

ANNUAL REPORT – 2020

TAMIL NADU INFORMATION COMMISSION
No.19, Government Farm Village, Pernpet, Nandanam, Chennai- 600 035.

**STATEMENT SHOWING THE REASONS FOR THE DELAY IN
PLACING THE ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2020 OF THE
Tamil Nadu Information Commission ON THE TABLE OF THE
TAMIL NADU LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.**

As per sub-section (1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the State Information Commission, shall as soon as practicable after the end of each year, prepare a report on the implementation of the provisions of this Act during that year and forward a copy thereof to the appropriate Government.

2. As per Section 25(2) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, each Ministry or Department shall, in relation to the public authorities within their jurisdiction, collect and provide such information to the State Information Commission as is required to prepare the report.

3. Since there was delay in getting the required details from all the Departments of Secretariat including the heads of departments under their respective administrative control, the Tamil Nadu Information Commission was not able to prepare the Annual Report for the year 2020 and forward it to the Government during the year 2021 itself. The delay in placing the Annual Report for the year 2020 before the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly is due to administrative reasons.

**S. DHANALINGAM,
Secretary.**

TAMIL NADU INFORMATION COMMISSION

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CHAPTER -1

Introduction

திருக்குறள்

“ஓர்ந்துகண் ணோடாது இறைபுரிந்து யார்மாட்டும்
தேர்ந்துசெய் வஃதே முறை”

பொருள்: குற்றம் இன்னதென்று ஆராய்ந்து எந்தப் பக்கமும் சாயாமல்
நடுவுநிலைமை தவறாமல் வழங்கப்படுவதே நீதியாகும்.

Meaning: Search out, to no one favour show; with heart that justice loves
Consult, then act; this is the rule that right approves.

The Right to Information Act, 2005 is one of the most empowering and progressive legislations in independent India. It gives expression to the true spirit of democracy which is embodied in the virtues of transparency and accountability manifesting themselves in the various layers of governance. The Right to Information Act, 2005, seeks to establish the principle that “transparency is the norm and secrecy is an exception” in the working of every public authority. It was enacted to provide citizens with the right to secure access to information under the control of public authorities and thus promote transparency and accountability in the working of every public authority. It is thus a powerful tool to curb corruption in the process of governance.

CHAPTER -2

Disclosure of information

2.1. The Right to Information is defined under the Act as access to all information held under the control of any public authority which is inclusive of right to

- (i) inspection of work, documents, records;
- (ii) taking notes, extracts or certified copies of documents or records;
- (iii) taking certified samples of material;
- (iv) obtaining information in the form of diskettes, floppies, tapes, video cassettes or in any other electronic mode or through printouts where such information is stored in a computer or in any other device;

2.2. The term public authority is defined to be any authority or body or institution of self-government established or constituted,

(a) by or under the Constitution;

(b) by any other law made by Parliament;

(c) by any other law made by State Legislature;

(d) by notification issued or order made by the appropriate Government, and includes any-

(i) body owned, controlled or substantially financed;

(ii) non-Government organization substantially financed, directly or indirectly by funds provided by the appropriate Government;

2.3. Obligations of Public Authorities

Section 4 of the RTI Act lays down the obligations of Public Authorities for mandatory publication of information. Section 4 (2) explicitly states that it shall be the constant endeavour of every public authority to take steps in accordance with the requirements of Clause (b) of sub-section (1) to provide as much information *suo motu* to the public at regular intervals through various means of communication including internet so that the public take minimum resort to the use of this Act to obtain information. It also emphasizes the need to computerize as much as possible the records and connect them through a network all over the country so that access to such records is facilitated.

As per Section 5 of the RTI Act, every Public Authority shall, within one hundred days of the enactment of the Act, designate as many officers as Public Information Officers in all administrative units or officers under it as may be necessary to provide information to persons requesting for the information under this Act. Every Public Authority shall also designate an officer at each sub-divisional level or other sub-district level as Assistant Public Information Officer to receive the applications for information or appeals under this Act for forwarding the same forthwith to the Public Information Officer or the Appellate Authority, as the case may be.

2.4. Three tier Mechanism under RTI Act

A three tier Mechanism is prescribed for enforcing the Citizen's Right to Information. The Public Information Officer is at the first level and he/she is responsible for providing the requested information by an RTI petitioner

expeditiously. The Appellate Authority is at the second level for deciding the first appeal made to him/her by the RTI Petitioner and the State Information Commission is at the third level to ensure the provision of the information when a Second appeal / Complaint is filed.

2.5. Time Frame for Public Information Officers and Appellate Authority under Public Authority

Section 7 of the Act lays down a statutory time limit of 30 days for disposal of requests by the Public Information Officer either by giving information or by rejecting the same with reasons. An appeal against this lies to the appellate authority under sub-section (1) or sub-section (2) of Section 19 which shall be disposed of within thirty days of the receipt of the appeal or within such extended period not exceeding a total of forty five days from the date of filing thereof, as the case may be, for reasons to be recorded in writing.

However, in cases where the information sought for concerns the life and liberty of a person, the same shall be provided within 48 hours of the receipt of the request.

2.6. Exemption from Disclosure of Information

Exemption from disclosure of information are covered under Section 8 of the Right to Information Act which reads as follows:-

- (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, there shall be no obligation to give any citizen,-
 - (a) information, disclosure of which would prejudicially affect the sovereignty and integrity of India, the security, strategic, scientific or economic interests of the State, relation with foreign State or land to incitement of an offence;
 - (b) information which has been expressly forbidden to be published by any court of law or tribunal or the disclosure of which may constitute contempt of Court;
 - (c) information, the disclosure of which would cause a breach of privilege of Parliament or the State Legislature;
 - (d) information including commercial confidence, trade secrets or intellectual property, the disclosure of which would harm the

competitive position of a third party, unless the competent authority is satisfied that larger public interest warrants the disclosure of such information;

- (e) information available to a person in his fiduciary relationship, unless the competent authority is satisfied that the larger public interest warrants the disclosure of such information;
- (f) information received in confidence from foreign Government;
- (g) information, the disclosure of which would endanger the life or physical safety of any person or identify the source of information or assistance given in confidence for law enforcement or security purposes;
- (h) information which would impede the process of investigation or apprehension or prosecution of offenders;
- (i) Cabinet papers including records of deliberations of the Council of Ministers, Secretaries and other officers:

Provided that the decisions of Council of Ministers, the reasons thereof, and the material on the basis of which the decisions were taken shall be made public after the decision has been taken, and the matter is complete, or over:

Provided further that those matters which come under the exemptions specified in this Section shall not be disclosed;

- (j) information which relates to personal information the disclosure of which has no relationship to any public activity or interest, of which would cause unwarranted invasion of the privacy of the individual unless the Central Public Information Officer or the State Public Information Officer or the Appellate Authority, as the case may be, is satisfied that the larger public interest justifies the disclosure of such information:

As per Section 9 of the Right to Information Act, without prejudice to the provisions of Section 8 of the Act, a Public Information Officer may reject a request for information, where such a request for providing access would involve an infringement of copyright subsisting in a person other than the State.

As per Section 24(4) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, nothing contained in this Act shall apply to such intelligence and security organizations

established by the State Government, as that Government may from time to time, by notification in the Official Gazette, specify:

However, information pertaining to the allegations of corruption and human rights violations shall not be excluded under this sub-section:

In the case of information sought for is in respect of allegations of violation of human rights, the information shall only be provided after the approval of the State Information Commission and, notwithstanding anything contained in Section 7, such information shall be provided within forty-five days from the date of the receipt of request.

As a clear guideline to facilitate the provision of information the RTI Act also lays down that any information which cannot be denied to the Parliament or State legislature shall not be denied to any person, seeking information under the Act.

2.7. Third Party:

Section 2 (n) of the Act defines "third party means a person other than the Citizen making a request for information and provides that:-

- (1) Where an appeal is preferred against an order made by the State Public Information Officer under Section 11 to disclose third party information, the appeal by the concerned third party shall be made within thirty days from the date of the order.
- (2) If the decision of the State Public Information Officer against which an appeal is preferred relates to information of a third party, the State Information Commission shall give a reasonable opportunity of being heard to that third party.

2.8. Overriding effect

As per Section 22 of the RTI Act, the provisions of this Act shall have overriding effect over any other law including the Officials Secrets Act, 1923.

2.9. Powers and Functions to enforce the provision of information

The RTI Act, 2005, prescribes the powers and functions of the Central and State Information Commissions under Sections 18, 19 and 20 for dealing with complaints and appeals and prescribes the powers to enforce the provision of information to the common Citizen.

2.10. Disposal of Complaints

The Act provides that it shall be the duty of the State Information Commission, to receive and inquire into a complaint from any person,

- who has been unable to submit a request to a Public Information Officer
- or has been refused access to any information requested under this Act;
- or has not been given a response to a request for information or access to information within the time limit specified under this Act;
- or has been required to pay an amount of fee which he or she considers unreasonable;
- or believes that he or she has been given incomplete, misleading or false information under this Act; and
- or in respect of any other matter relating to requesting or obtaining access to records under the RTI Act.

The State Information Commission when inquiring into any complaint under this Section has the same powers as are vested in a Civil Court while trying a suit under the Code of Civil procedure, 1908, in respect of the following matters,

- (a) Summoning and enforcing the attendance of persons and compel them to give oral or written evidence on oath and to produce the documents or things;
- (b) requiring the discovery and inspection of documents;
- (c) receiving evidence on affidavit;
- (d) requisitioning any public record or copies thereof from any Court or office;
- (e) issuing summons for examination of witnesses or documents; and
- (f) any other matter which may be prescribed

Further, the State Information Commission may during the inquiry of any complaint under this Act, examine any record to which this Act applies which is under the control of the public authority.

2.11. Disposal of Appeals under Section 19 of the Act:-

- (1) Any person, who does not receive a decision within the time specified in sub-section (1) or clause (a) of sub-section (3) of Section 7, or is aggrieved by a decision of the State Public Information Officer, may within thirty days from the expiry of such period or from the receipt of

such a decision prefer an appeal to such officer who is senior in rank to the State Information Officer in each public authority;

The appeal received shall be disposed of within thirty days of the receipt of the appeal or within such extended period not exceeding a total of forty five days from the date of filing thereof, as the case may be, for reasons to be recorded in writing.

- (2) A second appeal against the decision shall lie within ninety days from the date on which the decision should have been made or was actually received, with the State Information Commission.
- (3) In any appeal proceedings, the onus to prove that a denial of a request was justified shall be on the State Public Information Officer who denied the request.
- (4) The decision of the State Information Commission shall be binding.
- (5) The State Information Commission also has the power to
 - (a) require the public authority to take any such steps as may be necessary to secure compliance with the provisions of the RTI Act, including:-
 - i) by providing access to information, if so requested, in a particular form;
 - ii) by appointing a State Public Information Officer;
 - iii) by publishing certain information or categories of information;
 - iv) by making necessary changes to its practices in relation to the maintenance, management and destruction of records;
 - v) by enhancing the provision of training on the right to information for its officials;
 - vi) by providing it with an annual report in compliance with clause(b) of sub-section (1) of Section 4;

- (b) require the public authority to compensate the complainant for any loss or other detriment suffered;
 - (c) impose any of the penalties provided under Section 20 (1) and 20(2) of the RTI Act;
 - (d) reject the application.
- (6) No court shall entertain any suit, application or other proceeding in respect of any order made under this Act and no such order shall be called in question otherwise than by way of an appeal under this Act.

