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## **CHAPTER – 1**

### **திருக்குறள்**

"எப்பொருள் யார்யார்வாய் கேட்பினும் அப்பொருள்  
மெய்ப்பொருள் காண்பது அறிவு"

பொருள்: எப்பொருளை யார் யாரிடம் கேட்டாலும், அப்பொருளின்  
மெய்யான பொருளை காண்பதே அறிவாகும்.

### **Introduction**

The Parliament enacted the Right to Information Act, 2005 (Central Act 22 of 2005) which received the Presidential assent on 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2005. The Right to Information Act, 2005 (Central Act 22 of 2005) was notified in the official Gazette on 21<sup>st</sup> of June, 2005. The provisions of sub-section (1) of section 4, sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5, Sections 12, 13, 15, 16, 24, 27 and 28 came into force with effect from the date of notification and the remaining provisions of the Act came into force on 12<sup>th</sup> October, 2005.

The Right to Information Act is a landmark legislation which helps to empower the common man to get disclosure of Information from Government and its authorities to know how the democratic process of the Government is adopted and functioned. This Act promoted a system of openness which enables the citizens to get information from the public authorities as a matter of unquestionable right.

## **Chapter – 2**

### **Important Provisions relating to the Right to Information Act, 2005**

#### **2.1. Information [Section 2(f)]**

“Information” means any material in any form, including records, documents, memos, e-mails, opinions, advices, press releases, circulars, orders, logbooks, contracts, reports, papers, samples, models, data material held in any electronic form and information relating to any private body which can be accessed by a public authority under any other law for the time being in force.

#### **2.2.Public Authority [Section 2(h)]**

‘Public Authority’ means any authority or body or institution of self-Government established or constituted by or under the Constitution, by any other law made by Parliament, by any other law made by State Legislature and by notification issued or order made by the appropriate Government and includes anybody owned, controlled or substantially financed and non-Government organization substantially financed, directly or indirectly by funds provided by the appropriate Government.

#### **2.3.Record [Section 2(i)]**

‘Record’ includes any document, manuscript and file, any microfilm, microfiche and facsimile copy of a document, any reproduction of image or images embodied in such microfilm (whether enlarged or not) and any other material produced by a computer or any other device.

#### **2.4.Right to information [Section 2(j)]**

“Right to Information’ means the right to information accessible under the Right to Information Act, 2005, which is held by or under the control of any public authority and includes the right to inspection of work, documents, records, taking notes, extracts or certified copies of documents or records, taking certified samples of material and also obtaining information in the form

of diskettes, floppies, tapes, video cassettes or in any other electronic mode or through print outs where such information is stored in a computer or in any other device.

### **2.5.Third Party [Section 2(n)]**

'Third party' means a person other than the citizen making a request for information and includes a public authority.

### **2.6. Obligations of Public Authorities**

Section 4 of the Right to Information 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 have 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 Right to Information Act, every Public Authority shall 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 the 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.

### **2.7. Time Frame for Public Information Officer and Appellate 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.

## **2.8. 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) Not with standing 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 lead 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, or which would cause unwarranted invasion of the privacy of the individual unless 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:

\*amended by the Digital Personal Data Protection Act, 2023 u/s 44(3). In section 8 of the Right to Information Act, 2005, in sub-section (1), for clause (j), the following clause shall be substituted, namely-"(j) information which relates to personal information".  
(Published in the Gazette of India, dt: 11.08.2023).

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:

Provided that the 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 Right to Information 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.

### **2.9. Protection of action taken in good faith [Section 21]**

No suit, prosecution or other legal proceeding shall lie against any person for anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done under this Act or any rule made thereunder.

### **2.10. Overriding effect [Section 22]**

The provisions of the Right to Information Act shall have effect notwithstanding anything inconsistent therewith contained in the Officials Secrets Act, 1923, and any other law for the time being in force or in any instrument having effect by virtue of any law other than this Act.

### **2.11. State Information Commission**

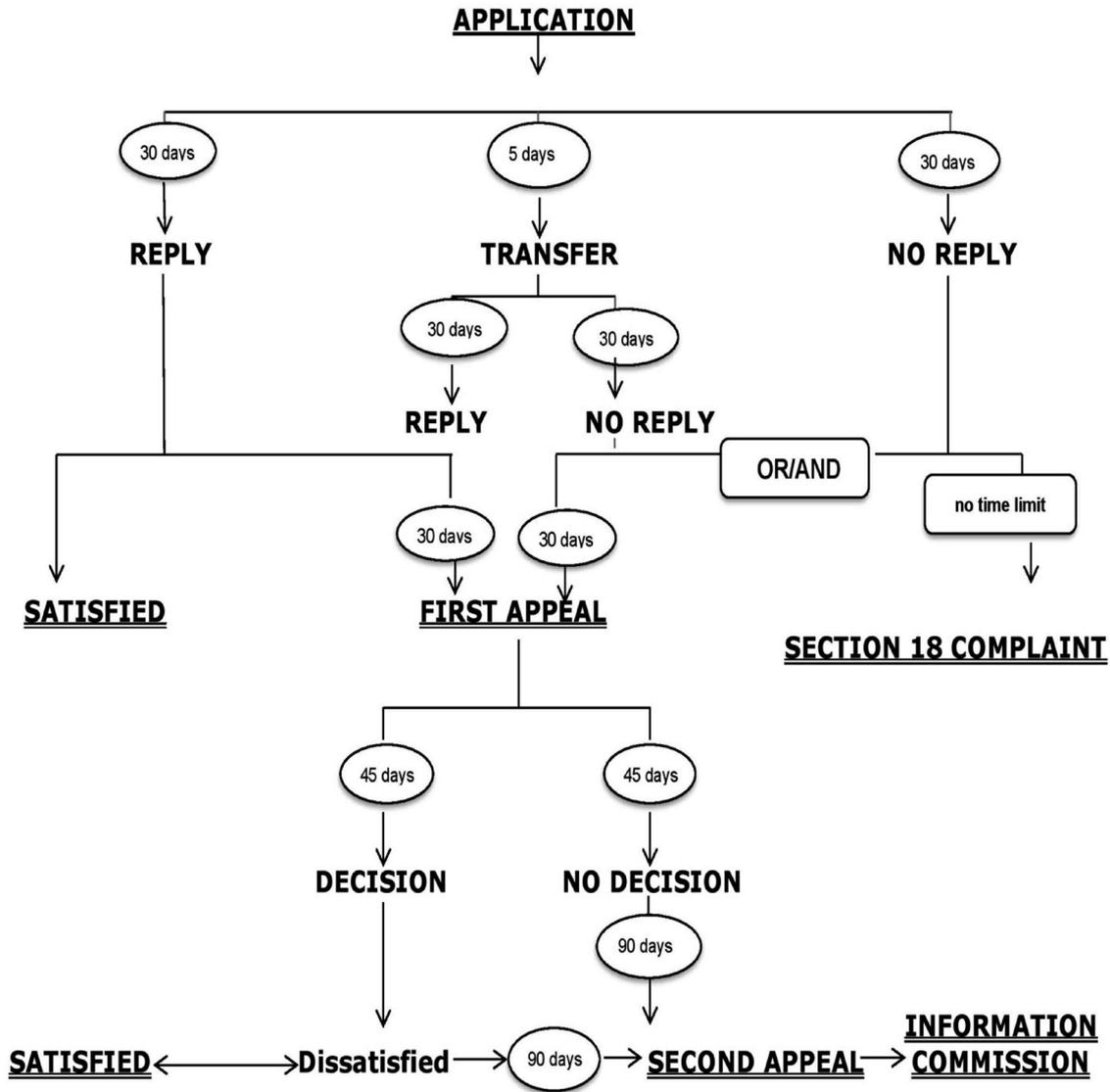
As provided under Section 15 (1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the Government of Tamil Nadu constituted the Tamil Nadu Information Commission vide G.O. (Ms). No 988, Public (Estt I & Leg.) Department, dated 07.10.2005.

### **2.12. Powers and Functions of the State Information Commission**

The Right to Information Act, 2005, prescribes the powers and functions of the Commission under Sections 18, 19 and 20 in dealing with complaint, appeal and penalties respectively

**CHAPTER – 3**

**Right to Information Act, 2005- Procedure**



**Note:**

- Count 5-10 days to allow for transit time
- Both First Appeal and Section 18 Complaint, can be filed for the same cause.
- Matters involving "Life and Liberty", the time limit for the Public Information Officer to provide information is 48 hours.

