

Press Release

In view of the forthcoming General Elections to Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly, 2016, imparting of training to officials at various levels on Election Management has already commenced. 15 Officers from Tamil Nadu were trained by Election Commission of India during the period from 8.12.2015 to 14.12.2015 and these State Level Master Trainers have imparted training to District Level Master Trainers i.e., two officers from each district and these officers were trained at Chennai on various aspects of Electoral Management during the period from 21.12.2015 to 22.12.2015.

2. At the next level, 16 Nodal Officers were appointed in all districts in various subjects relating to elections. They were imparted specialized training in their respective subjects at four regional centres viz., Chennai, Madurai, Salem and Tiruchirappalli during the period from 28.12.2015 to 8.1.2016 by the District Level Master Trainers.

3. Subsequently, realizing the importance of imparting training skills to these Master Trainers, Election Commission of India is conducting a Training of Trainers and Facilitators (TTF) Programme at Anna Institute of Management, Chennai from 10.1.2016 to 13.1.2016. During this training, the State Level Master Trainers, District Level Master Trainers in addition to that two Assembly Level Master Trainers drawn from all districts are being imparted an effective training for improving their training skills. In the 1st phase at Chennai, 94 participants are being trained and in the 2nd phase at Bhavanisagar, Erode District, 49 participants will be trained from 19.01.2016 to 22.01.2016.

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