2.12. Penalties under Section 20 of the Act:

- (1) Where the State Information Commission at the time of deciding any complaint or appeal is of the opinion that the State Public Information Officer has without any reasonable cause, refused to receive an application for information or has not furnished information within the time specified under sub-section (1) of Section 7 or malafidely denied the request for information or knowingly given incorrect, incomplete or misleading information or destroyed information which was the subject of the request or obstructed in any manner in furnishing the information, it shall impose a penalty of two hundred and fifty rupees each day till application is received or information is furnished. However, the total amount of such penalty should not exceed twenty five thousand rupees.
- (2) Where the State Information Commission, at the time of deciding any complaint or appeal is of the opinion that the State Public Information Officer has, without any reasonable cause and persistently, failed to receive an application for information or has not furnished information within the time specified under sub-section (1) of Section 7 or malafidely denied the request for information or knowingly given incorrect, incomplete or misleading information or destroyed information which was the subject of the request or obstructed in any manner in furnishing the information, it shall recommend for disciplinary action against the State Public Information Officer under the service rules applicable to him.

The State Public Information Officer shall be given a reasonable opportunity of being heard before any penalty is imposed on him.

The burden of proving that he acted reasonably and diligently shall be on the State Public Information Officer.

CHAPTER – 3

3.1. Constitution of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission

The Government of Tamil Nadu vide notification issued in G.O.Ms.No.988, Public (Estt. I & Leg.) Department dated 07.10.2005, constituted the Tamil Nadu Information Commission consisting of one State Chief Information Commissioner and two State Information Commissioners initially. The strength of the State Information Commissioners was subsequently raised from two to six vide Government Order in G.O.Ms.No.72, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR-III) Department, dated 10.04.2008.

3.2.State Chief Information Commissioner and State Information Commissioners

The State Chief Information Commissioner / State Information Commissioners in position during the reporting year were as follows:

1.	Thiru R. Rajagopal, IAS., (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner	In position from 21.11.2019
2.	Thiru. R. Dakshinamurthy, B.Sc., B.L., State Information Commissioner	Term ended on 19.05.2020
3.	Thiru. G. Murugan, B.Sc., B.L., State Information Commissioner	Term ended on 08.08.2020
4.	Thiru.S.Selvaraj, M.A., B.Ed., State Information Commissioner	In position from 08.12.2017
5.	Dr. (Thiru) R.Pratap Kumar, M.A., M.L., M.B.A., M.Sc., Ph.D., State Information Commissioner	In position from 08.12.2017
6.	Thiru.S.Muthuraj, B.A.,B.L., State Information Commissioner	In position from 08.12.2017
7.	Thiru.S.T.Tamilkumar, B.A., B.L., State Information Commissioner	In position from 08.12.2017

Under Section 15(3) of the RTI Act, 2005, Thiru R.Rajagopal, IAS (Retd.) was appointed as the State Chief Information Commissioner vide G.O.(Ms).No.180, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR-III) Department, dated 18.11.2019. He was administered oath of office on 21.11.2019 by the Hon'ble Governor of Tamil Nadu, Thiru Banwarilal Purohit.

Thiru.S.Selvaraj, Thiru.S.T.Tamilkumar, Dr.R.Pratap Kumar and Thiru.S.Muthuraj were appointed as State Information Commissioners vide G.O.(Ms).No.151, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR-III) Department, dated 30.11.2017. They were administered oath of office on 08.12.2017 by the Hon'ble Governor of Tamil Nadu, Thiru. Banwarilal Purohit.

The following are the details with regard to State Chief Information Commissioner and State Information Commissioners of the past.

1.	Thiru.S. Ramakrishnan, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner	From 28.01.2006 to 30.08.2010
2.	Thiru. K.S. Sripathi, I.A.S. (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner	From 01.09.2010 to 27.04.2015
3.	Thiru. K. Ramanujam, I.P.S. (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner	From 09.08.2015 to 22.11.2017
4.	Dr.(Tmt).M.Sheela Priya, IAS., (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner	From 08.12.2017 to 04.05.2019
5.	Thiru. G. Ramakrishnan, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Information Commissioner	From 28.01.2006 to 09.10.2010
6.	Thiru. R. Rathinasamy, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Information Commissioner	From 28.01.2006 to 11.05.2009
7.	Thiru T.R. Ramasamy, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Information Commissioner	From 07.05.2008 to 30.10.2010
8.	Dr. (Thiru) R. Perumalsamy, State Information Commissioner	From 07.05.2008 to 03.06.2012
9.	Dr. (Tmt) Sarada Nambi Arooran, State Information Commissioner	From 07.05.2008 to 23.07.2011
10.	Thiru T. Srinivasan, M.Sc., State Information Commissioner	From 07.05.2008 to 06.05.2013
11.	Dr. (Tmt.) V. Saroja, M.D., D.G.O., State Information Commissioner	From 05.09.2012 to 11.06.2013

12.	Thiru.S.F.Akbar, B.Sc.,B.L., State Information Commissioner	From 05.09.2012 to 04.11.2015
13.	Thiru. Christopher Nelson, I.P.S. (Retd.) State Information Commissioner	From 05.09.2012 to 16.03.2016
14.	Thiru. P.Thamilselvan, M.A., B.L., State Information Commissioner	From 05.09.2012 to 04.09.2017
15.	Tmt. B. Neelambikai, M.A., B.L., State Information Commissioner	From 05.09.2012 to 04.09.2017

3.3. Head Quarters of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission

During the year 2020, the Tamil Nadu Information Commission functioned from a rented building owned by the Tamil Nadu Slum Clearance Board at No.2, Thyagaraya Road, Teynampet, Chennai – 600 018. To trace the various locations from where the Information Commission functioned from 2006, the details are as follows:

S.No	Location	Period
1	"Krishna Vilas Bungalow", Purasaiwakkam, Chennai.	02.02.2006-06.02.2007
2	The Kamadhenu Co-operative Supermarket Buildings, 1st Floor, Old No.273, New No.378, Anna Salai, Teynampet, (Near Vanavil) Chennai-600 018.	07.02.2007-09.12.2010

In G.O.(Ms.) No.103, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR-III) Department, dated 31.07.2019, the Government accorded sanction for a sum of Rs. 27.79 Crores (Rupees Twenty Seven crores and Seventy Nine lakh only) towards construction of the office building for Tamil Nadu Information Commission at Government Farm Village, Pernpet in Nandanam, Chennai-35.



**View of State Information Commission building at
Government Farm Village, Pernpet, Nandanam, Chennai-35**

3.4. Sanction of Staff to the Tamil Nadu Information Commission

Section 16(6) of the RTI Act, 2005, enjoins upon the State Government to provide the State Chief Information Commissioner and the State Information Commissioners with such Officers and employees as may be necessary for the efficient performance of their functions under the Act. The Staff sanctioned to the Tamil Nadu Information Commission by the Government of Tamil Nadu are as follows:

Sl. No.	Designation of the Posts	No. of Posts sanctioned
1.	Secretary	1
2.	Registrar	1
3.	Legal Officer	1
4.	Financial Adviser & Chief Accounts Officer	1
5.	Under Secretary (Admin)	1
6.	Assistant Registrar	3

Sl. No.	Designation of the Posts	No. of Posts sanctioned
7.	Principal Private Secretary	1
8.	Section Officer	11
9.	Private Secretary	8
10.	Assistant Section Officer	7
11.	Assistant Programmer	1
12.	Assistant	4
13.	Personal Assistant	9
14.	Personal Clerk	10
15.	Typist	6
16.	Record Clerk	2
17.	Driver	8
18.	Duffadar	3
19.	Office Assistant	21

3.5. Budget Allocation

Head of Account	Budget Estimate 2020 – 2021	FMA 2020 + FSE 2020	Expenditure Incurred as on 31.03.2021
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
(Rupees in Thousands)			
01.Salaries			
01. Pay	53320	54488	52052
02. Medical Allowance	177	187	207
03. Medical Charges	300	513	453
04. Other Allowances	617	747	700
06. House Rent allowance	8105	8105	7352
07. Leave Travel Concession	258	1	0

Head of Account	Budget Estimate 2020 – 2021	FMA 2020 + FSE 2020	Expenditure Incurred as on 31.03.2021
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
	(Rupees in Thousands)		
08. City Compensatory Allowance	783	790	799
02.Wages			
03.Dearness Allowance	13063	9263	9595
04.Travel Expenses			
01. Tour Travelling Allowance	300	225	93
05. Office Expenses			
01. Telephone Charges	800	1000	693
02.Other Contingencies	625	500	500
03. Electricity Charges	1456	1206	645
04. Service Postage	800	700	600
05. Furniture	1	1	0
06. Rent, Rate & Taxes			
01. Rent	12456	12456	11963
08. Advertisement Charges			
01. Advertisement Charges	1	150	149
13.Hospitality/ Entertainment Expenditure	135	68	67
17. Minor Works	1	1	0
18. Maintenance			
01. Periodical Maintenance	50	50	49
19. Machinery & Equipments			
01. Purchase	1	1	0

Head of Account	Budget Estimate 2020 – 2021	FMA 2020 + FSE 2020	Expenditure Incurred as on 31.03.2021
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
	(Rupees in Thousands)		
03. Maintenance	181	181	179
21. Motor Vehicles			
01. Purchase	1	403	402
02. Maintenance of Functional Vehicles	180	100	70
33. Professional Charges			
01. Pleaders Fee	379	379	375
04. Contract Payment	4786	4948	4933
45. Petrol, Oil & Lubricants	821	821	820
49. Festival Advances			
01. Festival Advances – Debit			
59. Prizes and Award	8	8	8
68. Cost of Books	30	35	33
71. Printing	150	113	112
72. Training	1	1	0
76. Computer & Accessories			
01. Purchase	1	1	0
02. Maintenance	213	213	213
03. Stationery	553	553	552
Total	100553	98208	93614

CHAPTER – 4

4.1. Power to make rules.

Section 27 of RTI Act, 2005 states that,

- (1) The appropriate Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, make rules to carry out the provisions of this Act.
- (2) In particular, and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may provide for all or any of the following matters, namely:-
 - (a) the cost of the medium or print cost price of the materials to be disseminated under sub-section (4) of Section 4;
 - (b) the fee payable under sub-section (1) of Section 6;
 - (c) the fee payable under sub-section (1) and (5) of Section 7;
 - (d) the salaries and allowances payable to and the terms and conditions of service of the officers and other employees under sub section (6) of Section 16;
 - (e) the procedure to be adopted by the Central Information Commission or State Information commission, as the case may be, in deciding the appeals under sub-section (10) of Section 19; and
 - (f) any other matter which is required to be, or may be prescribed.

Section 28 of RTI Act, 2005 also states that,

- (1) The competent authority may, by notification in the Official Gazette, make rules to carry out the provisions of this Act.
- (2) In particular, and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may provide for all or any of the

following matters, namely:-

- (i) the cost of the medium or print cost price of the materials to be disseminated under sub-section (4) of Section 4;
- (ii) the fee payable under sub-section (1) of Section 6:
- (iii) the fee payable under sub-section (1) of section 7; and
- (iv) any other matter which is required to be, or may be, prescribed.

“Competent Authority” is defined under the Act to include

- (i) the Speaker in the case of the House of the people or the Legislative Assembly of a State or a Union territory having such Assembly and the Chairman in the case of the Council of States or Legislative Council of a State;
- (ii) the Chief Justice of India in the case of the Supreme Court;
- (ii) the Chief Justice of the High Court in the case of a High Court;
- (iv) the President or the Governor, as the case may be, in the case of other authorities established or constituted by or under the Constitution;
- (v) the administrator appointed under Article 239 of the Constitution;

4.2.The Tamil Nadu Information Commission (Appeal Procedure)

Rules, 2012 have been notified in G.O.(Ms).No.137, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR-III) Department, dated 03.09.2012. These rules lay down the procedure to be followed by the Appellants for filing of second appeals to the Tamil Nadu Information Commission and also the procedure involved in deciding the appeals.