## **CHAPTER – 4**

### **4.1. State Chief Information Commissioner and State Information Commissioners**

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

1.	Thiru R. Rajagopal, IAS.(Retd.), State Chief Information Commissioner	From 21.11.2019 to 20.11.2022
2.	Thiru.S.Selvaraj, M.A., B.Ed., State Information Commissioner	From 08.12.2017 to 07.12.2022
3.	Thiru.S.T.Tamilkumar, B.A.,B.L., State Information Commissioner	From 08.12.2017 to 07.12.2022
4.	Dr.R.Pratap Kumar, M.A., M.L.,M.B.A.,M.Sc., Ph.D., State Information Commissioner	From 08.12.2017 to 07.12.2022
5.	Thiru.S.Muthuraj, B.A.,B.L., State Information Commissioner	From 08.12.2017 to 07.12.2022
6.	Thiru.P.Dhanasekaran,B.A.,LLB State Information Commissioner	From 18.02.2021
7.	Thiru.M.Sreedhar., B.Tech., State Information Commissioner	From 18.02.2021

The details of the former State Chief Information Commissioners and former State Information Commissioners are as follows:-

1.	Thiru.S. Ramakrishnan, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner
2.	Thiru. K.S. Sripathi, I.A.S. (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner
3.	Thiru. K. Ramanujam, I.P.S. (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner
4.	Dr.Tmt.M.Sheela Priya, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner
5.	Thiru. G. Ramakrishnan, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Information Commissioner

6.	Thiru. R. Rathinasamy, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Information Commissioner
7.	Thiru T.R. Ramasamy, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Information Commissioner
8.	Dr. (Thiru) R. Perumalsamy, M.A.,M.Phil.,Ph.D., State Information Commissioner
9.	Dr. (Tmt)Sarada Nambi Aarooran, M.A.,M.Phil.,Ph.D., State Information Commissioner
10.	Thiru T. Srinivasan, M.Sc., State Information Commissioner
11.	Dr. (Tmt.) V. Saroja, M.D., D.G.O., State Information Commissioner
12.	Thiru.S.F.Akbar, B.Sc.,B.L., State Information Commissioner
13.	Thiru. Christopher Nelson, I.P.S. (Retd.) State Information Commissioner
14.	Thiru. P.Thamilselvan, M.A., B.L., State Information Commissioner
15.	Tmt. B. Neelambikai, M.A., B.L., State Information Commissioner
16.	Thiru.R.Dakshinamurthy,B.sc.,B.L., State Information Commissioner
17.	Thiru.G.Murugan,B.Sc.,B.L., State Information Commissioner

#### **4.2. Head Quarters of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission.**

The Tamil Nadu Information Commission is presently functioning at Government Farm Village, Pernpet, Nandanam, Chennai-35.

#### **4.3.Staff Strength of Tamil Nadu Information Commission:**

The Staff strength of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission are as follows:

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Designation of the Posts</b>	<b>No. of Posts sanctioned</b>
1.	Secretary	1
2.	Registrar	1
3.	Legal Officer	1
4.	Financial Advisor & Chief Accounts Officer	1
5.	Under Secretary (Admin)	1
6.	Assistant Registrar	3
7.	Principal Private Secretary	1
8.	Section Officer	11
9.	Private Secretary	7
10.	Assistant Section Officer	7
11.	Assistant Programmer	1
12.	Assistant	4
13.	Personal Assistant	9
14.	Senior Personal Clerk	3
15.	Personal Clerk	10
16.	Typist	6
17.	Record Clerk	2
18.	Driver	8
19.	Daffedar	3
20.	Office Assistant	21
21.	Watchman	3

#### **4.4.Budget Allocation**

<b>Head of Account</b>		<b>Budget Estimate 2022 – 2023</b>	<b>FMA 2022-2023</b>	<b>Expenditure Incurred as on 31.03.2023</b>
<b>(1)</b>		<b>(2)</b>	<b>(3)</b>	<b>(4)</b>
		<b>(Rupees in Thousands)</b>		
<b>30100</b>	<b>Salaries</b>			
<b>30101</b>	01.Pay	59094	56239	53619
<b>30102</b>	02.Medical Allowance	216	231	214
<b>30103</b>	03.Medical Charges	300	581	380
<b>30104</b>	04.Other Allowances	764	749	629
<b>30106</b>	06.House Rent Allowance	8825	9462	8491
<b>30107</b>	07.Leave Travel Concession	258	258	36
<b>30108</b>	08. City Compensatory Allowance	882	820	790
<b>30301</b>	<b>Dearness Allowance</b>	21865	19122	18360
<b>30400</b>	<b>Travel Expenses</b>			
<b>30401</b>	01. Tour Travelling Allowances	300	500	451
<b>30500</b>	<b>Office Expenses</b>			
<b>30501</b>	01. Telephone Charges	800	650	437
<b>30502</b>	02. Other Contingencies	625	725	724
<b>30503</b>	03. Electricity Charges	2456	3576	3100
<b>30504</b>	04. Service Postage	600	600	600
<b>30505</b>	05. Furniture	1	1	-
<b>30600</b>	<b>Rent, Rate &amp; Taxes</b>			
<b>30601</b>	Rent	1	1	-
<b>30801</b>	01. Advertisement Charges	1	102	102
<b>31301</b>	Hospitality/ Entertainment Expenditure	135	135	107
<b>31701</b>	Minor Works	1	1	-

<b>31800</b>	<b>Maintenance</b>			
<b>31801</b>	01. Periodical Maintenance	50	50	-
<b>31900</b>	<b>Machinery &amp; Equipments</b>			
<b>31901</b>	01. Purchase	1	1	-
<b>31903</b>	03. Maintenance	181	181	1
<b>32100</b>	<b>Motor Vehicles</b>			
<b>32101</b>	01. Purchase	1	1	-
<b>32102</b>	02. Maintenance of Functional Vehicles	150	100	21
<b>33300</b>	<b>Payments for professional and special services</b>			
<b>33301</b>	01. Pleaders Fee	379	804	790
<b>33304</b>	04. Contract Payment	5848	7025	6744
<b>34501</b>	<b>Petroleum, Oil &amp; Lubricants</b>	1000	1575	1344
<b>34900</b>	<b>Festival Advances</b>			
<b>34901</b>	01. Festival Advances – Debit	700	700	530
<b>34902</b>	02. Festival Advances - Credit	-700	-700	-476
<b>35901</b>	<b>Prizes and Awards</b>	10	10	2
<b>36801</b>	<b>Cost of Books/Note Books/Slates, etc.,</b>	35	35	6
<b>37101</b>	<b>Printing Charges</b>	150	150	141
<b>37201</b>	<b>Training</b>	1	1	-
<b>37600</b>	<b>Computer &amp; Accessories</b>			
<b>37601</b>	01. Purchase	1	1	-
<b>37602</b>	02. Maintenance	213	213	144
<b>37603</b>	03. Stationery	553	353	345
<b>Total</b>		<b>105698</b>	<b>104253</b>	<b>98108</b>

## CHAPTER - 5

### **5.1. Rules Notified under the Right to Information Act, 2005**

As per Section 27(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the appropriate Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, make rules to carry out the provisions of this Act. Similarly, as per Section 28(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the competent authority may, by notification in the Official Gazette, make rules to carry out the provisions of this Act.

### **5.2.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. 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. The fees to be paid under the Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005 are as follows:

<b>Rule</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>Fees to be paid</b>	<b>Mode of payment</b>
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
<b>For information provided under Section 7(1) of Right to Information Act</b>			Cash or Demand Draft or
3(b)(i)	Supply of copies of documents	Rs.2/- per page(in A4 or A3 size paper)	
3(b)(ii)	Supply of copies of documents	Actual charge or cost price of a copy in larger size paper	

3(b)(iii)	Supply of samples or models	Actual cost or price	Banker's Cheque
3(b)(iv)	Inspection of records	No fee for the first hour and a fee of Rs.5/- for every one hour (or fraction there of) there after	
<b>For information provided under Section 7(5) of Right to Information Act</b>			
3(c)(i)	Supply of information in Diskette or Floppy	Rs.50/- per diskette or floppy	Cash or Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque
3(c)(ii)	For printed publication	Price fixed for publication or Rs.2/- per page of photocopy for extracts from the publication.	

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

<b>Rule</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>Fees to be paid</b>	<b>Mode of payment</b>
3	Fees to be paid alongwith application	Rs.10/-	Cash or Court Fee Stamp or Treasury Chalan or Demand Draft / Postal Order drawn in favour of PIO, High Court, Madras/Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.
<b>For information provided under Section 7(1) and 7(5) of Right to Information Act</b>			
4 (a) Proviso	Copy of order / decree / judgment / documents on the judicial side under the control of the High Court or Subordinate Courts	To be obtained as per the procedure prescribed for obtaining certified copies in the Madras High Court Appellate Side Rules / Madras High Court Original Side Rules / Civil Rules of Practice / Criminal Rules of Practice, as the case may be, or any other Rule for the time being in force in that behalf. Copies of order / decree / judgment / documents on the Judicial side will not be issued under Right to Information Act.	

4 (a)	Copy 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 / Postal Order drawn infavour of PIO,High Court, Madras / PIO, Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.
4 (b)	Information in the formof diskette or floppy	Rs.50/- per diskette or floppy	

**5.4.Fees to be paid under the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Secretariat Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2006**

<b>Rule</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>Fees to be paid</b>	<b>Mode of payment</b>
3 (a)	Fees to be paid along with application	Rs.10/-	Cash or Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque
<b>For information provided under Section 7(1) of Right to Information Act</b>			
3(b)(i)	Supply of copies of documents	Rs.2/- per page (in 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 in larger size paper	
3(b)(iii)	Supply of samples or models	Actual cost or price.	
3(b)(iv)	Inspection of records	No fee for the first one hour. Rs.5/- for every one hour (or fraction thereof) there after	
<b>For information provided under Section 7(5) of Right to Information Act</b>			
3(c)(i)	Supply of information in Diskette or Floppy	Rs.50/- per diskette or floppy	Cash or Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque
3(c)(ii)	For printed publications	Price fixed for publication or Rs.2/- per page of photocopy for extracts from the publication.	

