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No. SRO B-44/2023.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following Rules.

2. The Rules hereby made shall be deemed to have come into force on and from the 1st November, 1996.

RULES

The General Rules applicable to the holders of the permanent posts in the Tamil Nadu General Service shall apply to the holder of the temporary post of Legal Officer in Legal Cell in the Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai, subject to the modifications specified in the following rules.

2. **Constitution** - The post shall constitute a distinct class in the said service.

3. **Method of appointment** - Appointment to the post shall be made as follows:-

(i) By promotion from among the holders of the post of Section Officer in the Law Department of the Secretariat; or

(ii) If no qualified and suitable person is availed for appointment to the post from the above method, by recruitment by transfer from among the holders of the post of Superintendent in the Tamil Nadu Ministerial Service in the Forest Department.

4. **Qualification** - No person shall be eligible for appointment to the post by the methods specified in column (1) of the Table below, unless he possesses the qualifications specified in the corresponding entries in column (2) thereof:-

THE TABLE

<i>Method of appointment</i>	<i>Qualification</i>
(1)	(2)
(i) Promotion.	(a) B.L.degree; and (b) Service for a period of not less than three years as Section Officer in the Law department of the Secretariat.
(ii) Recruitment by transfer.	(a) B.L.degree ; and (b) Service for a period of not less than five years in the category of Superintendent, in the Tamil Nadu Ministerial Service in the Forest Department.

5. **Probation** - Every person, appointed to the post by recruitment by transfer shall, from the date on which he joins duty, be on probation for a total period of one year on duty within a continuous period of two years.

6. **Authority Competent to declare the satisfactory completion of probation and grant of leave.** The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests shall be the authority competent to declare the satisfactory completion of probation and grant of leave.

7. **Pay** - There shall be paid to the holder of the post, a monthly pay calculated in the scale of Rs. 2200-75-2800-100-4000.

SUPRIYA SAHU,
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PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT AND SPECIAL INITIATIVES DEPARTMENT

Framing of Special Rules for the Tamil Nadu Evaluation and Applied Research governing the posts of Director, Additional Director, Joint Director, Deputy Director and Research Officer.

[G.O. Ms. No. 146, Planning, Development and Special Initiatives (ST.2&E), 10th October 2023,
புரட்டாசி 23, சோபகிருது, திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு-2054.]

No. SRO B-45/2023.— In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following Special Rules for the Tamil Nadu Evaluation and Applied Research Service which shall form part as **Section No. 57** in volume II of the Tamil Nadu Service Manual, 2016.

RULES.

1. Constitution.- The service shall consist of the following classes and categories of post, namely:-

<i>Class / Category</i>	<i>Name of the Post</i>
Class I ---	Director
Class II — Category 1	Additional Director
Category 2	Joint Director
Category 3	Deputy Director
Class III — ---	Research Officer

2. Appointment.- Appointment to the post specified in column (1) of the Table below, shall be made by the method specified in the corresponding entry in column (2) thereof:-

THE TABLE

<i>Post (1)</i>	<i>Method of Appointment (2)</i>
Director	(i) By promotion from among the holders of the post of Additional Director or (ii) By recruitment by transfer from any other service, if no qualified and suitable candidate is available for appointment by the method specified in item (i) above; or (iii) By deputation from any other State Government or the Central Government or All India Service on tenure basis.
Additional Director	(i) By promotion from among the holders of the post of Joint Director or (ii) By recruitment by transfer from any other service, if no qualified and suitable candidate is available for appointment by the method specified in item (i) above.
Joint Director	(i) By promotion from among the holders of the post of Deputy Director or (ii) By recruitment by transfer from any other service if no qualified and suitable candidate is available for appointment by the method specified in item (i) above.

<i>Post (1)</i>	<i>Method of Appointment (2)</i>
Deputy Director	(i) By promotion from among the holders of the post of Research Officer or (ii) By recruitment by transfer from any other service, if no qualified and suitable candidate is available for appointment by the method specified in item (i) above.
Research Officer	(i) By recruitment by transfer from the post of Senior Research Assistant in Evaluation and Applied Research Department in Tamil Nadu General Subordinate Service; or (ii) By recruitment by transfer from any other service, if no qualified and suitable candidate is available for appointment by the method specified in item (i) above.

3. Qualifications.- No person shall be eligible for appointment to the post specified in column (1) of the Table below by the method specified in the corresponding entry in column (2) thereof, unless he/she possesses the qualifications specified in the corresponding entries in column (3), thereof:-

THE TABLE

<i>Post (1)</i>	<i>Method of Appointment (2)</i>	<i>Qualifications (3)</i>
Director	(i) By recruitment by transfer from any other service	(a) Must possess a Master's degree with First Class in Economics or Econometrics or Statistics or Business Administration or Mathematics or Social work or Sociology or Anthropology or Agricultural Economics or Public Administration from any University recognized by the University Grant Commission; and
		(b) Must have experience in dealing with Evaluation or Project Appraisal or Financial Analysis or Public Economics, in a post not below the rank of Additional Director for a period of not less than five years.
Director	(ii) By deputation from any other State Government or Central Government.	(a) Must possess a degree obtained in any University or Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission;
		(b) (i) Must be an Officer in level of pay (Rs.1,67,700-2,08,700) and above in Central Government services and completed Six years of service in the field of Evaluation or Project Appraisal or Financial analysis or Public Economics. (or) (ii) Must be an officer drawing a pay level of Rs.123100-215900 (Level 28) in any State Government service with Five years of experience in the field of Evaluation or Project Appraisal or Financial analysis or Public Economics (c) Must not have completed 56 years.

