



**Tamil Nadu State Co-operative Societies Election Commission,
No. 273, Annasalai, Teynampet, Chennai – 18**

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Commissioner.

R.C. 4023 /2013/CE.1

Dated : 30.08.2013

Communication of Election Programme under sub-rule (5) of Rule 52 of the Tamil Nadu Co-operative Societies Rules 1988.

The Tamil Nadu State Co-operative Societies Election Commission, constituted under sec. 33-A of the Tamil Nadu Co-operative Societies Act, 1983, hereby communicates the Election Programme, as drawn by the Election Commission under sub-rule(5) of Rule 52 of the Tamil Nadu Co-operative Societies Rules, 1988 for the conduct of the elections to fill up the Casual Vacancies of Board of Directors and Office Bearers in Societies in the State as reported by the State Election Officers.

The State Election Officers wise Number of Societies in which Casual Vacancies of Board of Directors and Office Bearers exists and the Category wise Casual Vacancies as reported by the State Election Officers are annexed herewith (Annexure - I)

The election programme for conduct of Elections to fill up the Casual Vacancies of Board of Directors and Office Bearers in Cooperative Societies is also enclosed herewith (Annexure II).

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The State Election Officers are directed,

- 1) To inform the Co-operative Societies concerned about the elections to fill up the Casual Vacancies.
- 2) To communicate the Election Programme to the District Election Officers and to the concerned Co-operative Societies for which the Elections are to be held.

The District Election Officers are directed to fix the places for filing of Nomination, conducting of poll, and counting of votes as required under columns in the Election Programme.

The District Election Officers are also directed to issue Election Notice as required under sub-rule 6(a) of Rule 52 of the Tamil Nadu Co-operative Societies Rules, 1988 to the members who on the date thirty days prior to the date of poll were members of the society and conduct the Election in accordance with the provisions contained in Tamil Nadu Cooperative Societies Act, 1983 and the Tamil Nadu Cooperative Societies Rules 1988, and also as per the directions, instructions and guidelines issued by this Commission from time to time. They are also directed to keep in mind the Directions issued by the Government under section 170 of Tamil Nadu Cooperative Societies Act, 1983 in G.O.MS.NO. 49 Cooperation Food and Consumer Protection Department Dated 4-4-2013 exempting all the primary Cooperative Societies from the provisions of the first proviso to clause (a) of sub-section (1) of Section 33 of the said ACT, if such society has no such member from the category of women or from the class of SC and ST's as the case may be.

Sd./-

Commissioner

To

The State Election Officers concerned.

TAMIL NADU STATE COOPERATIVE SOCIETIES ELECTION COMMISSION, CHENNAI -18.

ANNEXURE – II

| Sl.No. | Programme | Date |
|---------------|---|---|
| 1. | Publication of Election Notice by the District Election Officer | 04.09.2013 |
| 2. | Furnishing members list by the societies to the Electoral Officer. | 10.09.2013 |
| 3. | Publication of voters list by Electoral Officer | 16.09.2013 |
| 4. | Publication of voters list by Electoral officer in case the list of members are not furnished by the society and he himself prepare the voters list | 16.09.2013 |
| 5. | Filing Claims or objections to the Voters List | 18.09.2013 |
| 6. | Decision of the electoral officer on claims made or objections raised. | 19.09.2013 |
| 7. | Publication of final voters list by the Electoral Officer | 20.09.2013 |
| 8. | Filing of Nomination | Date : 23.09.2013 Time : 10 A.M to 4 P.M |
| 9. | Scrutiny of Nominations | Date : 23.09.2013 Time : 4 P.M to 5.30 P.M |
| 10. | Publication of list of valid Nominations | Date : 23.09.2013 Time : 6.00 P.M |
| 11. | Withdrawal of Nomination | Date : 24.09.2013 Time : 10 A.M to 4 P.M |
| 12. | Publication of final list of contesting candidates | Date : 24.09.2013 Time : 5.00 P.M |
| 13. | Polling if required | Date : 30.09.2013 Time : 8 A.M to 5 P.M |
| 14. | Counting and Declaration of Results | Date : 01.10.2013 Time : 10 A.M |
| 15. | Issue of notice for Election of Office Bearers | Date : 01.10.2013 |
| 16. | Election of President/ Vice -President | Date : 03.10.2013 Time : 10 A.M |

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