## **5.5. Head of Account for Remittance of Fees, Award of Compensation and Penalty:**

### **(i) Remittance of Fees**

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'

[IFHRMS DPC: 0070 60 118 AA 22739 Old DPC: 0070-60-118-AA-005]

### **(ii) Award of Compensation**

In the Government Letter No.19047/AR.III/2017-1, Personnel & Administrative Reforms Department, dated: 30.01.2018, the following head of account is opened for making payment to the individual as the compensation under Section 19(8) of Right to Information Act.

"2070-00-Other Administrative Services-800-Other Expenditure-CG-Compensation under Right to Information Act, 2005-51-Compensation-02-Other Compensations" [DPC:2070-00-800-CG-5123]

### **(iii) Penalty**

In the Government Letter No.16909/AR.III/2020-2, Human Resources Management Department, dated: 20.12.2021, the following head of account is opened for the recovery of penalty imposed on the Public Information Officer by the Tamil Nadu Information Commission, for their non-compliance of the provisions of the Right to Information Act, under Section 20(1).

"0070 Other Administrative Services-60-Other Services-119 Penalties for Deficiency in Public Services – AB Recovery of Penalty amount imposed on Public Information Officer – 229 Fines and Penalties – 99 others [IFHRMS DPC No: 0070-60-119-AB-22999]"

## **CHAPTER – 6**

### **6.1. Tamil Nadu Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) Rules, 2012**

In G.O.Ms.No.137, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR-III) Department, dated 03.09.2012, the Tamil Nadu Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) Rules, 2012, were notified. These Rules lay down the procedure to be followed for filing of second appeals by the Appellants in the Tamil Nadu Information Commission and also the procedure for deciding the appeals. The important provisions of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) Rules, 2012, are as follows:

#### ➤ **Contents of Appeal -**

(1) An appeal to the Commission shall contain the following particulars, namely:-

- (i) Name and address of the appellant;
  - (ii) Name and address of the Public Information Officer against the decision of whom the appeal is preferred;
  - (iii) Name and address of the Appellate Authority against the decision of whom the appeal is preferred;
  - (iv) Information sought in the petition under the Act;
  - (v) particulars of the order including number, if any, against which the appeal is preferred;
  - (vi) brief facts leading to the appeal;
  - (vii) prayer and grounds for such prayer;
  - (viii) if the appeal is preferred against deemed refusal, the particulars of the application, including number and date and name and address of the Public Information Officer / Appellate Authority to whom the application was made;
  - (ix) verification by the appellant; and
  - (x) any other Information which the commission may deem necessary for deciding the appeal;
- (2) The appeals shall be addressed only to the Tamil Nadu Information Commission and shall not be addressed to the names of the Chief Information Commissioner or the Information Commissioners.

➤ **Documents to accompany Appeal-**

Every appeal made to the Commission shall be accompanied by the following documents, namely:-

- (i) self-attested copies of the orders or documents against which the appeal is being preferred.
- (ii) copies of documents relied upon by the appellant and referred to in the appeal;
- (iii) copy of petition given to the Public Information Officer;
- (iv) copy of appeal given to the Appellate Authority;
- (v) copy of reply or information furnished by the Public Information Officer;
- (vi) copy of reply or information furnished by the Appellate Authority;
- (vii) in case of alleged incomplete or incorrect information, the details thereof;
- (viii) an index of the documents referred to in the appeal.

➤ **Procedure in deciding Appeal-**

(1) In deciding the appeal, the Commission may-

- (i) hear oral or written evidence on affidavit from concerned or interested person;
- (ii) peruse or inspect documents, public records or copies thereof;
- (iii) inquire through authorized officer further details or facts;
- (iv) hear Public Information Officer, Assistant Public Information Officer or such Senior Officer who decide the first appeal, or such person against whom the complaint is made, as the case may be;
- (v) hear third party;
- (vi) receive evidence on affidavits from Public Information Officer, Assistant Public Information Officer, such senior officer who decided the first appeal, such person against whom the complaint lies or the third party;
- (vii) issue orders or directions based on available documents or evidences without personal enquiry, if the Commission is satisfied about the adequacy of such material;

- (viii) initiate an inquiry if it is satisfied that there are reasonable grounds to inquire into the matter and issue orders;
  - (ix) conduct inquiry in the Head Quarters of the Commission or in the offices established at other places in the State with the previous approval of the State Government;
  - (x) conduct inquiry through video conference also.
- (2) In case the Commission decides to impose penalty, reasonable opportunity shall be given to Public Information Officer and Other Officers, including the time sought by them to defend their case in another date.

➤ **Service of Notice by Commission-**

Notice to be issued by the Commission may be served in any of the following modes, namely-

- (i) service by the party itself;
- (ii) by hand delivery through Process Server;
- (iii) by registered post with acknowledgement due; or
- (iv) through Head of Office or Department

➤ **Personal presence of the Appellant or Complainant-**

- (1) The appellant or the complainant, as the case may be, shall in every case be informed of the date of hearing at least seven clear days before that date.
- (2) The appellant or the complainant, as the case may be, shall be present in person at the time of hearing of the appeal or complaint by the Commission.
- (3) Where the circumstances exist due to which the appellant or the complainant, as the case may be, is being prevented from attending the hearing of the Commission, then, the Commission may afford the appellant or the complainant, as the case may be, another opportunity of being heard before a final decision is taken or take any other appropriate action as it may deem fit;

Provided the appellant or the complainant, as the case may be, should inform the Commission the reasons for not attending the hearing in writing or through any other mode of communication in advance before the hearing is taken up.

- (4) The appellant or the complainant, as the case may be, may seek the assistance of any person in the process of the appeal while presenting his points and the person representing him may not be a legal practitioner.

➤ **Personal presence of the Public Information Officer-**

- (1) The Public Information Officer or Assistant Public Information Officer or such Senior Officer who decided the first appeal, such person against whom the complaint lies, shall in every case, be informed of the date of hearing at least seven days before that date.
- (2) The Public Information Officer or Assistant Public Information Officer of such senior officer, who is summoned by the Commission, shall invariably be present in person. The Commission may at its discretion permit an authorized representative, but such a representative shall be an officer of sufficient seniority.
- (3) Where the Commission is satisfied that there are compelling circumstances such as, attending flood relief works, epidemic control measures and containing of law and order problem for the Public Information Officer or Assistant Public Information Officer or such Senior Officer or the other officials summoned for not attending the hearing of the Commission, the Commission may give another opportunity of being heard. The reason shall invariably be intimated to the Commission in advance, by the officials. Routine excuses shall not be entertained by the Commission.

➤ **Order of the Commission-**

Order of the Commission shall be in writing, duly authenticated by the Registrar or any other officer authorized by the Commission, for this purpose.

➤ **Limitation Period-**

The Commission shall not admit any complaint on the non-compliance of the order of the Commission by the Public Authority, unless it is filed by the appellant within a period of one year from the date of such order issued by the Commission.

## **CHAPTER – 7**

### **7.1.National Federation of Information Commissions in India (NFICI)**

The National Federation of Information Commissions in India was specially formed as a registered body on 01.09.2009, to facilitate co-ordination and mutual consultation among the Central Information Commission and the State Information Commissions constituted under the Right to Information Act, 2005. The Membership is open to all Information Commissions in India and they have to pay Rs.5.00 lakh towards Admission Fee and an Annual Membership fee of Rs.1.00 lakh. The Tamil Nadu Information Commission has enrolled as a member to the National Federation of Information Commissions in India during the year 2011. The Headquarters of the National Federation of Information Commissions in India is at New Delhi. The Tamil Nadu Information Commission has paid the Annual Membership fee of Rs.1.00 lakh to the National Federation of Information Commissions in India for 2022-2023

## **CHAPTER – 8**

### **8.1.Help Desk**

A Help Desk to help the Public, RTI Activists and Public Information Officers has been sanctioned in the premises of Tamil Nadu Information Commission with the funds received from the Government of India through Anna Institute of Management. The role of the Help Desk is to enlighten the Stake holders about the Act and also to clarify the matters relating to filing and processing of petitions under the Act. It also provides information regarding the status of Second Appeals in the Tamil Nadu Information Commission.

## **CHAPTER – 9**

### **9.1. District Camps conducted by State Information Commissioners for speedy disposal of Petitions under Right to Information Act, 2005.**

In view of speedy disposal of the Petitions received in the Commission by the Public, the State Information Commissioners are visiting various districts of State for conducting Inquiries in the District Head Quarters and

disposing the cases. It help the petitioners to avoid in spending the time and money towards coming to Tamil Nadu Information Commission for personal Inquires.



Inquiry with Petitioner during Theni District visit by State Information Commissioner Thiru.S.Selvaraj,M.A.,B.Ed.,

## **CHAPTER -10**

### **10.1.Preparation of Annual Report – 2022**

As per Section 25(1) of the Right to Information 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 Right to Information Act, 2005, each Ministry or Department shall, in relation to the public authorities within their jurisdiction collect and provide information to the State Information Commission, as is required to prepare the report. The Annual Report, 2022, has been prepared based on the particulars received from the Public Authorities on the implementation of Right to Information Act during the year 2022.