Additional Director	By recruitment by transfer from any other service	<p>(a) Must possess a Master's degree with First Class in Economics or Econometrics or Statistics or Business Administration or Mathematics or Social work or Sociology or Anthropology or Agricultural Economics or Public Administration from any University recognized by the University Grant Commission; and</p> <p>(b) Must have research experience in dealing with the fields of Evaluation or Project Formulation or Financial Analysis or Public economics, in a post not below the rank of Joint Director for a period of not less than five years.</p>
Joint Director	By recruitment by transfer from any other service	<p>(a) Must possess a Master's degree with First Class in Economics or Econometrics or Statistics or Business Administration or Mathematics or Social work or Sociology or Anthropology or Agricultural Economics or Public Administration from any University recognized by the University Grant Commission; and</p> <p>(b) Must have research experience in dealing with the fields of Evaluation or Project Formulation or Financial Analysis or Public economics, in a post not below the rank of Deputy Director for a period of not less than five years.</p>
Deputy Director	(i) By promotion from among the holders of the post of Research Officer in Evaluation and Applied Research Department	Must have submitted two Evaluation Reports and got them approved by the State Evaluation Advisory Board (SEAB).
	(ii) By recruitment by transfer from any other service.	<p>(a) Must possess a Master's degree with First Class in Economics or Econometrics or Statistics or Business Administration or Mathematics or Social work or Sociology or Anthropology or Agricultural Economics or Public Administration from any University recognized by the University Grant Commission; and</p> <p>(b) Must have Research experience in dealing with the fields of Evaluation and appraisal or Project Formulation or Financial analysis or micro economics, in a post not below the rank of Research Officer for a period of not less than five years.</p>
Research Officer	(i) By recruitment by transfer of service.	<p>(a) Must have put in service for a period of not less than two years as Senior Research Assistant in Evaluation and Applied Research Department in the Tamil Nadu General Subordinate Service; and</p> <p>(b) Must have submitted two Evaluation Reports and got them approved by the State Evaluation Advisory Board (SEAB).</p>

	(ii) By recruitment by transfer from any other service.	<p>(a) Must possess a Master's degree with First Class in Economics or Econometrics or Statistics or Business Administration or Mathematics or Social work or Sociology or Anthropology or Agricultural Economics or Public Administration from any University recognized by the University Grant Commission; and</p> <p>(b) Must have Research experience in dealing with the fields of Evaluation and appraisal or Project Formulation or Financial analysis or micro economics or conducting sample surveys or involved in collection of data, in a post not below the rank of Senior Research Assistant for a period of not less than five years.</p>
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4. **Preparation of annual list of approved candidates.**- For the purpose of preparation of annual list of approved candidates for appointment to the posts by promotion or by recruitment by transfer, the crucial date on which the candidate should possess the prescribed qualifications shall be the 1st September of every year.

5. **Probation.**- Every person appointed to any post by recruitment by transfer shall, from the date on which he joins duty, be on probation for a total period of one year on duty within a continuous period of two years.

6. **Test.**- (1) Every person appointed to the post of Research Officer by recruitment by transfer from any other service, shall pass the Evaluation and Applied Research Departmental Test within their probation period.

(2) Every person appointed to the posts of Additional Director, Joint Director, and Deputy Director by recruitment by transfer from any other service, shall pass the Evaluation and Applied Research Departmental Test within their probation period.

(3) Any person who fails to pass the said test within the said period shall be liable to stoppage of increment. Such stoppage of increment shall not, have the effect of postponing his future increments after he has passed the said test.

7. **Appointing authority.**- The appointing authority for all the posts shall be the State Government.

8. **Pay.**- There shall be paid to the holders of the posts specified in column (2) of the Table below, a monthly pay calculated in the Pay Matrix specified in column (3) thereof:-

THE TABLE.

Sl. No.	Name of the Post	Pay Matrix
(1)	Director	128900 - 225000 (Level: 32)
(2)	Additional Director	123100-215900 (Level :28)
(3)	Joint Director	61900-196700 (Level: 26)
(4)	Deputy Director	59300-187700 (Level :25)
(5)	Research, Officer	56100-177500 (Level: 22)

9. **Saving Clause.**- Nothing contained in these rules shall adversely affect the interest of any person who is holding any post in the service on the date of coming into force of these rules.

K. GOPAL,
Additional Chief Secretary to Government (FAC).