMOTION AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT	Revenue	2,063,78,84,000	3,000	2,063,78,87,000
	Capital	504,30,06,000	...	504,30,06,000
	Loan	700,23,34,000	...	700,23,34,000
028 INFORMATION AND PUBLICITY (Tamil Development and Information Department)	Revenue	144,80,98,000	1,000	144,80,99,000
	Capital	1,000	...	1,000
	Loan	...	...	...
029 TOURISM - ART AND CULTURE (Tourism, Culture and Religious Endowments Department)	Revenue	201,46,60,000	7,000	201,46,67,000
	Capital	153,16,26,000	...	153,16,26,000
	Loan	80,00,000	...	80,00,000
030 STATIONERY AND PRINTING (Tamil Development and Information Department)	Revenue	166,45,42,000	9,05,000	166,54,47,000
	Capital	15,50,30,000	...	15,50,30,000
	Loan	...	...	...
031 INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND DIGITAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT	Revenue	113,43,28,000	...	113,43,28,000
	Capital	1,000	...	1,000
	Loan	40,00,000	...	40,00,000
032 LABOUR WELFARE AND SKILL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT	Revenue	1,483,78,26,000	6,000	1,483,78,32,000
	Capital	202,90,62,000	...	202,90,62,000
	Loan	1,20,00,000	...	1,20,00,000
033 LAW DEPARTMENT	Revenue	88,60,24,000	...	88,60,24,000
	Capital	...	...	...
	Loan	40,00,000	...	40,00,000
034 MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND WATER SUPPLY DEPARTMENT	Revenue	14,258,04,88,000	3,000	14,258,04,91,000
	Capital	9,498,46,29,000	...	9,498,46,29,000
	Loan	719,08,04,000	...	719,08,04,000
035 HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT	Revenue	157,65,82,000	134,02,22,000	291,68,04,000
	Capital	2,98,06,000	...	2,98,06,000
	Loan	3,00,00,000	...	3,00,00,000
036 PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT AND SPECIAL INITIATIVES DEPARTMENT	Revenue	408,07,67,000	8,000	408,07,75,000
	Capital	74,25,01,000	...	74,25,01,000
	Loan	50,00,000	...	50,00,000
037 PROHIBITION AND EXCISE (Home, Prohibition and Excise Department)	Revenue	205,25,96,000	2,000	205,25,98,000
	Capital	...	...	...
	Loan	...	...	...
038 PUBLIC DEPARTMENT	Revenue	698,53,19,000	1,26,47,000	699,79,66,000
	Capital	150,00,02,000	...	150,00,02,000
	Loan	8,00,00,000	...	8,00,00,000

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039 BUILDINGS (Public Works Department)	Revenue	427,31,76,000	2,000	427,31,78,000
	Capital	1,065,67,35,000	1,000	1,065,67,36,000
	Loan	80,00,000	...	80,00,000
040 WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT	Revenue	3,155,82,53,000	2,000	3,155,82,55,000
	Capital	5,051,59,40,000	24,14,34,000	5,075,73,74,000
	Loan	80,00,000	...	80,00,000
041 REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT	Revenue	8,198,68,42,000	30,05,000	8,198,98,47,000
	Capital	71,000	1,000	72,000
	Loan	40,00,000	...	40,00,000
042 RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYAT RAJ DEPARTMENT	Revenue	20,953,53,34,000	4,000	20,953,53,38,000
	Capital	1,607,82,46,000	...	1,607,82,46,000
	Loan	40,00,000	...	40,00,000
043 SCHOOL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT	Revenue	39,700,51,29,000	13,000	39,700,51,42,000
	Capital	598,41,26,000	...	598,41,26,000
	Loan	40,00,000	...	40,00,000
044 MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES DEPARTMENT	Revenue	1,349,23,93,000	1,000	1,349,23,94,000
	Capital	10,00,03,000	...	10,00,03,000
	Loan	150,00,02,000	...	150,00,02,000
045 SOCIAL WELFARE AND WOMEN EMPOWERMENT DEPARTMENT	Revenue	7,663,34,89,000	2,000	7,663,34,91,000
	Capital	81,76,57,000	...	81,76,57,000
	Loan	2,000	...	2,000
046 TAMIL DEVELOPMENT (Tamil Development and Information Department)	Revenue	116,96,55,000	3,000	116,96,58,000
	Capital	...	...	...
	Loan	40,00,000	...	40,00,000
047 HINDU RELIGIOUS AND CHARITABLE ENDOWMENTS (Tourism, Culture and Religious Endowments Department)	Revenue	571,26,60,000	6,00,00,000	577,26,60,000
	Capital	1,000	...	1,000
	Loan	...	...	...
048 TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT	Revenue	6,455,28,47,000	1,000	6,455,28,48,000
	Capital	900,00,03,000	...	900,00,03,000
	Loan	700,80,09,000	...	700,80,09,000
049 YOUTH WELFARE AND SPORTS DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT	Revenue	403,11,09,000	1,000	403,11,10,000
	Capital	1,000	...	1,000
	Loan	1,000	...	1,000
050 PENSION AND OTHER RETIREMENT BENEFITS	Revenue	41,208,44,72,000	23,45,00,000	41,231,89,72,000
	Capital	...	...	...
	Loan	...	...	...
051 RELIEF ON ACCOUNT OF NATURAL CALAMITIES	Revenue	1,500,01,71,000	2,000	1,500,01,73,000
	Capital
	Loan

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052 DEPARTMENT FOR THE WELFARE OF DIFFERENTLY ABLED PERSONS	Revenue	1,104,23,74,000	1,000	1,104,23,75,000
	Capital	2,00,22,000	...	2,00,22,000
	Loan	25,00,000	...	25,00,000
053 DEPARTMENT OF SPECIAL PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION	Revenue	7,259,16,21,000	1,000	7,259,16,22,000
	Capital	...	...	...
	Loan	25,00,000	...	25,00,000
054 FORESTS (Environment, Climate Change and Forests Department)	Revenue	719,06,38,000	...	719,06,38,000
	Capital	391,66,51,000	...	391,66,51,000
	Loan	1,000	...	1,000
DEBT CHARGES	Revenue	...	58,303,30,63,000	58,303,30,63,000
	Capital	...	...	...
	Loan	...	...	...
PUBLIC DEBT-REPAYMENT	Revenue	...	...	...
	Capital	...	...	...
	Loan	...	43,825,70,60,000	43,825,70,60,000
Total	Revenue	253,664,82,61,000	58,869,59,00,000	312,534,41,61,000
	Capital	44,355,52,67,000	24,14,43,000	44,379,67,10,000
	Loan	12,899,98,29,000	43,825,70,60,000	56,725,68,89,000
Grand Total		310,920,33,57,000	102,719,44,03,000	413,639,77,60,000

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

This Bill is introduced in pursuance of clause (1) of Article 204, of the Constitution, to provide for the appropriation out of the Consolidated Fund of the State, of the moneys required to meet--

(a) the grants made by the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly for the financial year commenced on the 1st day of April 2023; and

(b) the expenditure *charged* on the Consolidated Fund of the State for that year.

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21st April 2023.

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