**10.2.Right to Information Petitions handled by the Public Authorities during 2022**

The particulars showing number of requests made to each Public Authority and amount of charges collected, disposal of Right to Information applications by the Public Information Officers and disposal of first appeals by the Appellate Authorities during the year 2022, number of requests rejected under various provisions of the Right to Information Act, are shown in the Annexure-I of this report. The total number of Right to Information applications handled by each Public Authority during the year 2022 are as follows:

<b>Sl.No.</b>	<b>Name of the Department / Commission</b>	<b>No. of RTI Petitions handled</b>
1.	Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department	1141
2.	Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare Department	3735
3.	Animal Husbandry, Dairying, Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare Department	2077
4.	Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department	3041
5.	Commercial Taxes and Registration Department	28,346
6.	Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection Department	9903
7.	Energy Department	8086
8.	Environment, Climate Change and Forest Department	3638
9.	Finance Department	4219
10.	Handlooms, Handicrafts, Textiles and Khadi Department	793
11.	Health and Family Welfare Department	14,420
12.	Higher Education Department	24,450
13.	Highways and Minor Ports Department	5814

14.	Home, Prohibition and Excise Department	67,159
15.	Housing and Urban Development Department	9018
16.	Human Resources Management Department	4564
17.	Industries, Investment Promotion and Commerce Department	2783
18.	Information Technology and Digital Services Department	306
19.	Labour Welfare and Skill Development Department	3979
20.	Law Department	859
21.	Legislative Assembly Secretariat	137
22.	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Department	560
23.	Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department	26,192
24.	Planning, Development and Special Initiatives Department	373
25.	Public Department	6543
26.	Public Works Department	1216
27.	Revenue and Disaster Management Department	1,63,083
28.	Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department	48760
29.	School Education Department	8941
30.	Social Reforms Department	9
31.	Social Welfare and Women Empowerment Department	985
32.	Special Programme Implementation Department	19
33.	Tamil Development and Information Department	537
34.	Tourism, Culture and Religious Endowments Department	7289
35.	Transport Department	8601

36.	Water Resources Department	5026
37.	Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Department	740
38.	Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department	189
39.	Tamil Nadu Vigilance Commission	37
40.	Tamil Nadu Information Commission	1742
	Total	4,79,310

The Public Authorities of this State have handled 4,79,310 Right to Information applications during the year 2022, which is 97,391 applications higher than that were handled during the year 2021.

**10.3. Disposal of First Appeals by the First Appellate Authorities**

During the year 2022, a total number of 51,413 first appeals were handled by the first Appellate Authorities, out of which 45,611 first appeals were disposed by providing information. The number of first appeals rejected was 1776 and the pending number of first appeals as on 31.12.2022 was 4026.

**10.4. Any Special effort taken in the Departments to promote spirit and intention of Right to Information Act [Section 25(3)(f)] – as reported by the Departments]**

Tamil Nadu Energy Development Agency (TEDA)	Petitions are being disposed off immediately, as and when they are received.
Electrical Inspectorate	Awareness among the officials and the general public were already made by conducting meetings. Required Information is also available in the website <a href="http://www.tnei.tn.gov.in">www.tnei.tn.gov.in</a> of the Department.
School Education Department	Periodical review meetings conducted by Public Information Officers.

Commissionerate of School Education	Periodical review meetings conducted by Public Information Officers.
Tamil Nadu Ex-Servicemen Corporation Ltd., (TEXCO)	Awareness meetings were organized from time to time for to update / promote the spirit and intention of Right to Information Act.
Planning Development and Special Initiatives Department	Details of Public Information Officer and appellate Authority is uploaded in the online Right to Information portal and processed through online.
Commercial Taxes Department, Chennai-5.	List of various schemes to the traders and eligibility criteria and relevant Government orders were uploaded in the Public domain of the Traders Welfare Board <a href="http://ctd.tn.gov.in">http://ctd.tn.gov.in</a> . utmost importance has been given to the Right to Information applications received, immediate action has been initiated to provide the information seeking in the application to fulfill the intention of the Right to Information Act.
National Cadet Corps (NCC)	Every effort is being made at all level to provide the information sought by the applicant within the minimum possible time. Details of petition received by Public Information Officers of the Department and details of its disposal are being watched by the Head of Departments by getting a monthly report from all Public Information Officers.
Directorate of Private Schools	Training programme was conducted to State and District level Officers and Staff on Right to Information Act, 2005.
Legislative Assembly Secretariat	Right to Information Act implemented in letter and spirit.
Industries Commissioner and Director of Industries and Commerce	Close follow up action is being taken up by getting monthly report from Public Information Officers
Tamil Nadu State Council for Higher Education	Details were uploaded in the website.

Madurai Kamaraj University	Four Assistant Public Information Officers have been nominated to implement the Right to Information Act effectively.
Bharathiar University	Special attention are taken for early disposal of the Right to Information petition.
Alagappa University	Staff are encouraged to initiate necessary action to send reply to the petitioner as per Right to Information Act by getting relevant information from the respective section.
Tamil Nadu Open University	Right to Information Act, 2005, details given in Tamil Nadu Open University website (www.tnou.ac.in) for students reference.
Anna University	Efforts are being taken to furnish the information with in the stipulated time as per the Act.
Department of Legal Studies	Right to Information Act, 2005, is being implemented by this department effectively and promptly.

**10.5.Recommendations for reform or improvement of the Act or any other law relevant to operationalising the right to access to information [Section 25(3)(g)]**

Tamil Nadu Small Industries Corporation Ltd	Existing Right to Information Provision are self sufficient to provide or to get information to the needs of public.
Directorate of Matriculation Schools	A manual may be published to update the knowledge on the Right to Information Act, 2005. A Report Book containing all the orders issued by the State Information Commission may be published at least once in a year. Making Right to Information mandatory in the School Curriculum.
Commercial Taxes Department	The Second appeal Preliminary notice received from the Tamil Nadu State Information Commission has not enclosed the appellants Second Appeal Petition. If the Second Appeal petition is enclosed with

	<p>the Preliminary Notice, it will be useful to furnish the appropriate information to the appellant, as per the grounds raised in the Second appeal petition. Hence, the Tamil Nadu State Information Commission is requested to enclose all the annexures received from the appellant with the preliminary notice for furnishing the information to the appellant with in the stipulated time limit. Yearly training programme to update the judgement and ruling under the Right to Information Act shall be given the Public Information Officer by the Information Commission at least one day session.</p>
Bharathiar University	<p>Limitations can be brought for the extracting information under one single RTI application</p>
Tamil Nadu Teachers Education Society	<p>Unnecessary RTI application to avoid, it is requested that the application fees be increased to a minimum of Rs.50/-</p>
Anna University	<p>Periodical Training programme may be conducted by the Government to the PIOs/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 raised by some petitioners. Amendment may be made to restrict number of queries raised in a single petition.</p>
Directorate of Boilers	<p>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>

## **CHAPTER – 11**

### **11.1.Performance of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission**

This chapter presents an account of the performance of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission in disposal of Second Appeals / Complaints under the Right to Information Act, 2005 during the year 2022.

### **11.2.Disposal of Second Appeals during the year 2022**

1.	No. of Second Appeals pending as on 31.12.2021	21,657
2.	No. of Second Appeals received during the year 2022	23,201
3.	Total No. of Second Appeals for disposal in 2022 (Sl.No.1 + Sl.No.2)	44,858
4.	No. of Second Appeals disposed during the year 2022	12,530

### **11.3.Disposal of Complaint Petitions during the year 2022**

1.	No. of Complaint Petitions pending as on 31.12.2021	3236
2.	No. of Complaint Petitions received during the year 2022	4666
3.	Total No. of Complaint Petitions for disposal during the year 2022(Sl.No.1 + Sl.No.2)	7902
4.	No. of Complaint Petitions disposed during the year 2022	949

### **11.4.Award of compensation:**

The Commission by invoking Section 19(8)(b) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 has ordered awarding of compensation to the RTI petitioners by the Public Authorities as follows:

Sl. No.	Public Authority	No. of Cases	Compensation Awarded (in Rs.)
1.	Agriculture Department	2	10,000
2.	Municipal Administration and Water supply Department	5	50,000
3.	Cooperation, Food and Consumer Protection Department	9	38,000

4.	Social Welfare and Women Empowerment Department	1	25,000
5.	Labour Welfare and Skill Development Department	1	50,000
6.	Environment, Climate Change and Forest Department	1	10,000
7.	Revenue and Disaster Management Department	33	1,25,000
8.	Health and Family Welfare Department	8	24,000
TOTAL		60	3,32,000

**11.5.Imposition of Penalties and Disciplinary Action Recommended:**

During the year 2022, the Commission has imposed penalties under Section 20(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, on the Public Information Officers of the Department mentioned below:

Sl. No	Public Authority	No. of Public Information Officers	Amount of Penalty Imposed (in Rs)
1	Labour Welfare and Skill Development Department	1	25,000
Total		1	25,000

By invoking Section 20(2) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the Tamil Nadu Information Commission has recommended to initiate disciplinary action against the Public Information Officers belonging to the following Public Authorities:-

Sl.No	Public Authority	No. of PIOs
1.	Municipal Administration and Water supply Department	3
2.	Cooperation, Food and Consumer Protection Department	3
3.	Social Welfare and Women Empowerment Department	1
Total		7

## **CHAPTER – 12**

### **12.1.Recommendations of the Commission**

The Tamil Nadu Information Commission suggest the following recommendations to the Government under Section 25(5) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, for the effective functioning of the Commission.