4.3. Fees to be paid under the Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005

The Government of Tamil Nadu vide G.O.(Ms).No.989, Public (Estt I & Leg.) Department, dated 07.10.2005, has notified the Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005, [Annexure-II]. Subsequently, certain amendments were issued to the said rules vide G.O.(Ms).No.1012, Public (Estt I & Leg.) Department, dated 20.09.2006, G.O.(Ms).No.72, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR III) Department, dated 20.03.2007 and G.O.(Ms).No.12, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR III) Department, dated 18.01.2011. [Annexure-II]. The fees to be paid under the Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005, are as follows:

Rule	Item	Fees to be paid	Mode of payment
3 (a)	Fees to be paid along with application	Rs.10/-	Cash or Postal Money order or Court fee stamp or Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque or through payment into State Treasury Head of Account.
<p>The Head of Account for such payment is :</p> <p>"0070 Other Administrative Services – 60 Other Services -118 Receipts under Right to information Act,2005 –AA – Collection of Fees under Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005 – 227 – Non – Taxation Fees – 39 Translation and Printing Fees "</p> <p>(IFHRMS DPC : 0070 60 118 AA 22739</p> <p>Old DPC: 0070 – 60 – 118 – AA – 0005)</p>			
For information provided under Section 7(1) of RTI Act			Cash or Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque
3(b)(i)	Supply of copies of documents	Rs.2/- per page of A4 or A3 size paper	
3(b)(ii)		Actual charge or cost price of a copy in large size paper	
3(b)(iii)	Supply of samples or models	Actual cost or price	

3(b)(iv)	Inspection of records	No fee for first one hour. Rs.5/- per hour (or fraction thereof) thereafter	
For information provided under Section 7(5) of RTI Act			
3(c)(i)	Supply in Diskette or Floppy	Rs.50/- per diskette or floppy	
3(c)(ii)	For printed publications	Price fixed for publication or Rs.2/- per page of photocopy for extracts	

4.4.Fees to be paid under the Madras High Court Right to Information (Regulation of fee and cost) Rules, 2007

Rule	Item	Fees to be paid	Mode of payment
3	Fees to be paid along with application	Rs.10/-	Cash or Court fee stamp or Treasury Chalan or Demand Draft or Postal Order in favour of PIO, High Court, Madras / Madurai
For information under Section 7(1) and 7(5) of RTI Act			
4 (a) Proviso	For copies of order / decree / judgment / documents on judicial side under the control of the High Court or Subordinate Courts	To be obtained as per procedure for getting certified copies under Appellate Side / Original Side Rules or Civil / Criminal Rules of Practice. The above will not be issued under RTI Act.	
4 (a)	Copies of records except order / decree / judgment / documents on the judicial side	Rs.100/- If actual cost is more, it would be intimated	Cash or Court Fee stamp or Treasury Chalan or Demand Draft or Postal Order in

4 (b)	Information in the form of diskette or floppy	Rs.50/- per diskette or floppy	favour of PIO High Court, Madras/Madurai.
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4.5 Fees to be paid under the Tamil Nadu Legislative Secretariat Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2006

Rule	Item	Fees to be paid	Mode of payment
3 (a)	Fees to be paid along with application	Rs.10/-	Cash or Court fee stamp or Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque
For information provided under Section 7(1) of RTI Act			
3(b)(i)	Supply of copies of documents	Rs.2/- per page of A4 or A3 size paper	Cash or Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque
3(b)(ii)	Supply of copies of documents	Actual charge or cost price of a copy of larger size paper	
3(b)(iii)	Supply of samples or models	Actual cost	
3(b)(iv)	Inspection of records	No fee for first one hour. Rs.5/- per hour (or fraction thereof) thereafter	

CHAPTER – 5

Online Filing of Second Appeals

As a part of Office Automation, Tamil Nadu Information Commission, has introduced online filing of Second Appeal w.e.f. 13.08.2019. Online filing of Second Appeal can be done through the Tamil Nadu Information Commission's website www.tnsic.gov.in. The total number of Second Appeals/

Complaint Petitions/ Non-Compliance petitions received through Online Filing for the year 2020 is 118.

CHAPTER – 6

National Federation of Information Commission in India (NFICI)

The National Federation of Information Commission in India has been specially formed to Co-ordinate the activities of all the State Information Commissions and Central Information Commission and exchange their thoughts, ideas and views under the Right to Information Act. The membership to the National Federation of Information Commission in India is open to all Information Commissions in India and all the members have to pay an admission fee Rs.5.00 lakh and Annual Membership fee of Rs.1.00 lakh.

CHAPTER – 7

7.1.Help Desk:

A Help Desk to help the common public and the Public Information Officers is functioning in the premises of Tamil Nadu Information Commission for which financial assistance has been received from the Government of India through the Anna Institute of Management.

The Help Desk assists the Stake Holders by providing help on issues relating to filing and processing of petitions under the RTI Act and also helps in checking up about the status of Second Appeals in the Commission.

7.2.Other Facilities provided in the Tamil Nadu Information Commission

The Tamil Nadu Information Commission has made necessary arrangements to provide the orders of the Commission in Braille Version to the visually challenged persons, if any specific request is received from such persons, in collaboration with the National Institute for the Visually

Handicapped Regional Centre, Poonamallee, Chennai – 56 and this is the first such arrangement in our Country. During the course of enquiry conducted by the Commission, the hearing impaired and visually challenged persons can avail the assistance of any person at their written request made in this regard to the Commission. The physically challenged persons can have easy access to the premises of the Commission by availing the elevator provided in the premises of the Commission.

CHAPTER – 8

8.1. Preparation of Annual Report, 2020

As per Section 25(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, the Commission is required to prepare a report after the end of each year, on the implementation of the provisions of this Act during that year and a copy thereof is to be forwarded to the appropriate Government, which in turn will lay it before the State Legislature.

As per Section 25(2) of the RTI Act, 2005, each Ministry or Department shall, in relation to the public authorities within their jurisdiction collect and provide information to the Commission as is required to prepare the report. The Annual Report, 2020 has been prepared based on the particulars received from the Public Authorities on the implementation of RTI Act during the year 2020.

8.2. RTI applications handled by the Public Authorities during the year 2020

The particulars showing number of requests made to each Public Authority and amount of charges collected, number of requests rejected under various provisions of the RTI Act, disposal of RTI applications by the Public Information Officers and disposal of first appeals by the Appellate Authorities during the year 2020 are shown in the Annexure I to this report. The following are the total number of RTI applications handled by each Public

Authority during the year 2020:-

Sl.No.	Name of the Department	No. of RTI applications handled
1.	Social Reforms	3
2.	Special Programme Implementation	9
3.	Tamil Nadu Vigilance Commission	27
4.	Planning, Development and Special Initiatives	101
5.	Youth Welfare and Sports Development	103
6.	Planning, Development and Special Initiatives(SI)	104
7.	Legislative Assembly Secretariat	153
8.	Information Technology	257
9.	Law	360
10.	Welfare of Differently Abled Persons	456
11.	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises	471
12.	Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme	509
13.	Tamil Development and Information	576
14.	Handlooms, Handicrafts, Textiles and Khadi	669
15.	Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Training)	809
16.	Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare	936
17.	Industries	1713
18.	Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes & Minorities Welfare	1751
19.	Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries	1781
20.	Agriculture	2460
21.	Environment and Forests	2836
22.	Personnel and Administrative Reforms	2852
23.	Finance	3133
24.	Labour and Employment	3183

Sl.No.	Name of the Department	No. of RTI applications handled
25	Highways and Minor Ports	3859
26.	Public	3992
27.	Public Works	4782
28.	Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection	4935
29.	Transport	5547
30.	Energy	6023
31.	Housing and Urban Development	6356
32.	Tourism, Culture and Religious Endowments	6455
33.	School Education	6619
34.	Health and Family Welfare	7294
35.	Higher Education	14664
36.	Commercial Taxes and Registration	16439
37	Municipal Administration and Water Supply	17411
38.	Rural Development and Panchayat Raj	33728
39.	Home, Prohibition and Excise	39426
40.	Revenue	109233
41.	Tamil Nadu Information Commission	1648
	Total	313663

The Public Authorities have totally handled 313663 RTI applications during the year 2020 which is 21023 less than that were handled during the year 2019. The reduction is probably on account of the country wide lockdown that was in force from March to May 2020 on account of Covid-19. The Public Information Officers under the administrative control of Revenue and Disaster Management Department have handled 1,09,233 applications which accounts for nearly 35% of the total applications handled by all the Public Authorities in the State during the year 2020.

8.3. Disposal of First Appeals by the First Appellate Authorities

During the year 2020, a total of 32772 first appeals were handled by the first Appellate Authorities, out of which 28592 first appeals were disposed by providing information. The number of first appeals rejected was 1392 and the pending number of first appeals as on 31.12.2020 was 2788.

CHAPTER 9

This chapter presents an account of the performance of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission in disposal of Second Appeals/Complaints under the RTI Act, 2005, during the year 2020.

9.1 Performance of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission

The disposal of petitions in the Commission has increased considerably in 2020 and is the highest in the last 5 years. The lockdown imposed during the year on account of Covid-19 did reduce the number of working days considerably. It was seen to it that the onset of COVID did not hinder the disposal of petitions by adopting the VIRTUAL MODE for enquires. In addition, video conferencing was also done with the District Collectors to ensure quicker disposal.

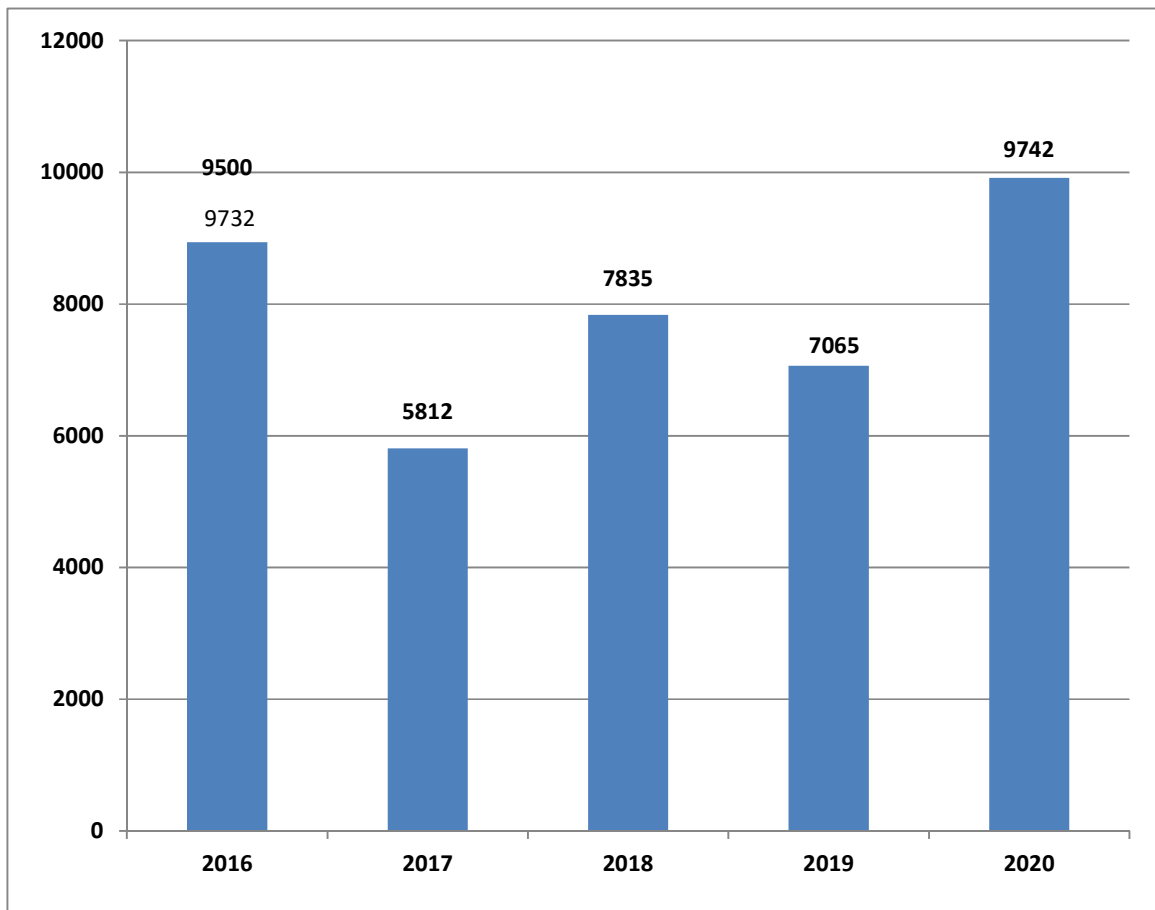
9.2. Disposal of Second Appeals during the year 2020

1.	No. of Second Appeals pending as on 31.12.2019	14297
2.	No. of Second Appeals received during the year 2020	12671
3.	Total No. of Second Appeals for disposal in 2020 (Sl.No.1 + Sl.No.2)	26968
4.	No. of Second Appeals disposed during the year 2020	9594

9.3. Disposal of Complaint Petitions during the year 2020

1.	No. of Complaint Petitions pending as on 31.12.2019	881
2.	No. of Complaint Petitions received during the year 2020	1013
3.	Total No. of Complaint Petitions for disposal during the year 2020 (Sl.No.1 + Sl.No.2)	1894
4.	No. of Complaint Petitions disposed during the year 2020	148

9.4. The Graph shows the total disposal of petitions in the Tamil Nadu Information Commission for the periods from 2016 to 2020. On account of Covid 19, the Commission faced complete lock down in activities for 2 months from 24.03.2020. In spite of that, the level of achievement in 2020 is seen to be highest as is evidenced by the graph shown below.