1. 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 such information to the State Information Commission, as is required to prepare the report under this section and comply with the requirements concerning the furnishing of that information and keeping of records for the purposes of this section. Most of the public authorities are sending their reports belatedly which in turn hampers the preparation of the Annual Report in time by the Commission thereby resulting in delay in placing the Annual Report before the Assembly. It is, therefore, recommended that suitable instructions be issued by the Government that all the public authorities should fulfill their obligations laid under Section 25(2) of the RTI Act, 2005.
2. The petitions received under the categories of Second Appeal, Non Compliance and Complaints by the Tamil Nadu Information Commission are increasing every year. The present staff strength which was sanctioned at the time of formation of the Commission, is not sufficient with the work now handled by the Commission. Hence, it is necessary to increase the staff strength of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission.
3. Most of the Public Information Officers and First Appellate Authorities are not furnishing the information within the time frame as per the provisions of the Right to Information Act, 2005. Due to the failure on the part of Public Information Officers and First Appellate Authorities resulted in increasing the number of Second Appeal Petitions in the Tamil Nadu Information Commission. Hence, necessary training / Instructions have to be given to the Public Information Officers and First Appellate Authorities for strict adherence of the provisions of the Right to Information Act,

2005, so as to enable them to handle the RTI Petitions within the time limit.

4. As and when, the important Government Orders, Government letters, Circulars, Memorandums and Instructions issued by the Government Departments, the same shall be uploaded in their respective websites in Government portal which will be helpful to the public as well as Government officials for future reference.

**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 2022	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 31/12/22	Fees / Charges received (in Rs)	No of First Appellate Authorities	Previous pendency of First Appeals	First Appeals received in 2022	Total	First Appeals disposed by giving information	First Appeals rejected	First Appeals pending as on 31/12/22	
Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department, Secretariat	8	0	451	451	296	154	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	18	18	0	0	0
Directorate of Adi Dravidar Welfare	4	0	472	472	0	472	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	82	82	0	0	0
Directorate of Tribal Welfare	8	0	122	122	17	105	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Adi Dravidar Housing and Development Corporation (TAHDCO)	48	0	84	84	14	68	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	48	0	7	7	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Commission for SC / ST	1	0	12	12	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1141</b>	<b>1141</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department, Secretariat	11	0	205	205	173	26	1	0	0	0	5	0	2662	5	0	0	13	13	8	5	0
Directorate of Agriculture	26	113	1836	1949	348	1472	1	0	0	0	28	100	19240	37	16	272	288	252	10	26	26
Directorate of Horticulture and Plantation Crops	41	22	591	613	50	526	3	0	0	0	19	15	15761	39	10	85	95	84	4	7	7
Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business	262	1	407	408	25	352	5	0	0	0	21	5	1050	95	0	71	71	64	5	2	2
Tamil Nadu State Agri Marketing Board	4	0	16	16	3	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	0

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Directorate of Seed Certification and Organic Certification		1	0	13	13	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Agricultural Engineering		152	13	324	337	22	297	10	0	0	0	0	8	2650	143	0	29	29	29	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Agricultural University		2	7	133	140	2	70	13	0	2	0	41	12	1000	1	0	21	21	19	1	1	1
Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency		1	0	10	10	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissioner of Sugar		1	0	44	44	6	30	0	0	0	0	8	0	1038	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>501</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>3579</b>	<b>3735</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>2809</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>43651</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>461</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>36</b>
Animal Husbandry, Dairying, Fisheries & Fishermen Welfare Department, Secretariat		6	0	199	199	160	33	0	0	0	0	6	0	2240	4	0	21	21	19	2	2	0
Directorate of Milk Production and Dairy Development		30	7	335	342	45	268	9	0	1	0	18	1	2150	30	2	41	43	32	3	3	8
Tamil Nadu Co-operative Milk Producers Federation		11	0	104	104	32	32	2	0	0	0	0	38	792	11	0	19	19	19	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University		1	5	104	109	1	94	1	0	0	0	0	13	940	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
Director of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services		33	0	590	590	38	516	36	0	0	0	0	0	2133	1	0	31	31	31	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Livestock Development Agency		1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	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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Commissionerate of Fisheries & Fishermen Welfare	56	0	671	671	140	519	4	0	1	0	7	0	35459	12	0	56	56	56	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Dr.J.Jayalalitha Fisheries University	1	0	36	36	0	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	360	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Fisheries Development Corporation	1	0	12	12	2	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Apex Fisheries Co-operative Federation	1	0	11	11	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	110	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2065</b>	<b>2077</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>1521</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>44274</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>
Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department, Secretariat	5	0	419	419	212	207	0	0	0	0	0	0	764	1	0	19	19	17	2	0	0
Directorate of Backward Classes Welfare	39	0	699	699	59	636	0	0	0	0	4	0	460	39	0	42	42	35	7	0	0
Directorate of Most Backward Classes & Denotified Communities	2	0	114	114	0	114	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Minorities Welfare	1	22	51	73	15	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	3	2	1	0	0
Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission	1	0	111	111	12	93	0	0	0	0	6	0	260	1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0

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Tamil Nadu State Minorities Commission		1	0	14	14	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	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	150	1	0	4	4	4	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Minorities Economic Development Corporation		1	0	6	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Waqf Board		1	15	1534	1549	126	1382	7	0	0	0	34	0	2542	1	3	198	201	192	0	0	9
Tamilnadu Vanniyakula Kshatriya Charitable Trust and Endowments Board		1	0	21	21	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Hajj Committee		1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denotified Communities Welfare Board		1	0	4	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>55</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>3004</b>	<b>3041</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>2531</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4176</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>	
Commercial Taxes and Registration Department, Secretariat		13	7	1054	1061	908	124	3	0	0	0	12	14	10952	4	3	267	270	265	2	3	
Commissionerate of Commercial Taxes		448	24	625	649	80	467	31	0	4	0	40	27	10183	74	4	102	106	92	7	7	
Registration Department		732	202	26417	26619	3248	23063	12	0	0	5	17	274	384572	78	19	3234	3253	3212	5	36	

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Tamil Nadu Sales Tax Appellate Tribunal	17	0	17	17	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	170	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1210</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>28113</b>	<b>28346</b>	<b>4236</b>	<b>23671</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>405877</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>3603</b>	<b>3629</b>	<b>3569</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>46</b>	
Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Secretariat	8	0	727	727	632	87	1	0	0	0	7	0	96	3	0	61	61	53	8	0	
Registrar of Co-operative Societies	633	125	7069	7194	2474	4467	23	0	3	2	87	138	2580	64	29	1084	1113	1061	8	44	
Commissioner of Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection	23	0	605	605	267	329	1	0	0	1	7	0	2135	22	0	86	86	86	0	0	
Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation	55	39	1099	1138	96	877	31	0	7	0	21	106	2808	40	7	132	139	118	1	20	
Tamil Nadu Warehousing Corporation	1	1	18	19	0	18	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	
State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission	32	0	206	206	11	195	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	24	24	24	0	0	
Tamil Nadu State Cooperative Societies Election Commission	1	0	14	14	4	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>753</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>9738</b>	<b>9903</b>	<b>3484</b>	<b>5983</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>7619</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1389</b>	<b>1425</b>	<b>1344</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>64</b>	
Energy Department, Secretariat	6	0	518	518	483	34	0	0	0	0	1	0	5180	3	0	97	97	97	0	0	

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Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Limited		275	89	7118	7207	508	6490	18	0	6	11	66	108	59621	85	80	1202	1282	1107	57	118	
Tamil Nadu Energy Development Agency		1	0	46	46	22	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	120	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Electrical Inspectorate		25	12	132	144	0	137	0	0	0	0	0	7	1340	1	1	18	19	18	1	0	0
Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission		1	0	146	146	27	119	0	0	0	0	0	0	1286	1	0	12	12	12	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Power Finance and Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited		1	0	25	25	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>309</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>7985</b>	<b>8086</b>	<b>1040</b>	<b>6829</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>67547</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>1329</b>	<b>1410</b>	<b>1234</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>118</b>	
Environment , Forest and Climate Change, Secretariat		7	0	320	320	269	38	4	0	0	0	9	0	230	4	0	36	36	36	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Forest Department		1	129	373	502	151	237	0	0	0	0	16	98	3570	1	12	71	83	77	0	6	6
Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board		74	0	2621	2621	10	2607	0	0	0	0	0	4	108404	1	0	338	338	338	0	0	0
Directorate of Environment and Climate Change		1	0	68	68	0	66	0	0	0	0	0	2	7826	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Forest Plantation Corporation Limited		7	0	31	31	20	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	310	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Arasu Rubber Corporation Limited	1	2	34	36	0	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	290	1	0	8	8	7	0	1
The Tamil Nadu Tea Plantation Corporation Ltd	1	0	52	52	1	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	674	1	0	4	4	4	0	0
Tamil Nadu Bio-Diversity Board	1	0	8	8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>3507</b>	<b>3638</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>3052</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>121404</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>472</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	
Finance Department, Secretariat	1	3	1392	1395	424	947	0	0	0	0	22	2	20022	1	0	116	116	114	2	0	0
Commissionerate of Treasuries and Accounts	54	29	1832	1861	175	1593	0	0	0	0	27	66	18320	13	0	204	204	170	19	15	
Co-operative Audit Department	41	8	136	144	8	125	0	0	0	0	4	7	4556	8	0	18	18	10	7	1	
Commissionerate of Small Savings	16	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Directorate of Local Fund Audit	69	28	516	544	6	482	0	0	0	0	0	56	4640	9	2	51	53	52	0	1	
State Government Audit	38	3	26	29	1	26	0	0	0	0	1	1	296	1	0	10	10	9	0	1	
Commissionerate of Government Data Centre	1	0	59	59	6	50	0	0	0	0	0	3	590	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	
Directorate of Pension	1	0	131	131	48	62	0	0	0	0	21	0	1992	1	0	19	19	13	6	0	
Directorate of Audit for Milk Cooperative	6	0	14	14	2	11	0	0	0	0	1	0	1458	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	

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Hindu Religious Institutions Audit Department		30	2	35	37	7	27	0	1	0	0	0	2	10	1	0	4	4	4	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>257</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>4146</b>	<b>4219</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>3328</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>51884</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>428</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>18</b>	
Handlooms, Handicrafts, Textiles and Khadi Department, Secretariat		3	0	74	74	63	9	0	0	1	0	1	0	700	1	0	8	8	4	4	0	0
Commissioner of Handlooms		30	2	367	369	62	288	5	0	0	0	4	10	2971	30	0	66	66	49	9	8	8
Commissioner of Textiles		13	1	135	136	10	111	0	0	0	0	12	3	870	13	0	24	24	24	0	0	0
Directorate of Sericulture		40	2	82	84	3	73	3	1	1	0	3	0	2402	34	3	22	25	23	1	1	1
Tamil Nadu Handicrafts Development Corporation		1	0	13	13	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Co-optex		12	0	66	66	0	66	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Khadi Village Industries Board		8	0	38	38	0	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	108	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Palm Product Development Board		1	0	13	13	4	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	1	0	4	4	4	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>108</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>788</b>	<b>793</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>7151</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>	
Health and Family Welfare Department, Secretariat		31	0	1467	1467	1185	240	21	0	0	0	21	0	2016	07	0	131	131	123	8	0	0
Directorate of Medical Education		80	115	3847	3962	174	3249	156	40	14	0	122	207	16266	92	06	228	234	176	58	0	0

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Directorate of Medical and Rural Health Services	336	140	4058	4198	1359	2529	25	15	13	0	172	85	18020	129	32	311	343	293	8	42	
Directorate of Public Health and Preventive Medicine	46	50	2395	2445	621	1464	25	2	2	0	8	323	730	46	10	105	115	93	4	18	
Directorate of Medical and Rural Health Services (ESI)	237	0	119	119	19	93	7	0	0	0	0	0	810	7	0	7	7	7	0	0	
Directorate of Family Welfare	5	0	29	29	14	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	110	2	0	4	4	4	0	0	
Directorate of Indian Medicine and Homeopathy	32	0	291	291	14	271	6	0	0	0	0	0	2910	32	0	27	27	27	0	0	
Commissionerate of Food Safety and Drug Administration	39	30	995	1025	131	851	12	09	02	01	0	19	0	1	0	27	27	26	0	1	
Tamil Nadu Medical Services Corporation Limited	1	4	99	103	3	97	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	
Tamil Nadu Health Systems Project	3	0	85	85	84	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	530	1	0	16	16	16	0	0	
Tamil Nadu State Health Transport Department	8	2	15	17	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	296	1	0	6	6	6	0	0	
Directorate of Drugs Control	28	10	372	382	44	334	0	0	0	0	0	4	2340	28	0	19	19	19	0	0	
Medical Service Recruitment Board (MRB)	1	0	160	160	18	142	0	0	0	0	0	0	1265	1	0	17	17	17	0	0	
National Health Mission	1	0	72	72	29	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	

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Tamil Nadu AIDS Control Society	1	0	37	37	0	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	370	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Blindness Control Society	1	0	18	18	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	134	1	0	5	5	5	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Medical Plant Corporation Limited	1	0	10	10	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>851</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>14069</b>	<b>14420</b>	<b>3695</b>	<b>9411</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>638</b>	<b>45797</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>909</b>	<b>957</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>61</b>	
Higher Education Department, Secretariat	5	0	881	881	567	287	0	0	0	0	27	0	11278	3	0	86	86	83	3	0	0
Directorate of Technical Education	1	0	639	639	52	540	3	0	0	0	42	2	6252	1	0	126	126	126	0	0	0
Directorate of Collegiate Education	179	0	1632	1632	28	1582	0	0	0	0	12	10	8265	10	0	21	21	21	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Archives and Historical Research	11	0	13535	13535	1848	11687	0	0	0	0	0	0	45756	1	4	409	413	409	0	4	0
Tamil Nadu Science and Technology Centre	4	0	7	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Science City	1	0	4	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Council for Science and Technology	1	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Council for Higher Education	1	0	124	124	7	117	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0

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Tamil Nadu State Council for Technical Education		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
University of Madras		3	18	572	590	11	546	7	0	1	0	4	21	4117	1	6	49	55	50	0	0	5
Madurai Kamaraj University		1	2698	673	3371	20	318	0	0	0	0	14	3019	8960	1	267	128	395	86	0	0	309
Bharathiar University		57	0	210	210	78	132	0	0	0	0	0	0	1320	4	0	4	4	4	0	0	0
Bharathidasan University		1	25	226	251	6	205	0	0	0	0	2	38	1932	1	18	30	48	27	0	0	21
Manonmaniam Sundaranar University		1	32	350	382	0	318	0	0	0	0	21	43	3500	1	4	39	43	35	0	0	8
Periyar University		1	364	443	807	13	462	31	0	0	0	0	301	2680	1	35	166	201	181	13	7	7
Thiruvalluvar University		1	37	76	113	0	39	0	0	0	0	0	74	0	4	0	4	4	0	0	0	4
Mother Teresa Women's University		1	6	111	117	0	113	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	2	2	4	4	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Open University		1	0	116	116	0	116	0	0	0	0	0	0	1160	1	0	4	4	4	0	0	0
Anna University		1	188	630	818	30	495	2	0	0	0	58	233	16821	1	77	115	192	94	0	0	98
Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University		3	0	70	70	1	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	700	1	0	4	4	3	1	0	0
Annamalai University		3	0	617	617	7	568	35	0	0	0	0	7	1610	3	0	46	46	46	0	0	0
Alagappa University		1	0	164	164	0	155	6	0	0	0	3	0	1120	1	0	17	17	15	2	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>279</b>	<b>3368</b>	<b>21082</b>	<b>24450</b>	<b>2668</b>	<b>17762</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>3752</b>	<b>115481</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>1252</b>	<b>1665</b>	<b>1190</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>456</b>

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Highways and Minor Ports Department, Secretariat		5	0	493	493	418	63	1	1	0	0	10	0	2658	2	0	57	57	57	0	0
Directorate of Highways		160	65	5168	5233	1215	3893	36	3	3	0	22	61	43938	50	4	371	375	354	12	9
Tamil Nadu Maritime Board		1	0	12	12	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poompuhar Shipping Corporation		2	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Road Development Company Ltd.		1	3	57	60	10	44	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	5	5	5	0	0
Tamil Nadu Road Infrastructure Development Corporation		2	0	13	13	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>171</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>5746</b>	<b>5814</b>	<b>1647</b>	<b>4024</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>46696</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>9</b>
Home Prohibition and Excise Department, Secretariat		50	0	1661	1661	1321	317	5	0	0	6	12	0	17138	50	0	175	175	172	3	0
Home Department Prohibition and Excise Wing		14	0	134	134	109	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	1340	4	0	24	24	24	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Marketing Corporation		44	38	2388	2426	16	2225	4	0	0	0	8	173	17841	6	0	416	416	404	8	4
Commissionerate of Prohibition and Excise		5	0	74	74	29	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	390	5	0	5	5	5	0	0
State Advisory Board		1	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Police Department		149	1543	48412	49955	2952	41557	1294	6	253	516	1160	2217	512714	97	290	5890	6180	5237	746	197

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Tamil Nadu Police Housing Corporation	9	7	34	41	0	38	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	4	4	0	4	4	4	0	0
Tamil Nadu Uniform Services Recruitment Board	1	8	357	365	47	292	9	0	0	0	14	3	452	1	0	29	29	29	0	0	0
Prisons Department	28	18	1900	1918	568	1201	76	6	16	9	9	33	16728	7	0	89	89	89	88	1	0
Transport Commissionerate	159	49	6877	6926	556	6215	32	0	5	0	6	112	37554	159	1	298	299	251	4	44	44
Principal Seat of High Court of Madras Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai	2	90	2243	2333	522	1733	0	0	0	0	0	78	19849	1	56	709	765	706	0	0	59
Government Litigations	14	4	23	27	3	13	0	0	0	0	0	11	160	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Prosecution	28	1	93	94	9	83	0	0	0	0	0	2	630	1	0	15	15	12	0	0	3
Fire and Rescue Services Department	45	68	1037	1105	64	567	0	0	0	0	0	474	7147	40	4	53	57	57	0	0	0
Forensic Sciences Department	11	2	93	95	0	83	0	0	0	0	12	0	655	1	2	13	15	15	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>1828</b>	<b>65331</b>	<b>67159</b>	<b>6196</b>	<b>54399</b>	<b>1420</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>1221</b>	<b>3106</b>	<b>632598</b>	<b>377</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>7720</b>	<b>8073</b>	<b>7004</b>	<b>762</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>307</b>
Human Resources Management Department, Secretariat	16	8	1733	1741	457	1241	1	0	0	0	42	0	12491	8	0	142	142	141	1	0	0
Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission	28	0	2228	2228	81	2125	10	0	0	0	12	0	74521	6	0	123	123	109	14	0	0