Disposal of SA and CP

SA – Second Appeals to the Information Commission.

CP – Complaint Petitions under section 18(1) of the RTI Act 2005.

Digitisation has been specially focused upon and all communication with Government Departments is being done only through e-mail thereby reducing time delay caused by postal communications and also bringing about a financial savings by avoiding postal charges.

An Enquiry in progress by the State Chief Information Commissioner Thiru R. Rajagopal, I.A.S.(R) at the District Collectorate of Krishnagiri



An Enquiry in progress by the State Information Commissioner Thiru S. Muthuraj at the District Collectorate of Tuticorin.



9.5. Award of Compensation

The Commission by invoking Section 19(8)(b) of the RTI Act, 2005, has ordered awarding of compensation to 38 RTI petitioners by the Public Authorities. The details are mentioned below:

Sl.No.	Public Authority	No. of RTI Petitioners	Total Amount of Compensation Awarded
1	Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department	10	16000
2	Revenue and Disaster Management Department	18	47000
3	Energy Department	2	13000
4	Higher Education Department	3	17000
5	Finance Department	1	10000
6	Industries Department	1	20000
7	Transport Department	2	6000
8	Health and Family Welfare Department	1	2000
	Total	38	131000

9.6. Imposition of Penalties and Disciplinary Action Recommended

During the year 2020, the Commission has imposed penalties under Section 20(1) of the RTI Act, 2005, on the Public Information Officers of the Department mentioned below:

Sl.No.	Public Authority	No. Of Public Information Officers	Total Amount of Penalty Imposed
1	Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department	1	25000
2	Revenue and Disaster Management Department	1	25000
	Total	2	50000

By invoking Section 20(2) of the RTI Act, 2005, the Tamil Nadu Information Commission has recommended to initiate disciplinary action

against the Public Information Officer belonging to the following Public Authority :-

Sl.No.	Public Authority	No. Of Public Information Officers
1	Revenue and Disaster Management Department	1

9.7. Special Effort taken in the Departments to promote sprit and intention of RTI Act [Section 25(3) (f)] as reported by the Departments.

Tamil Nadu Waqf Board	Capacity building programme conducted for enrichment of knowledge on RTI.
Directorate of Horticulture and Plantation Crops	Given RTI Training at Anna Institute of Management, Chennai to Superintendents, Assistants and Junior Assistants of Horticulture Department in all Districts.
Commercial Taxes Department	Utmost importance has been given to the RTI applications received. Immediate action has been initiated to provide the information sought for in the RTI Application to fulfil the intention of the RTI Act and Rules and relevant circulars issued by the Department were uploaded in the public domain of the Department https://ctd.tn.gov.in . List of various schemes to the traders, eligibility criteria and relevant Government orders were uploaded in the Public Domain of the Traders Welfare Board www.tn.gov.in/tntwb .
Tamil Nadu Energy Development Agency	Petitions are being disposed off, as and when they are received.
Electrical Inspectorate	Awareness among the officials and general public were already made by conducting meetings. Required information is also available in the following website of the department www.tnei.tn.gov.in

Directorate of Environment	Earnest efforts are made to give adequate information within the stipulated time. No RTI petition is pending.
Tamil Nadu Forest Plantation Corporation Ltd.	Top priority is being given to furnish reply and disposal.
Tamil Nadu State Council for Technical Education	Details were uploaded in website.
Tourism Dept.	Efforts taken for early disposal of applications.
Bharathiar University	"How to dispose the RTI Application effectively", an awareness and certificate programme conducted by Thiru Rathinasamy Retd. Official from Higher Education, Secretariat to all the Public Information Officers of the University. An overview of RTI Act, 2015, convened by Thiru P.R.Gopinathan, Advocate High Court of Madras for both teaching and Non teaching faculty members of the University.
Alagappa University	As and when the requests are received under RTI Act, reply is sent to the Petitioner immediately.
Tamil Nadu Open University	RTI Act, 2005, details given in TNOU web site. www.tnou.ac.in for students reference.
Anna University	Efforts are being taken to furnish the information within the stipulated time as per the Act.
Police Department	Meeting conducted and instructions were given to all concerned to implement the Act.
Department of Prisons and Correctional Services	Guidelines issued by the Government from time to time are followed.
High Court of Madras and Madurai Bench of Madras High court, Madurai.	Every efforts is being taken to dispose of each petition in the best possible manner and within the time limit prescribed under the Right to Information Act.
Tamil Nadu Fire and Rescue Services Department	Published in departmental website www.tnfrs.tn.nic.in
Tamil Nadu Magnesite Limited	As per the reference of RTI Book guidance basic on our office records, we are providing RTI information accordingly.

Department of Legal Studies	The Right to Information Act, 2005, is being implemented by this department effectively and promptly.
Department of Industries and Commerce	Close follow up action is being taken by getting monthly report from Public Information Officers.
Tamil Nadu Small Industries Corporation Ltd.	Special efforts are taken to furnish suitable reply to the petitioners before due date.
Tamil Nadu Ex. Servicemen Corporation Ltd.	Awareness meetings were organized from time to time to update/Promote spirit and intent of RTI Act.
Chennai Metro Rail Ltd.	Public Information Officer and First Appellate Authority details with Phone No. Email ID mentioned in Website.
Dept. of Economics and Statistics	Created Web Portal of list of Public Information Officers.
Revenue Administration and Disaster Management	In Review meetings, RTI Act applications pending and disposal is reviewed and instructed the Public Information Officer to give reply within stipulated time.
Directorate of School Education	Periodical Review meeting conducted by the Director of School Education.
Directorate of Matriculation Schools	Training Programme was conducted to State and District Level Officers and staff on RTI Act, 2005.
Metropolitan Transport Corporation Ltd., Chennai.	Act is implemented effectively by giving reply promptly to Petitioners.
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation, Coimbatore.	Efforts have been taken to give information to the petitioners within time limit following rules of RTI Act.
Motor Vehicles and Maintenance Dept.	Special efforts taken by the Department to create awareness and knowledge of RTI Act. The staff are periodically sent to training in Anna Institute of Management, Chennai.
Institute of Road Transport, Chennai	One day training programme are regularly conducted at Institute of Road Transport, Taramani, Chennai to create awareness of RTI Act, 2005, Rules there in to the Staff/Officers of Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation, Institute of Road Transport and its wings.

9.8.Recommendations for reform or improvement of this Act or any other law relevant to operationalising the right to access to information (Section 25 (3) (g)) as reported by the departments.

Backward Classes Welfare	Necessary training may be given to Government Employees in regular intervals and instructions booklet may be also be given to the employees in order to update them so as to adhering to rules inforce.
Commercial Taxes Department	Yearly training programmes to update the judgements and ruling under the RTI Act shall be given to all PIOs by the Information Commission atleast one day session.
Bharathiar University	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Required time for furnishing information which related back to 10 years or more records to the applicants. 2. The RTI Application may be limited with 10 questions of same subject matter in one single applications of various subject matter, it is very difficult to collect and consolidate the information.
Anna University	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Periodical training programme may be conducted by the Government to the Public Information Officers/First Appellate Authorities to enlighten them the latest rulings given by the Commission and in order to know about the information not to be given in case of unwanted, enormous, repeated queries raise by some petitioners. 2. Amendment may be made to restrict number of queries raised in single petition.
Home Department, Secretariat	Higher charges may be collected for seeking information.
Police Department	Awareness programme is to be conducted to the both Government Officials and to the Public about the RTI Act.
Water Resources Department, Public Works Department	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Confidential Records may be exempted from RTI Act. 2. Some petitioners seeking information in the mode of threatening the officials continuously and to divert the man power wantonly.

	<p>Provision may be made in the act to give powers to the officers to identify such persons and to take action against them for misusing the Act.</p> <p>3. More Number of training to be given to the concerned officers and staff.</p>
Directorate of Boilers	<p>1. The Office is functioning with meager staff strength which will result in disposal of the petitions received under RTI Act, 2005, within the stipulated time limit is creating much hardships to the disposing members which in turn delay regular works. Hence, it is requested to create new posts exclusively to deal with this subject.</p> <p>2. Certain Applications are received without valid reasons and purposes to the applicant. Hence it is recommended to amend the Act that the applications must be for the valid reasons and which will be helpful to the applicant on the strength of the grounds of the questions.</p>
Directorate of Matriculation Schools	<p>A manual may be published to update the knowledge on the RTI Act, 2005. A Report Book contain all the orders issued by the State Commission may be published at least once in a year. Making RTI mandatory in School curriculum.</p>
Tourism Department	<p>Periodical training may be given to RTI Officers for updating and sessions may be organized for exchange of views about the mode of disposal of applications.</p>
Metropolitan Transport Corporation Ltd., Chennai.	<p>Period of giving reply in Appeal petition may be increased to 60 days from the date of receipt.</p>

CHAPTER – 10

Recommendations of the Commission to the Government

1. Section 25(2) of the RTI Act, 2005 mandates that each Ministry or Department shall in relation to the Public authorities within their jurisdiction, collect and provide such information to the State Information Commission, as is required to prepare the Annual Report. But it has been found that most of Departments submit their reports belatedly, which in turn makes further delay in preparation and submission of the Annual Report to the Government in time. The Personnel and Administrative Reforms Department which is the nodal department on RTI is to arrange to issue necessary instructions to all the Departments of Secretariat to strictly adopt a procedure to submit their reports pertaining to the previous year within three months of the next year.
2. Most of the RTI petitioners seek information which should have been proactively made public without the petitioners resorting to file RTI petitions. In spite of provision under Section 4(1)(b) of the RTI Act, 2005 for suo motu disclosure of information on 17 items, non adherence of the said provision in letter and spirit by the Public Authorities, has resulted in forcing the public to file RTI petitions for information. It is, therefore, suggested that instructions be issued to all the Public Authorities for strict compliance of Section 4(1)(b) of the RTI Act, 2005.
3. In a large number of cases, the Public Information Officers express their inability to provide the required information to the applicants due to non-availability of the related records. Strengthening the Record Management System in the various Departments of the Government is necessary to mitigate the above problem.
4. It is observed that many of the Public Information Officers and first Appellate Authorities still have inadequate understanding of the provisions of the RTI Act, 2005. Sensitization Programmes on RTI Act need to be organized by the Public Authorities periodically so as to make the implementation of the provisions of the Act more effective.

5. There is an urgent need to improve the level of awareness among the public in rural areas so that the benefits of the Right to Information Act will reach them for which awareness campaigns need to be organized by the Government.
6. There is need for more awareness among the common people about the purpose and outcome of the Act. A large number of people are of the view that the Act is to be used as a grievance redressal mechanism and that the Information Commission has the authority to give directions to the Executive on redressing grievances like issue of ration card, providing house service connection, payment of pension and so on.
7. It is noticed that while opening the Government of Tamil Nadu website, several important public interest Government Orders, Acts and rules, Gazette Notifications and other important Government letters have not been uploaded in most departments. It is therefore, requested to upload the above important Orders, Acts etc., on to the Government of Tamil Nadu website at regular intervals.
8. Similarly, it is also noticed that Heads of Departments and others (Commissionerates/Directorates, Undertakings, Corporations, Universities, Institutions) have also not uploaded the important rules, letters, orders, Acts etc. on their websites. This area of work requires special attention for which it is requested that necessary Government instructions may be given.
9. In the case of few departments official websites have not yet been created. The Head of Departments may ensure that the official websites are created without further delay, for which necessary Government instructions may be given immediately.
10. Physical appearance of Petitioner and PIO should be on the discretion of the Commission Under Rule 7 of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) Rules, 2012, it has been laid down that the appellant or the complainant shall be present in person at the time of hearing by the Commission. After the onset of Covid-19, it has become necessary to relax this rule and hear the persons concerned through the virtual mode. It is, therefore, suggested that the

Tamil Nadu Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) rules may be modified so as to allow for the Commission to decide at its discretion whether the physical presence of the complainant or appellant is necessary. The Commission may dispense with the physical presence of the individual at the time of hearing and instead choose to hear the parties concerned through the virtual mode.

11. Commission may conduct enquires in the virtual mode (audio/ video) for which the petitioners and Public Information Officers shall identify themselves to the satisfaction of the Commission.

The Tamil Nadu Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) Rules 2012, at present, do not make any mention of hearing the parties through the virtual mode. After the onset of Covid-19, the Supreme Court and High Courts have also at their discretion switched over to the practice of hearing the parties through the virtual mode. Many of the Information Commissions in the country are now adopting the audio mode for hearing the parties concerned and in this respect, the Tamil Nadu Information Commission was the first in the country to switch over to the audio mode to ensure that the RTI petitions are disposed of expeditiously even during the times of lockdown. Therefore, it is suggested that a provision should be specifically made in the Tamil Nadu Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) rules to permit hearings by adopting audio or visual mode at the discretion of the Commission.

12. Even for payment of fee for photocopies of documents, Court fee stamp may be allowed.

Under the Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005, provision has been made for paying the sum of Rs.10/- to accompany every application for obtaining information, in the form of a Court fee stamp for affixing it with the application. However, in G.O.Ms.No.989, Public (Estt.1 & Leg) Department, dated 07.10.2005, it has been ordered that for copies of documents and for inspection of records, necessary payment to be made only through a Demand Draft or Bankers Cheque or by way of Cash. Since, cash is not accepted in most

departments of the Government now and obtaining a demand draft or bankers cheque leads to a lot of harassment for the common public, (since it is difficult to obtain bankers cheque or demand draft for small amounts), it is suggested that a provision may be made for charges payable for copies of documents and for inspection of records to be paid in the form of Court fee stamps which are widely available.

ANNEXURE-I

Name of the Department/ Corporation / Board / Commission	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)
		No. of PIOs	Previous pendency of RTI petitions	RTI petitions received in 2020	Total	Transferred u/s (6)(3) to other depts	Disposed by giving information	Rejected under Sec 8	Rejected under Sec 9	Rejected under Sec 11	Rejected under Sec 24	Rejected for other reasons	RTI petitions pending as on 31/12/20	Charges received (Rupees)	No of First Appellate Authorities	Previous pendency of First Appeals	First Appeals received in 2020	Total	First Appeals disposed by giving information	First Appeals rejected	First Appeals pending as on 31/12/20
Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department, Secretariat		8	5	436	441	172	259	4	0	0	0	0	6	4340	6	0	23	23	6	17	0
Directorate of Adi Dravidar Welfare		40	0	378	378	0	377	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	40	0	31	31	30	0	1
Directorate of Tribal Welfare		8	0	57	57	0	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	570	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Adi Dravidar Housing and Development Corporation (TAHDCCO)		43	0	60	60	10	48	0	0	0	0	2	0	490	43	0	3	3	3	0	0
Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department Total		99	5	931	936	182	741	4	0	0	0	2	7	5400	97	0	57	57	39	17	1
Agriculture Department, Secretariat		11	0	167	167	131	27	7	0	0	0	2	0	1200	6	0	6	6	5	1	0
Directorate of Agriculture		92	91	1152	1243	194	911	20				39	79	13120	36	11	105	116	98		18
Directorate of Horticulture and Plantation Crops		125	34	348	382	32	333	0	0	0	0	0	17	4968	39	0	63	63	53	0	10
Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business		241	0	215	215	7	198	9	1	0	0	0	0	1870	113	1	23	24	23	0	1
Directorate of Seed Certification and Organic Certification		1	1	15	16		15	0	0	0	0	1	0	100	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Agricultural Engineering		158	2	274	276	25	238	2	1	1	0	6	3	7116	154	0	27	27	16	11	0
Tamil Nadu Agricultural University		2	1	148	149	4	120	12	0	4	0	5	4	1320	1	0	20	20	19	1	0
Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency		1	0	12	12	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Agriculture Department Total		631	129	2331	2460	393	1854	50	2	5	0	53	103	29694	351	12	245	257	215	13	28
Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries		17	0	116	116	94	14	0	0	0	0	8	0	200	1	0	6	6	6	0	0

Name of the Department/ Corporation / Board / Commission	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	
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Department, Secretariat																						
Directorate of Milk Production and Dairy Development		30	0	246	246	31	199	0	0	0	0	11	5	2406	30	0	31	31	25	3	3	
Tamil Nadu Co-operative Milk Producers Federation		11	4	138	142	40	93	4	0	0	0	0	5	1380	11	0	22	22	20	0	2	
Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University		1	7	182	189	62	0	1	0	0	0	125	1	1860	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	
Director of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services		33	3	544	547	13	531	3	0	0	0	0	0	1338	1	5	12	17	17	0	0	
Tamil Nadu Livestock Development Agency		1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Directorate of Fisheries		39	0	507	507	26	475	6	0	0	0	0	0	787	11	0	30	30	28	2	0	
Tamil Nadu Dr..J.Jayalalitha Fisheries University		1	3	19	22	1	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	150	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	
Tamil Nadu Fisheries Development Corporation		1	0	11	11	1	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	70	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Tamil Nadu State Apex Fisheries Co-operative Federation		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries Department Total		134	17	1764	1781	269	1342	14	0	0	0	145	11	8191	56	5	107	112	102	5	5	
Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department, Secretariat		1	0	176	176	54	120	2	0	0	0	0	0	2064	2	0	15	15	14	1	0	

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Directorate of Backward Classes Welfare		40	0	386	386	43	343	0	0	0	0	0	0	2110	40	0	12	12	12	0	0
Directorate of Most Backward Classes & Denotified Communities Welfare		4	0	75	75	0	75	0	0	0	0	0	0	3092	4	0	4	4	4	0	0
Directorate of Minorities Welfare		1	0	38	38	9	19	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	1	0	38	38	19	19	0
Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission		1	0	21	21	6	8	0	0	0	0	7	0	220	1	0	3	3	0	3	0
State Minorities Commission		1	0	4	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Economic Development Corporation		1	0	28	28	0	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	1	1	1	0	0
Tamil Nadu Minorities Economic Development Corporation		1	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Wakf Board		12	36	974	1010	18	841	2	0	0	0	113	36	658	12	7	97	104	91	3	10
Tamilnadu Vanniyakula Kshatriya Chhlic Charitable trusts and endowments Boards		1	0	9	9	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	2	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Hajj Committee		1	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department Total		64	36	1715	1751	130	1451	4	0	0	0	120	46	8204	61	7	172	179	143	26	10

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Commercial Taxes and Registration Department, Secretariat	13	4	190	194	107	81	1	0	0	0	4	1	2664	4	0	18	18	17	1	0
Commissionerate of Commercial Taxes	451	41	496	537	37	405	27	0	3	0	38	27	7855	70	6	54	60	43	14	3
Registration	719	50	15656	15706	863	14716	9	0	0	0	3	115	228918	74	10	1572	1582	1564	0	18
Tamil Nadu Sales Tax Appellate Tribunal	21	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commercial Taxes and Registration Department Total	1204	95	16344	16439	1007	15204	37	0	3	0	45	143	239437	148	16	1644	1660	1624	15	21
Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Secretariat	25	2	189	191	128	54	0	0	0	0	9	0	360	1	0	12	12	11	1	0
Registrar of Co-operative Societies	3516	62	3301	3363	839	2288	17	0	1	0	103	115	28148	78	13	510	523	471	19	33
Commissioner of Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection	21	0	427	427	154	271	0	0	0	0	2	0	4270	20	0	55	55	55	0	0
Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation	49	3	760	763	27	698	9	0	0	0	7	22	4062	34	0	111	111	109	2	0
State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission	34	0	162	162	65	97	0	0	0	0	0	0	920	1	0	20	20	20	0	0
Tamil Nadu Warehousing Corporation	1	0	29	29	0	21	2	0	0	0	2	4	280	0	0	10	10	7	1	2
Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection Department Total	3646	67	4868	4935	1213	3429	28	0	1	0	123	141	38040	134	13	718	731	673	23	35
Energy Department, Secretariat	2	0	128	128	116	3	0	0	0	0	9	0	496	4	0	13	13	10	2	1

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Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Limited		241	234	5451	5685	267	5181	30	0	0	0	50	157	37763	97	38	711	749	714	1	34
TamilNadu Energy Development Agency		1	0	13	13	4	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Electrical Inspectorate		25	0	71	71	0	66	0	0	0	0	0	5	715	1	1	10	11	10	0	1
Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission		1	0	118	118	28	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	1266	1	0	6	6	6	0	0
Tamil Nadu Power Finance and Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited		1	0	8	8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Energy Department Total		271	234	5789	6023	415	5357	30	0	0	0	59	162	40370	103	39	740	779	740	3	36
Environment and Forests, Secretariat		2	0	141	141	72	65	3	0	0	0	1	0	1329	5	0	8	8	8	0	0
Tamil Nadu Forests Department		1	56	341	397	130	165	3	0	0	0	11	88	3140	1	0	30	30	25	0	5
Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board		45	0	2111	2111	6	2105	0	0	0	0	0	0	24798	1	0	114	114	114	0	0
Directorate of Environment		1	0	56	56	10	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	4677	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Forest Plantation Corporation Limited		7	0	56	56	0	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	560	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arasu Rubber Corporation Limited		1	3	36	39	0	31	0	0	0	0	4	4	340	1	1	4	5	5	0	0

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The Tamil Nadu Tea Plantation Corporation Limited		1	0	36	36	0	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Environment and Forests Total		58	59	2777	2836	218	2504	6	0	0	0	16	92	34874	17	1	156	157	152	0	0	5
Finance Department, Secretariat		1	0	886	886	151	725	3	0	0	0	5	2	13651	1	0	76	76	72	0	0	4
Commissionerate of Treasuries and Accounts		48	33	1308	1341	104	1174	20	0	1	0	1	41	13098	13	5	114	119	115	0	0	4
Co-operative Audit Department		41	9	163	172	6	142	1	0	0	0	14	9	10351	8	1	25	26	25	0	0	1
Directorate of Small Savings		36	0	6	6	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Local Fund Audit		69	28	479	507	20	465	0	0	0	0	22	0	4210	9	5	52	57	52	5	0	0
Internal Audit and Statutory Boards Audit		38	0	27	27	5	17	2	0	0	0	3	0	740	1	0	4	4	4	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Government Data Centre		1	2	44	46	7	39	0	0	0	0	0	0	440	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
Directorate of Pension		1	0	132	132	30	100	0	0	0	0	2	0	1437	1	0	17	17	8	9	0	0
Directorate of Audit for Milk Cooperative		6	0	16	16	2	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	542	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Finance Department Total		241	72	3061	3133	326	2681	26	0	1	0	47	52	44529	35	11	293	304	281	14	9	9