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Directorate of Vigilance and Anti-Corruption		1	36	516	552	12	472	43	0	0	0	0	25	4953	1	5	88	93	79	7	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	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Madurai		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Coimbatore		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Tirunelveli		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Nagarcoil		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Lokayukta		1	0	9	9	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Director General of Training		1	0	5	5	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	20	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
A & B wing foundational course Training Institute		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
All India Civil Services Coaching Centre		1	0	4	4	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Civil Service Training Institute, Bhavanisagar		1	0	18	18	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	180	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Anna Administrative Staff College		1	0	7	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	2	2	1	1	0

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Competitive Examination Coaching Centre	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>4520</b>	<b>4564</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>3878</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>92225</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>7</b>	
Housing and Urban Development Department, Secretariat	7	0	502	502	370	132	0	0	0	0	0	0	4781	5	0	20	20	20	0	0	
Directorate of Town and Country Planning	49	50	3071	3121	335	2786	0	0	0	0	0	0	73838	49	19	274	293	288	0	5	
Chennai Metropolitan Development Authority	22	65	1972	2037	59	1978	0	0	0	0	0	0	57520	0	4	249	253	248	0	5	
Registrar of Co-operative Societies (Housing)	12	7	405	412	153	236	13	0	1	0	2	7	4154	12	0	51	51	48	3	0	
Tamil Nadu Urban Habitat Development Board	57	20	747	767	16	557	0	0	0	0	0	194	7430	34	9	140	149	70	0	79	
Tamil Nadu Housing Board	32	10	2169	2179	36	1919	38	0	0	0	0	186	7652	32	8	309	317	317	0	0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>8866</b>	<b>9018</b>	<b>969</b>	<b>7608</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>155375</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>1043</b>	<b>1083</b>	<b>991</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>89</b>	
Industries, Investment Promotion and Commerce Department, Secretariat	12	0	201	201	141	49	7	0	0	0	4	0	40	14	0	13	13	10	3	0	
State Industries Promotion Corporation of Tamil Nadu	1	4	572	576	41	503	0	0	0	0	22	10	5500	1	0	17	17	16	0	1	
Tamil Nadu Industrial Development Corporation	2	0	50	50	2	41	7	0	0	0	0	0	606	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	

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Tamil Nadu Industrial Investment Corporation Ltd.,		1	9	89	98	1	93	0	0	0	0	0	4	202	1	0	12	12	12	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Salt Corporation Ltd.,		1	0	7	7	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Newsprint and Papers Ltd.,		3	2	34	36	0	30	1	0	0	0	4	1	210	3	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Cements Corporation, Ltd.,		10	0	50	50	0	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	8	8	0	0	8	0
Tamil Nadu Industrial Explosives Ltd.,		1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Magnesite Limited		1	0	10	10	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Minerals Ltd.,		1	0	13	13	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Directorate of Geology and Mining		47	71	1670	1741	105	1428	15	11	6	0	26	150	209872	1	5	216	221	164	44	13	13
<b>Total</b>		<b>80</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>2697</b>	<b>2783</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>2224</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>216530</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>
Information Technology and Digital Services Department, Secretariat		2	0	94	94	55	33	1	0	0	0	5	0	768	1	0	10	10	9	1	0	0
Electronics Corporation of Tamil Nadu Ltd.,		1	0	61	61	3	56	0	2	0	0	0	0	610	2	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
e-Governance		1	0	78	78	19	59	0	0	0	0	0	0	780	1	0	5	5	5	0	0	0
Tamil Virtual Academy		1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



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Tamil Nadu Dr.Ambedkar Law University, Chennai		1	16	163	179	10	152	0	0	0	0	0	17	1640	1	0	18	18	17	0	1
Tamil Nadu National Law School, Tiruchirappalli		1	0	22	22	0	10	0	0	0	0	12	0	90	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
State Law Commission		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Official Language (Legislative) Commission		1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	10	1	0	1	1	0	1	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>21</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>843</b>	<b>859</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>5240</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>
Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Department, Secretariat		3	0	75	75	40	34	0	0	1	0	0	0	748	2	0	7	7	7	0	0
Commissionerate of Industries and Commerce		51	21	323	344	46	248	9	0	0	0	28	13	4744	48	1	68	69	47	21	1
Tamil Nadu Small Industries Development Corporation Limited		5	0	128	128	0	124	1	0	0	0	2	1	1302	1	0	5	5	5	0	0
Tamil Nadu Small Industries Corporation Limited		1	0	7	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute		1	0	6	6	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>61</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>539</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6904</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1</b>

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Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department, Secretariat		8	1	1337	1338	1220	108	8	0	1	0	1	0	7000	9	0	125	125	124	0	1
Greater Chennai Corporation		93	336	6340	6676	1135	5112	19	1	2	0	52	355	5710	47	58	911	969	864	13	92
Directorate of Municipal Administration		7	0	1384	1384	1226	158	0	0	0	0	0	0	5150	1	0	144	144	144	0	0
Directorate of Town Panchayats		508	14	15529	15543	1132	14383	14	0	1	0	2	11	7485	18	6	1418	1424	1409	10	5
Tamil Nadu Water Supply and Drainage Board		32	0	365	365	3	362	0	0	0	0	0	0	3184	32	0	13	13	13	0	0
Chennai Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage Board		43	8	878	886	34	839	4	0	0	0	4	5	9028	21	1	120	121	121	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>691</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>25833</b>	<b>26192</b>	<b>4750</b>	<b>20962</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>37557</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>2731</b>	<b>2796</b>	<b>2675</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>98</b>
Planning, Development and Special Initiatives Department, Secretariat		1	0	86	86	75	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	110	1	0	3	3	3	0	0
State Planning Commission		1	0	4	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Department of Economics and Statistics		1	0	79	79	12	64	2	0	0	0	0	1	660	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Directorate of Evaluation and Applied Research		1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Special Area Development and Programme		1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Planning, Development and Special Initiatives (SI) Department		1	0	11	11	8	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	442	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chennai Metro Rail Ltd.		1	0	190	190	11	146	33	0	0	0	0	0	2044	1	0	16	16	16	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3296</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Public Department, Secretariat		17	0	5238	5238	3936	662	0	11	0	10	618	1	37766	9	0	469	469	452	17	0	0
Governor's Secretariat		1	0	316	316	120	196	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	58	58	58	0	0	0
Governor's House Hold Office		1	0	36	36	0	35	0	0	0	0	0	1	2580	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
State Human Rights Commission		1	0	691	691	23	638	0	0	0	0	0	30	4221	1	0	110	110	108	0	0	2
State Guest House, Chepauk		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu House, New Delhi		1	0	7	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamizhagam Guest House, Udhagamandalam		1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Ex-Servicemen Corporation		1	0	31	31	0	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	300	4	0	4	4	4	0	0	0
Directorate of Ex-servicemen's Welfare		31	1	183	184	13	170	0	0	0	0	0	1	3160	31	0	21	21	21	0	0	0

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Commissionerate of Rehabilitation	3	0	35	35	0	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	350	1	0	3	3	3	0	0
Overseas Manpower Corporation Limited	1	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6542</b>	<b>6543</b>	<b>4092</b>	<b>1779</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>48397</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>668</b>	<b>668</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2</b>	
Public Works Department, Secretariat	7	0	69	69	45	21	3	0	0	0	0	0	690	2	0	10	10	10	0	0	
Engineer- in-Chief & Chief Engineer (General)	1	6	217	223	85	112	1	0	0	0	1	24	1330	1	0	24	24	24	0	0	
Chief Engineer, PWD, Chennai Region	40	8	304	312	11	278	0	0	0	0	0	23	3575	7	0	15	15	9	0	6	
Chief Engineer, PWD, Trichy Region	15	0	135	135	13	121	0	0	0	0	1	0	880	11	0	4	4	4	0	0	
Chief Engineer, PWD, Coimbatore Region	14	6	146	152	14	135	1	0	0	0	0	2	430	11	0	4	4	4	0	0	
Chief Engineer, PWD, Madurai Region	39	2	289	291	45	239	1	0	0	0	0	6	4302	21	0	20	20	20	0	0	
SE (P&D) Circle, PWD	4	0	20	20	6	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Architect, PWD	1	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Quality Control, PWD	3	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Directorate of Boilers, PWD	10	0	10	10	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>1194</b>	<b>1216</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>934</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>11267</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	

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Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Secretariat	13	0	3274	3274	2940	302	0	0	0	0	32	0	353	7	0	396	396	380	16	0
Commissionerate of Revenue Administration, Disaster Management and Mitigation	777	3723	144543	148266	45973	95596	581	66	157	61	1781	4051	1359391	460	419	15147	15566	13810	250	1506
Commissionerate of Land Administration	8	5	1100	1105	773	314	1	0	0	0	17	0	16564	5	0	67	67	62	5	0
Commissionerate of Land Reforms	2	18	394	412	65	321	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	1	0	20	20	20	0	0
Commissionerate of Survey and Settlement	119	154	9453	9607	5158	4247	0	0	0	0	37	165	374565	45	76	1455	1531	1425	28	78
Commissionerate of Urban Land Ceiling and Urban Land Tax	8	9	410	419	38	372	0	0	0	0	3	6	7352	1	1	35	36	36	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>927</b>	<b>3909</b>	<b>159174</b>	<b>163083</b>	<b>54947</b>	<b>101152</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>1896</b>	<b>4222</b>	<b>1758225</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>17120</b>	<b>17616</b>	<b>15733</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>1584</b>
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Secretariat	9	0	1975	1975	1841	115	2	0	0	0	17	0	16350	4	0	365	365	355	10	0
Directorate of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj	1136	3293	42640	45933	5691	32142	65	4	2	0	108	7921	648124	1020	430	3940	4370	3386	166	818
Tamil Nadu Corporation for	39	13	475	488	82	389	3	3	0	0	0	11	1848	39	0	78	78	74	2	2