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Handlooms, Handicrafts, Textiles and Khadi Department, Secretariat		7	0	54	54	43	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	455	6	0	9	9	9	0	0
Directorate of Handlooms and Textiles		38	47	373	420	72	310	10	0	0	0	26	2	3492	38	1	123	124	107	15	2
Directorate of Sericulture		38	2	89	91	6	72	2	0	1	0	4	6	1845	35	2	19	21	20	0	1
Tamil Nadu Handicrafts Development Corporation		1	0	4	4		4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Co-optex		12	0	48	48	0	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	4	4	2	2	0
Tamil Nadu Khadi Village Industries Board		25	0	44	44	0	39	0	0	0	0	0	5	72	1	0	4	4	4	0	0
Tamil Nadu Palm Product Development Board		1	0	8	8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Handlooms, Handicrafts, Textiles and Khadi Department Total		122	49	620	669	121	491	13	0	1	0	30	13	5944	93	3	159	162	142	17	3
Health and Family Welfare Department, Secretariat		30	1	366	367	235	102	15	0	0	0	0	15	3530	4	0	19	19	12	7	0
Director of Medical Education		80	67	2888	2955	113	2571	126	25	10	0	47	63	8226	80	3	166	169	162	4	3
Director of Medical and Rural Health Services		37	56	1448	1504	194	1191	36	1	7	0	43	32	7240	31	18	89	107	87	9	11
Director of Public Health and Preventive Medicine		45	0	698	698	52	590	11	0	0	0	45		6900	45	0	84	84	74	10	0
Director of Medical and Rural Health Services (ESI)		238	0	72	72	6	42	3	0	0	0	16	5	670	12	0	5	5	3	2	0

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Directorate of Family Welfare		5	1	24	25	2	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	2	0	2	2	2	0	0
Directorate of Indian Medicine and Homoeopathy		32	0	213	213	25	182	0	4	0	0	2	0	992	32	0	4	4	4	0	0
Commissioner of Food Safety and Drug Administration		39	19	790	809	65	714	0	0	0	0	0	30	170	1	1	15	16	15	0	1
Tamil Nadu Medical Services Corporation Limited		1	1	59	60	2	55	1	0	0	0	0	2	390	1	0	9	9	9	0	0
Tamil Nadu Health Systems Project		3	3	70	73	0	68	0	0	0	0	0	5	700	0	0	8	8	8	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Health Transport Department		8	0	16	16	1	12	1	0	0	0	2	0	1159	1	0	6	6	5	0	1
Directorate of Drugs Control		17	8	380	388	44	324	0	0	0	0	0	20	2473	17	0	13	13	13	0	0
Medical Services Recruitment Board (MRB)		1	0	89	89	12	74	0	0	0	0	3	0	730	1	0	12	12	12	0	0
National Health Mission		1	0	25	25	10	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	2	0	0
Health and Family Welfare Department Total		537	156	7138	7294	761	5963	193	30	17	0	158	172	33380	228	22	434	456	408	32	16
Higher Education Department, Secretariat		12	0	396	396	223	142	0	0	0	0	31	0	5060	3	0	25	25	24	1	0
Commissionerate of Technical Education		1	7	459	466	29	430	3	0	3	0	0	1	2914	1	0	91	91	91	0	0
Directorate of Collegiate Education		125	66	1301	1367	34	1295	0	0	0	0	1	37	7939	10	0	151	151	144	0	7

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Commissionerate of Tamil Nadu Archives and Historical Research	9	228	6140	6368	1495	4857	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	99460	1	0	91	91	91	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Council for Higher Education	1	0	91	91	11	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	600	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Council for Technical Education	1	0	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Science and Technology Centre	4	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Council for Science and Technology	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Science City	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
University of Madras	3	18	368	386	9	339	6	11	6	6	0	3	12	3160	1	2	45	47	44	0	3
Annamalai University	4	0	388	388	1	330	30	0	0	0	0	0	27	710	3	0	50	50	37	4	9
Madurai Kamaraj University	1	2133	502	2635	5	204	1	0	0	0	0	30	2395	6900	1	198	94	292	46	0	246
Manonmaniam Sundaranar University	1	35	318	353	6	321	0	0	0	0	0	8	18	5940	1	6	46	52	37	0	15
Bharathidasan University	1	12	175	187	8	130	0	0	0	0	0	0	49	380	1	5	22	27	10	0	17
Bharathiar University	57	9	149	158	25	133	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1330	1	9	7	16	16	0	0
Alagappa University	1	0	153	153	1	120	12	0	0	0	0	20	0	1620	1	0	26	26	22	4	0

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Thiruvalluvar University		1	15	54	69	4	42	2	0	0	0	0	21	540	1	1	4	5	5	0	0	0
Periyar University		1	380	371	751	5	438	34	0	0	0	0	274	3508	1	30	245	275	188	0	0	87
Mother Teresa Women's University		1	0	73	73	1	67	2	0	0	0	0	3	730	2	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Open University		1	0	74	74	0	73		0	0	0	0	1	740	1	1	1	2	2	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University		3	0	43	43	2	40		0	0	0	1	0	420	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Anna University		1	128	572	700	23	454	5	0	0	0	39	179	4899	1	35	180	215	130	11	74	74
Higher Education Department Total		231	3031	11633	14664	1883	9500	95	11	9	0	133	3033	146930	36	287	1083	1370	892	20	458	458
Highways and Minor Ports Department, Secretariat		14	0	188	188	100	74	2	0	0	0	12	0	2015	2	0	13	13	11	2	0	0
Directorate of Highways		148	15	3576	3591	753	2702	7	0	2	0	52	75	21829	51	7	232	239	223	2	14	14
Tamil Nadu Maritime Board		1	0	7	7	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	96	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Poompuhar Shipping Corporation		2	0	7	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	2	0	7	7	7	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Road Development Company Ltd.		1	4	46	50	9	36	0	0	0	0	2	3	2104	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Road Infrastructure Development Corporation		2	0	16	16	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Highways and Minor Ports Department		168	19	3840	3859	863	2840	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	67	78	26114	58	7	255	262	244	4	14									
Home Department, Secretariat		50	0	870	870	553	290	4	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	8210	8	0	74	74	69	5	0									
Home Department Prohibition and Excise Wing		14	0	29	29	20	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	270	2	0	0	0	0	0	0									
Tamil Nadu State Marketing Corporation Limited		39	31	883	914	0	854	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	9323	6	0	133	133	133	0	0									
Commissionerate of Prohibition and Excise		5	2	45	47	10	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	450	0	0	0	0	0	0	0									
State Advisory Board		1	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0									
Police Department		134	867	29093	29960	1862	24179	1107	4	172	258	1098	1280	345048	108	138	2887	3025	2649	280	96	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0									
Tamil Nadu Police Housing Corporation		13	0	19	19	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0									
Tamil Nadu Uniformed Services Recruitment Board		1	0	529	529	15	353	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	142	0	66	1	0	16	16	0	16	0	0								
Prisons Department		28	34	1181	1215	178	907	44	0	10	0	38	38	10080	7	0	95	95	86	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0								
Transport Commissionerate		173	71	3739	3810	459	3270	23	1	8	3	15	31	29560	112	8	169	177	170	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0								
The Principal Seat of High Court of Madras		1	51	960	1011	139	676	0	0	0	0	0	0	9405	1	35	407	442	305	0	137	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0								
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai		1	0	388	388	52	315	0	0	0	0	0	0	3110	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0								
Government litigations		14	0	9	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0								

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Directorate of Prosecution		27	0	84	84	4	76	0	0	0	0	2	2	210	1	0	4	4	2	1	1
Fire and Rescue Services Department		41	0	463	463	2	449	0	0	0	0	12	0	112	41	0	21	21	21	0	0
Forensic Sciences Department		11	2	73	75	10	43	8	0	0	0	4	10	792	1	1	9	10	7	0	3
Home Prohibition and Excise Department Total		553	1058	38368	39426	3304	31472	1205	6	197	261	1326	1655	416666	292	182	3819	4001	3445	317	239
Housing and Urban Development Department, Secretariat		23	0	269	269	110	152	1	0	0	0	6	0	3356	5	0	13	13	12	1	0
Directorate of Town and Country Planning		58	19	2049	2068	245	1774	1	2	0	0	3	43	91297	25	7	135	142	127	13	2
Chennai Metropolitan Development Authority		27	53	1470	1523	12	1024	0	0	0	0	3	484	17426	11	7	12	19	11	0	8
Registrar of Co-operative Societies (Housing)		12	2	294	296	75	213	30	0	0	0	5	0	8220	12	4	17	21	20	0	1
Tamil Nadu Slum Clearance Board		50	0	439	439	8	431	0	0	0	0	0	0	5906	34	0	68	68	68	0	0
Tamil Nadu Housing Board		33	19	1742	1761	33	1671	15	0	0	0	42	0	9962	33	0	164	164	164	0	0
Housing and Urban Development Department Total		203	93	6263	6956	483	5265	20	2	0	0	59	527	136167	120	18	409	427	402	14	11
Industries Department, Secretariat		3	0	134	134	89	43	0	0	0	0	2	0	194	4	0	3	3	3	0	0

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Directorate of Geology and Mining	43	46	1106	1152	42	1040	5	0	0	0	0	8	57	12479	5	3	111	114	105	0	9
Directorate of Sugar	1	0	68	68	6	56	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	786	1	0	2	2	2	0	0
State Industries Promotion Corporation of Tamil Nadu	1	3	149	152	31	99	0	0	0	0	0	9	13	1748	1	0	18	18	15	1	2
Tamil Nadu Industrial Development Corporation	1	0	23	23	3	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Industrial Investment Corporation Ltd.,	1	4	57	61	3	54	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	550	1	1	7	8	7	0	1
Tamil Nadu Salt Corporation Ltd.,	3	0	8	8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Newsprint and Papers Ltd.,	10	1	44	45	1	28	1	0	0	0	0	13	2	416	3	1	7	8	3	5	0
Tamil Nadu Cements Corporation	1	0	31	31	0	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	2	2	0	2	0
Tamil Nadu Magnesite Limited	1	0	8	8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Tamil Nadu Industrial Explosives Ltd.,	1	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	48	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Minerals Ltd.,	1	0	12	12	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Sugar Corporation	1	0	17	17	8	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	160	0	0	7	7	7	0	0
Industries Department Total	68	54	1659	1713	187	1406	6	0	0	0	0	39	75	16607	25	5	158	163	143	8	12

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Information Technology Department, Secretariat	1	0	44	44	25	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	190	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Electronics Corporation of Tamil Nadu Ltd.,	1	0	32	32	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	320	1	0	1	1	0	1	0
e-Governance	1	0	60	60	11	44	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	600	1	0	5	5	5	0	0
Tamil Virtual Academy	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Arasu Cable TV Corporation Ltd.	32	11	106	117	1	83	2	0	2	0	0	25	4	770	1	0	23	23	18	5	0
Tamil Nadu Fibrenet Corporation Ltd.	1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	1	0	2	2	2	0	0
Information Technology Department Total	37	11	246	257	37	182	7	0	2	0	25	4	4	1920	6	0	32	32	26	6	0
Labour and Employment Department, Secretariat	22	1	240	241	148	86	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	1924	4	0	8	8	3	5	0
Commissionerate of Labour	493	17	1323	1340	208	1072	4	0	2	0	0	43	11	11766	48	2	188	190	182	4	4
Directorate of Industrial Safety and Health	61	5	626	631	83	521	1	0	0	0	0	1	25	5822	33	0	34	34	32	0	2
Commissionerate of Employment and Training (Employment wing)	46	30	669	699	37	640	0	0	0	0	0	3	19	6322	5	1	51	52	50	0	2
Commissionerate of Employment and Training (Training)	128	5	180	185	9	156	4	0	0	0	0	0	16	2008	37	1	34	35	34	0	1
Directorate of Medical and Rural Health	228	0	72	72	6	42	3	0	0	0	0	21	0	670	12	0	5	5	3	2	0

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Services (ESI)																						
Overseas Manpower Corporation Ltd.,		1	0	4	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Skill Development Corporation		0	0	11	11	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	110	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Labour and Employment Department Total		979	58	3125	3183	502	2521	18	0	2	0	69	71	28662	141	4	320	324	304	11	9	
Law Department, Secretariat		1	0	210	210	70	83	0	0	0	0	57	0	2074	1	0	30	30	18	12	0	
Directorate of Legal Studies		15	0	55	55	5	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	550	2	0	4	4	4	0	0	
The Tamil Nadu Dr.Ambedkar Law University, Chennai		1	0	89	89	4	81	0	0	0	0	0	4	820	1	1	14	15	15	0	0	
The Tamil Nadu National Law School, Tiruchirappalli		1	0	6	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	
Law Department Total		18	0	360	360	79	220	0	0	0	0	57	4	3504	5	1	49	50	38	12	0	
Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Department, Secretariat		3	0	50	50	32	14	0	0	0	0	4	0	234	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	
Commissionerate of Industries and Commerce		51	7	285	292	24	188	33	3	0	0	28	16	2934	45	0	70	70	34	36	0	
Tamil Nadu Small Industries Development Corporation Limited		1	3	114	117	0	86	0	0	0	0	3	28	1480	0	0	2	2	2	0	0	
Tamil Nadu Small Industries Corporation Limited		1	0	8	8	0	5	2	0	0	0	1	0	80	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Tamil Nadu Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute		1	0	4	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Department Total		57	10	461	471	56	295	35	3	0	0	36	46	4768	47	0	75	75	39	36	0	

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Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department, Secretariat	3	6	452	458	298	149	1	0	0	0	0	9	1	4022	4	0	62	62	59	3	0
Commissionerate of Municipal Administration	7	0	409	409	139	270	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5137	1	0	139	139	139	0	0
Chennai Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage Board	45	11	677	688	20	648	11	6	0	0	0	0	3	21140	21	1	68	69	69	0	0
Greater Chennai Corporation	93	181	4816	4997	629	4125	23	0	3	0	40	177	642	47	17	730	747	653	5	89	
Directorate of Town Panchayats	546	17	10375	10392	723	9586	13	0	7	0	79	34	8724	18	9	895	904	884	11	9	
Tamil Nadu Water Supply and Drainage Board	32	11	456	467	6	446	0	0	0	0	0	15	5788	32	0	35	35	0	0	0	
Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department Total	726	226	17185	17411	1815	15224	48	6	10	0	78	230	45453	123	27	1929	1956	1839	19	98	
Personnel and Administrative Reforms Department, Secretariat	8	3	971	974	261	631	2	0	0	0	74	6	18773	5	0	68	68	31	37	0	
Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission	28	0	1878	1878	25	1837	5	0	0	0	11	0	182085	6	0	100	100	100	0	0	
Personnel and Administrative Reforms Department, Total	36	3	2849	2852	286	2468	7	0	0	0	85	6	200858	11	0	168	168	131	37	0	
Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Training) Department, Secretariat	8	0	409	409	47	330	0	0	0	0	32	0	5295	6	0	26	26	26	0	0	
Directorate of Vigilance and Anti Corruption	1	29	335	364	4	298	17	0	0	0	14	31	3451	1	5	50	55	48	0	7	
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Chennai	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Tiruchirappalli	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	

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Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Madurai	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Coimbatore	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Tirunelveli	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Nagarcovil	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Lokayukta	1	0	11	11	11	0	9	0	0	0	0	2	0	110	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Director General of Training	6	0	22	22	22	2	18	0	0	0	0	0	2	224	6	0	2	2	0	0	0	2
A & B wing foundational course Training Institute	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All India Civil Services Coaching Centre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Civil Service Training Institute	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Anna Institute of Management	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Competitive Exam Coaching Centre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Training)Department Total	22	29	780	809	809	53	655	19	0	0	0	49	33	9100	20	5	79	84	75	0	0	9
Planning, Development and Special Initiatives (OP/MC)Department, Secretariat	1	0	12	12	12	7	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Planning Commission	1	0	3	3	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Economics and Statistics	1	0	82	82	82	63	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	630	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0

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Directorate of Evaluation and Applied Research	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Special Area Development and Programme	1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Planning, Development and Special Initiatives (OP/MC Department Total	5	0	101	101	71	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	710	3	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Planning, Development and Special Initiatives (SI) Department	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chennai Metro Rail Ltd.	1	0	104	104	5	94	5	0	0	0	0	0	4000	1	0	5	5	5	0	0	0
Planning, Development and Special Initiatives (SI) Department Total	2	0	104	104	5	94	5	0	0	0	0	0	4000	1	0	5	5	5	0	0	0
Public Department, Secretariat	22	0	3103	3103	2619	304	23	1	0	12	0	144	21621	8	0	280	280	55	225	0	0
Governor's Secretariat	1	0	185	185	85	96	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Governor's House Hold Office, Raj Bhavan	1	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Human Rights Commission	1	6	479	485	23	454	0	0	0	0	0	8	4736	1	0	55	55	55	0	0	0
State Guest House	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu House, New Delhi	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamizhagam Guest House, Udhagamandalam	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Tamil Nadu Ex-Servicemen Corporation		1	0	10	10	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Directorate of Ex-servicemen's Welfare		31	0	160	160	6	149	1	0	0	0	1	3	560	31	0	6	6	4	2	0	0
Commissionerate of Rehabilitation		3	0	42	42	0	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	436	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Public Department Total		63	6	3986	3992	2733	1062	24	1	0	12	5	155	27453	45	0	344	344	117	227	0	0
Public Works Department, Secretariat		25	5	280	285	204	61	14	0	0	0	0	6	2726	0	0	24	24	19	5	0	0
Chief Engineer Buildings		163	9	970	979	149	795	0	9	1	0	6	19	11434	40	0	89	89	87	2	0	0
Engineer- in-Chief, Water Resources		2	7	359	366	137	226	3	0	0	0	0	0	1720	2	0	74	74	74	0	0	0
Water Resources Department, Chennai Region		41	0	663	663	663	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6630	4	0	61	61	61	0	0	0
Water Resources Department, Trichy Region		23	38	476	514	12	495	0	0	0	0	0	7	5851	23	0	84	84	82	0	2	0
Water Resources Department, Madurai Region		28	2	957	959	79	868	2	0	0	5	5	0	3096	6	0	82	82	81	1	0	0
Water Resources Department, Coimbatore Region		15	0	768	768	53	702	2	0	0	0	0	11	13067	5	0	74	74	73	0	1	0
Design Research and Construction Support Department		8	0	24	24	7	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Water Resources Development Cell.		1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Plan Formulation Department		16	0	23	23	9	11	1	0	0	0	2	0	180	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Operation and Maintenance Department		5	0	14	14	7	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	210	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Ground Water and Surface Water Resources Data Centre		14	2	167	169	23	140	0	0	0	0	2	4	1407	7	1	9	10	10	0	0	0
Institute for Water Studies		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Irrigation Management Training Institute		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cauvery Technical Cell		0	0	4	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Boilers		10	0	13	13	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
State Water Resources Management Agency WRD, Taramani, Chennai		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Public Works Department Total		354	63	4719	4782	1343	3339	22	9	1	5	16	47	46421	116	1	499	500	489	8	3	3
Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Secretariat		41	0	1132	1132	768	351	13	0	0	0	0	0	338	7	0	87	87	84	3	0	0
Commissionerate of Land Administration		6	10	710	720	458	257	0	0	0	0	0	5	14208	3	0	34	34	34	0	0	0
Directorate of Survey and Settlement		96	195	7849	8044	2791	4967	12	43	0	0	10	221	34411	42	137	2953	3090	2961	6	123	123
Commissionerate of Urban Land Ceiling and Urban Land Tax		8	11	284	295	10	269	0	0	0	0	0	16	4012	1	0	8	8	7	0	1	1

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Commissionerate of Revenue Administration Disaster Management and Mitigation		793	3318	95496	98814	29424	64403	449	65	187	56	2637	1593	849981	681	419	9389	9808	8453	330	1025
Commissionerate of Land Reforms		4	34	194	228	15	193	0	0	0	0	0	20	86	1	0	4	4	4	0	0
Revenue and Disaster Management Department Total		948	3568	105665	109233	33466	70440	474	108	187	56	2647	1855	903036	735	556	12475	13031	11543	339	1149
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Secretariat		16	0	456	456	418	33	0	0	0	0	5	0	4290	4	0	20	20	19	1	0
Directorate of Rural Development & Panchayat Raj		1212	1619	31026	32645	4026	24811	66	6	1	0	125	3610	317708	985	322	2589	2911	2346	63	502
Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women		38	4	284	288	36	243	1	0	0	0	0	8	465	38	0	25	25	24	0	1
Tamil Nadu Rural Transformation Project		1	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) assisted Post Tsunami Sustainable Livelihoods Programmes		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Election Commission		1	0	337	337	226	111	0	0	0	0	0	0	3901	18	0	18	18	18	0	0
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department Total		1268	1623	32105	33728	4706	25200	67	6	1	0	130	3618	326364	1046	322	2652	2974	2407	64	503
School Education Department, Secretariat		3	0	781	781	666	85	0	0	0	0	30	0	6900	4	0	54	54	53	1	0

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Directorate of School Education		1	0	2614	2614	762	1842	8	0	0	0	2	0	26412	1	0	85	85	85	0	0
Directorate of Elementary Education		1	0	813	813	587	226	0	0	0	0	0	0	8130	7	0	13	13	13	0	0
Directorate of Matriculation Schools		1	0	200	200	73	127	0	0	0	0	0	0	2000	1	0	10	10	10	0	0
Directorate of Nonformal & Adult Education		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of State Council of Education Research and Training		33	0	110	110	6	83	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	33	0	11	11	9	2	0
Directorate of Government Examinations		9	0	398	398	13	385	0	0	0	0	0	0	4011	2	0	25	25	25	0	0
Directorate of Public Libraries		35	2	397	399	1	398	0	0	0	0	0	0	4150	35	0	65	65	65	0	0
Tamil Nadu Text Book and Educational Services Corporation		23	0	26	26	5	20	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Teachers Recruitment Board		1	292	748	1040	34	617	0	0	0	0	0	389	226	1	6	45	51	16	0	35
State Project Directorate of Samagra Shiksha Abhiyan		33	8	230	238	12	219	0	0	0	0	0	7	2300	33	0	10	10	8	2	0
School Education Department Total		141	302	6317	6619	2159	4002	8	0	0	0	54	396	54129	118	6	318	324	284	5	35
Social Reforms Department Total		1	0	3	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department, Secretariat		1	0	172	172	112	57	1	0	0	0	2	0	780	3	0	3	3	3	0	0
Directorate of Social Welfare		33	0	220	220	46	159	0	0	0	0	0	15	1290	33	0	10	10	10	0	0
Commissionerate of Social Defence		17	0	60	60	2	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	897	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Integrated Child Development Services		1	0	55	55	11	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Social Welfare Board		1	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department Total		53	0	509	509	171	320	1	0	0	0	2	15	2967	37	0	13	13	13	0	0
Special Programme Implementation Department Total		1	0	9	9	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Development and Information Department, Secretariat		8	0	56	56	29	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	340	4	0	4	4	4	0	0
Directorate of Tamil Development		32	0	39	39	0	39	0	0	0	0	0	0	506	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil University, Thanjavur		1	2	70	72	0	70	0	0	0	0	0	2	2322	1	0	4	4	4	0	0
International Institute of Tamil Studies		1	0	7	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ulaga Tamil Sangam, Madurai		1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	1	0	1	1	1	0	0