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Development of Women Ltd.,																						
Tamil Nadu Vaazhndhu Kattuvoor Project		1	0	4	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Coastal Sustainable Livelihood Society		0	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	357	357	218	139	0	0	0	0	0	0	3786	1	0	26	26	26	0	0	0
State Institute of Rural Development		1	0	3	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>1187</b>	<b>3306</b>	<b>45454</b>	<b>48760</b>	<b>7833</b>	<b>32791</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>7932</b>	<b>670108</b>	<b>1065</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>4410</b>	<b>4840</b>	<b>3842</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>820</b>	
School Education Department, Secretariat		6	0	1716	1716	1312	330	0	0	0	42	32	0	17562	4	0	201	201	201	0	0	0
Commissionerate of School Education		1	0	2934	2934	720	2210	4	0	0	0	0	0	29340	1	0	89	89	89	0	0	0
Directorate of Elementary Education		1	0	1063	1063	393	670	0	0	0	0	0	0	10630	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Private Schools		1	0	304	304	139	165	0	0	0	0	0	0	3040	1	0	9	9	9	0	0	0
Directorate of Non formal & Adult Education		1	0	7	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Council of Educational Research and Training		33	0	123	123	24	83	3	0	0	7	6	0	0	33	0	7	7	7	0	0	0
Directorate of Government Examinations		9	0	385	385	21	364	0	0	0	0	0	0	5814	2	0	47	47	47	0	0	0

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Directorate of Public Libraries		35	0	833	833	0	833	0	0	0	0	0	0	9794	35	0	69	69	69	0	0
Tamil Nadu Text Book and Educational Services Corporation	1	0	13	13	13	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Teachers Recruitment Board	11	400	993	1393	1393	22	711	0	0	0	0	0	660	9130	4	71	52	123	54	0	69
State Project Directorate of Samagra Shiksha Abhiyan	38	8	162	170	170	14	140	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	38	0	20	20	20	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>8533</b>	<b>8941</b>	<b>8941</b>	<b>2645</b>	<b>5526</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>85310</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>494</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>69</b>
Social Reforms Department, Secretariat	2	0	4	4	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Social Justice Monitoring Committee	1	0	5	5	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Social Welfare and Women Empowerment Department, Secretariat	3	0	405	405	405	324	80	0	0	0	0	1	0	2054	2	1	21	22	22	0	0
Directorate of Social Welfare	39	12	392	404	404	48	334	0	2	0	0	0	20	1520	38	0	17	17	17	0	0
Directorate of Social Defence	17	0	40	40	40	0	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	630	17	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Integrated Child Development Services	1	0	136	136	136	5	131	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>985</b>	<b>985</b>	<b>377</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>4254</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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<b>Special Programme Implementation Department, Secretariat, Total</b>		1	0	19	19	10	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Tamil Development and Information Department, Secretariat		4	0	52	52	45	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Tamil Development		36	0	44	44	0	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil University, Thanjavur		1	2	64	66	1	58	4	0	0	0	0	3	470	1	0	6	6	4	2	0
International Institute of Tamil Studies Taramani.		1	0	10	10	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	1	0	2	2	2	0	0
Ulaga Tamil Sangam, Madurai		1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Tamil Etymological Dictionary Project		1	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	320	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Information and Public Relations		1	1	154	155	6	116	4	0	0	0	21	8	1714	1	3	15	18	15	0	3
Directorate of Stationery and Printing		9	3	201	204	31	154	7	0	1	0	1	10	2020	9	0	14	14	14	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>54</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>5754</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
Tourism, Culture and Religious Endowments Department, Secretariat		6	0	432	432	372	58	1	1	0	0	0	0	4079	3	0	52	52	52	0	0

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Directorate of Museums		1	0	6	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Art and Culture		16	0	96	96	9	85	0	0	0	0	0	2	90	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Archaeology		19	0	47	47	3	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	610	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Tourism		30	0	32	32	0	30	2	0	0	0	0	0	316	4	0	4	4	4	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments		106	98	6540	6638	1060	5316	46	0	0	0	14	202	11371	66	19	963	982	853	58	71	71
Tamil Nadu Tourism Development Corporation		5	2	36	38	9	22	0	0	0	0	2	5	2450	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>183</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>7189</b>	<b>7289</b>	<b>1453</b>	<b>5561</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>18946</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1021</b>	<b>1040</b>	<b>911</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>71</b>
Transport Department, Secretariat		4	0	485	485	398	68	2	1	0	0	16	0	3790	2	0	68	68	68	0	0	0
Metropolitan Transport Corporation (Chennai) Ltd.,		1	3	658	661	5	597	15	0	6	0	23	15	10600	1	0	126	126	115	0	0	11
State Express Transport Corporation, Chennai		1	19	766	785	6	705	12	0	3	0	27	32	7525	1	3	123	126	114	0	0	12
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Villupuram) Ltd.,		1	137	1013	1150	10	1083	0	0	0	0	0	57	2354	1	31	148	179	171	0	0	8
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Salem), Ltd.,		1	81	914	995	0	810	66	0	0	0	25	94	22560	1	0	93	89	89	0	0	4
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Coimbatore) Ltd.,		1	79	1401	1480	3	1289	0	0	0	0	0	188	11839	1	21	197	218	180	0	0	38

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Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Kumbakonam) Ltd.,		1	41	948	989	2	843	40	0	0	0	44	60	22291	1	3	111	114	95	8	11
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Madurai) Ltd.,		1	48	984	1032	4	960	0	0	0	0	29	39	30761	1	14	50	64	52	0	12
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Tirunelveli) Ltd.,		1	15	937	952	5	935	0	0	0	0	12	0	1817	1	0	132	132	132	0	0
Motor Vehicles & Maintenance Department, Chennai		1	0	28	28	1	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	280	1	0	8	8	8	0	0
Institute of Road Transport, Chennai		1	0	33	33	15	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	6	6	0	0
Transport Development Finance Corporation Ltd.,		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pallavan Transport Consultancy Services, Chennai		1	0	11	11	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>8178</b>	<b>8601</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>7346</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>113917</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>1062</b>	<b>1130</b>	<b>1030</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>96</b>
Water Resources Department, Secretariat		20	0	251	251	211	32	1	0	0	0	5	2	2448	8	0	46	46	42	4	0
Engineer-in-chief & Chief Engineer (General), WRD		5	16	495	511	292	185	0	0	4	0	22	8	522	5	0	57	57	52	3	2
Water Resources Department, Chennai Region		49	0	1190	1190	165	995	29	0	0	0	1	0	10250	5	0	74	74	74	0	0

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Water Resources Department, Trichy Region	26	9	930	939	78	836	4	0	0	0	9	12	4452	26	0	137	137	125	11	1	
Water Resources Department, Madurai Region	28	22	982	1004	113	844	2	0	0	1	8	36	610	28	1	97	98	89	5	4	
Water Resources Department, Coimbatore Region	12	32	827	859	114	711	0	0	0	0	4	30	2646	10	1	65	66	63	1	2	
Design Research and Construction Support	8	0	24	24	1	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Plan Formulation	14	0	35	35	11	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	230	14	0	1	1	1	0	0	
Operation and Maintenance	5	0	10	10	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	
State Ground Water and Surface Water Resources Data Centre	14	6	163	169	19	145	1	0	0	0	1	3	727	14	0	11	11	11	0	0	
Institute for Water Studies	12	0	11	11	3	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Irrigation Management Training Institute	1	0	13	13	5	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	250	1	0	4	4	3	1	0	
Cauvery Technical Cell	1	0	10	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
State Water resources Management Agency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>4941</b>	<b>5026</b>	<b>1022</b>	<b>3821</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>22235</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>494</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>9</b>	
Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Department, Secretariat	1	0	89	89	59	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	2	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)
	No. of PIOs	Previous pendency of RTI petitions	RTI petitions received in 2022	Total	Transferred u/s (6) 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 31/12/22	Fees / Charges received (in Rs)	No of First Appellate Authorities	Previous pendency of First Appeals	First Appeals received in 2022	Total	First Appeals disposed by giving information	First Appeals rejected	First Appeals pending as on 31/12/22	
Commissionerate for the Welfare of Differently Abled	45	19	632	651	17	634	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	16	16	16	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>721</b>	<b>740</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>664</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Tamil Nadu Vigilance Commission	2	0	37	37	23	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	210	0	0	3	3	3	3	0	0
Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department	1	0	35	35	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	350	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu	39	0	90	90	2	88	0	0	0	0	0	0	900	7	0	3	3	3	3	0	0
National Cadet Corps	58	0	7	7	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	1	0	2	2	2	2	0	0
National Service Scheme	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University	1	8	48	56	0	44	0	0	0	0	0	12	480	1	2	2	4	4	4	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1810</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Legislative Assembly Secretariat Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2982</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Tamil Nadu Information Commission Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>1634</b>	<b>1742</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>1476</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>10617</b>	<b>15699</b>	<b>463611</b>	<b>479310</b>	<b>107318</b>	<b>338210</b>	<b>3176</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>5628</b>	<b>23593</b>	<b>4895037</b>	<b>4521</b>	<b>2232</b>	<b>49181</b>	<b>51413</b>	<b>45611</b>	<b>1776</b>	<b>4026</b>	<b>4026</b>

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