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Directorate of Tamil Etymological Dictionary Project		1	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Information and Public Relations		1	0	258	258	13	235	7	3	0	0	0	0	2722	1	0	62	62	62	0	0	0
Directorate of Stationery and Printing		10	1	136	137	12	107	1	0	5	0	9	3	1360	10	0	16	16	14	2	0	0
Tamil Development and Information Department Total		55	3	573	576	54	488	8	3	5	0	9	9	7280	20	0	87	87	85	2	0	0
Tourism, Culture and Religious Endowments Department, Secretariat.		13	0	208	208	135	66	7	0	0	0	0	0	848	3	0	7	7	7	0	0	0
Directorate of Museum		1	0	4	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Art and Culture		16	2	58	60	4	54	0	0	0	0	0	2	547	2	0	4	4	4	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Archaeology		19	0	30	30	1	28	0	0	0	0	0	1	304	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Tourism		37	0	17	17	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	3	170	3	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments		88	147	5958	6105	1270	4572	125	0	0	0	0	138	28941	88	30	920	950	846	82	22	22
Tamil Nadu Tourism Development Corporation		1	2	29	31	10	19	0	0	0	1	0	1	4330	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Tourism, Culture and Religious Endowments Department Total		175	151	6304	6455	1420	4757	132	0	0	1	0	145	35180	103	30	935	965	861	82	22	22

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Transport Department, Secretariat		2	0	312	312	246	63	0	0	0	0	3	0	2464	2	0	37	37	36	1	0
Metropolitan Transport Corporation (Chennai) Ltd.,		1	29	410	439	6	358	22	0	0	0	26	27	4388	1	4	79	83	77	1	5
State Express Transport Corporation, Chennai		1	32	348	380	5	319	7	0	3	0	20	26	3890	1	5	72	77	72	0	5
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Villupuram) Ltd.,		1	49	599	648	6	558	11	0	0	0	27	46	13156	1	4	147	151	142	2	7
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Salem), Ltd.,		1	92	646	738	0	683	0	0	0	0	0	55	13150	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Coimbatore) Ltd.,		1	159	899	1058	3	957	0	0	0	0	0	98	7715	1	21	123	144	125	0	19
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Kumbakonam) Ltd.,		1	132	635	767	3	642	29	0	0	0	24	69	16047	1	14	70	84	74	5	5
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Madurai) Ltd.,		1	49	504	553	6	514	5	0	0	0	0	28	14582	1	17	31	48	33	0	15
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Tirunelveli) Ltd.,		1	0	594	594	2	577	0	0	0	0	15	0	16548	1	0	94	94	94	0	0
Motor Vehicles & Maintenance Department, Chennai		21	0	38	38	0	34	0	0	0	0	0	4	305	1	0	4	4	4	0	0
Institute of Road Transport, Chennai		1	0	12	12	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	120	1	0	2	2	2	0	0
Transport Development Finance Corporation Ltd.,		1	0	8	8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Pallavan Transport Consultancy Services, Chennai		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transport Department Total		34	542	5005	5547	277	4725	74	0	3	0	115	353	92445	11	65	659	724	659	9	56	
Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Department, Secretariat		1	0	62	62	22	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	5	5	0	0	0
Commissionerate for the Welfare of Differently Abled		41	0	394	394	10	369	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	2	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Department Total		42	0	456	456	32	409	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	3	0	8	8	8	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Vigilance Commission, Secretariat		3	0	27	27	9	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	270	1	0	3	3	2	1	0	0
Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department		1	0	15	15	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	150	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu		39	0	43	43	0	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	620	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
National Cadet Corps		58	0	12	12	0	8	0	0	0	4	0	0	190	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
National Service Scheme		14	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University		1	3	27	30	0	27	0	0	0	0	0	3	300	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department Total		113	3	100	103	15	81	0	0	4	0	0	3	1270	5	0	4	4	3	1	0	0

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Legislative Assembly Secretariat Total		16	5	148	153	21	103	1	0	0	0	27	1	3624	2	0	13	13	8	5	0
Tamil Nadu Information Commission Total		1	339	1309	1648	239	1091	0	0	0	0	0	318	0	1	10	0	10	10	0	0
Grand Total		13380	12116	301547	313663	61309	229231	2690	187	447	339	5826	13634	3029991	4454	1655	31117	32772	28592	1392	2788

Tamil Nadu Information Commission

Annexure-II

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

ABSTRACT

The Right to Information Act, 2005, (Central Act 22 of 2005) – Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005, – Orders – Issued.

Public (Estt. 1 & Leg.) Department

G.O.Ms.No.989

Dated 07.10.2005

Read:

1. From the Secretary to Government, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions D.O.Letter No.34012/S/2005-Esst.(B), dated 23rd June, 2005.
2. Government Letter Ms.No.987, Public (Estt. 1 & Leg) Dept. dated 7.10.2005.

ORDER:

The Government of India have enacted the Right to Information Act, 2005 (Central Act 22 of 2005) to provide for setting out a practical regime system of right to information for citizens to secure access to information under the control of public authorities, in order to promote transparency and accountability in the working of every public authority.

2. In the Government letter Ms second read above, the Government have issued orders designating Public Information Officers and Appellate Authorities for implementation of the said Act in all public authorities. As per section 27 of the said Act, the appropriate Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, make rules to carry out the provisions of the said Act. Accordingly, the following Notification, shall be published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette Extraordinary, dated the Friday, 7th October, 2005:-

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (Central Act 22 of 2005), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following Rules:-

RULES

1) Short title.- These rules may be called the Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005.

2) Definitions.- In these Rules, unless the context otherwise requires,-

- (a) "Act" means the Right to Information Act, 2005 (Central Act 22 of 2005);
- (b) Words and expressions used in these Rules and not defined shall have the same meaning assigned to them in the Act.

3) FEES:

- (a) Every application for obtaining information under sub-section (1) of section 6 of the Act shall be accompanied by an application fee of rupees fifty by cash or by demand draft or bankers cheque payable in the head of account, as may be specified by the Public Authority.
- (b) For providing the information under sub-section (1) of section 7 of the Act, a fee shall be charged by way of cash against proper receipt or by demand draft or banker's cheque payable in the head of account, as specified by Public Authority at the following rates:-
- (i) rupees two for each page (in A-4 or A-3 size paper) created or copied;
 - (ii) actual charge or cost price of a copy in larger size paper;
 - (iii) actual cost or price for samples or models; and
 - (iv) for inspection of records, no fee for the first hour, and a fee of rupees five for each fifteen minutes (or fraction thereof) thereafter.
- (c) For providing the information under sub-section (5) of section 7, the fee shall be charged by way of cash against proper receipt or by demand draft or banker's cheque payable in the head of account, as specified by the Public Authority at the following rates:-
- (i) for information provided in diskette or floppy rupees fifty per diskette or floppy; and
 - (ii) for information provided in printed form at the price fixed for publication.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

G. RAMAKRISHNAN
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
All Secretaries to Government
All Heads of Department/All Public Sector Undertaking /Corporation.
The Tamil Nadu Information Commission, Chennai.
The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Personnel,
Public Grievances and Pensions, New Delhi.
The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi.
The Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai –79.
(for publication of the Notification in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette Extraordinary)
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SECTION OFFICER.



ABSTRACT

The Right to Information Act, 2005 (Central Act 22 of 2005)- The Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005 -Amendment- Issued

PUBLIC (ESTT.I & LEG.) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.1012

Dated: 20.09.2006.

Read:

1. G.O.Ms.No.989, Public (Estt. I & Leg.) Dept.. dated 7.10.2005.
2. From the Director, Common wealth Human Rights Initiative, New Delhi, letter dated 27.10.2005.

ORDER:

The following Notification will be published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette Extraordinary, dated the 20th September.2006.-

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (Central Act 22 of 2005), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following amendment to the Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005:-

AMENDMENT

In the said Rules, in rule 3,-

in sub-rule (a), for the word "fifty", the word "ten" shall be substituted;

(1) in sub-rule (b), in item (iv), for the words "each fifteen minutes", the words "every one hour" shall be substituted;

(2) in sub-rule (c), in item (ii). after the word "publication", the following expression shall be added, namely:-

"or rupees two per page of photocopy for extracts from the publication".

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

D.JOTHI JAGARAJAN
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

All Secretaries to Government

All Heads of Department/ All Public Sector Undertakings/Corporations.

All Collectors.

The Tamil Nadu Information Commission, Chennai-84.

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Personnel,

Public Grievances and Pensions, New Delhi-110001.

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi.

The Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai -79.

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The Director, Common Wealth Human Rights Initiative, New Delhi-110 017.

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ABSTRACT

The Right to Information Act, 2005 (Central Act 22 of 2005) - The Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005 -Amendment- Issued.

Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR.III) Department

G.O.(Ms) No.72

Dated: 20.03.2007

READ:

1. G.O.Ms.No.989, Public (Estt.I& Leg.) Dept.. dated 7.10.2005.
2. G.O.Ms.No.1012, Public (Estt-I&Leg) Dept. Dt.20.09.2006.
3. From the SCIC, TNIC,D.O.Lr.No.199/TNIC/2006,Dt.27.09.2006.

ORDER:

The following Notification will be published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette Extraordinary, dated the 20th March.2007.

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (Central Act 22 of 2005), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following amendment to the Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005:-

AMENDMENT

In the said Rules, in rule 3,-in sub-rule (a), after the words, "ten by cash or", the words "by affixing court fee stamp or "shall be inserted.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

T.S.SRIDHAR
SPECIAL COMMISSIONER AND
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

All Secretaries to Government

All Heads of Department/All Public Sector Undertakings/Corporations.

All Collectors.

The Tamil Nadu Information Commission, Chennai-84.

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Personnel,
Public Grievances and Pensions, New Delhi-110 001.

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi.

The Works Manager, Government Central Press. Chennai -79.

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ABSTRACT

The Right to Information Act, 2005 (Central Act 22 of 2005)- The Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005 -Amendment- Issued.

Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR.III) Department

G.O.Ms.No.12

Dated: 18.01.2011

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திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு 2042.

READ:

1. G.O.Ms.No.989, Public (Estt.I& Leg.) Dept., dated 7.10.2005.
2. G.O.Ms.No.1012, Public (Estt-I&Leg) Department, Dated.20.09.2006
3. G.O.Ms.No.72, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR-3) Department, dated: 20.03.2007

ORDER:

The following Notification will be published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (Central Act 22 of 2005), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following amendments to the Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005:-

AMENDMENT

In the said Rules, in rule 3,-in sub-rule (a), after the words, "ten by cash or", the words "by postal money order or" shall be inserted.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

K.N.VENKATARAMAN,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

All Secretaries to Government

All Heads of Department/ All Public Sector Undertakings/ Corporations.

All Collectors.

The Tamil Nadu Information Commission, Chennai-18.

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Personnel,

Public Grievances and Pensions, New Delhi-110 001.

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi.

The Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai -79.

(for publication of the Notification in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette)

The Private Secretary to Chief Secretary to Government, Chennai-9.

The Private Secretary to Secretary to Government, Personnel and

Administrative Reforms Department, Chennai-9.

Copy to:

All Sections in Personnel and Administrative Reforms Department, Chennai-9

Thiru N.Gopalakrishnan, No.D/S/6/Ramalakshmi Estates, Peda Waltair,

Visakhapatnam -530 017, Andhra Pradesh. S.F./Scs

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