

ABSTRACT

Tamil Nadu Water Resources Consolidation Project - Farmers Organisation and Turn Over - Implementation of Tamil Nadu Farmers' Management of Irrigation Systems Act, 2001 - Election to be conducted to the Water Users' Association - Dates and Symbols - Orders - Issued

Public Works(W2) Department

G O Ms. No. 10
Date 08.01.2004

Read again

- 1) G O Ms. No.360, Public Works Department, dated 24.9.2002
- 2) G O Ms. No. 361, Public Works Department, dated 24.9.2002

Read also

3) From the Chief Engineer, Operation and Maintenance, Water Resources Organisation, Letter No. B3/824/FOT-Ele/2002 dated 22.8.2003, 29.9.2003, 17.10.2003, 26.11.2003 and 15.12.2003

ORDER:-

In the Government Order first read above orders were issued appointing the 1st October, 2002 as the date on which the provisions of the Tamil Nadu Farmers' Management of Irrigation Systems Act 2000 (Act No. 7 of 2001) shall come into force in all the ayacut area maintained by Water Resources Organisation of Public Works Department in the following Districts

Kancheepuram	Cuddalore	Sivagangai
Tiruvallur	Pudukkottai	Thoothukudi
Vellore	Dindigul	Thirunelveli
Dharmapuri	Madurai	Kanniyakumari
Thiruvannamalai	Theni	Erode
Villupuram	Virudhunagar	Coimbatore
	Ramanathapuram	

2. In his letters third read above, the Chief Engineer, (Operation and Maintenance), Water Resources Organisation has requested orders to conduct the elections to the

Water Users' Association in the above notified districts in three spells on 24.1.2004, 31.1.2004 and 7.2.2004 and to approve the symbols to be allotted to the contesting candidates for the post of President of Water Users' Association and Territorial Constituency Members and to print the wall posters and brochures carrying the informations about the Water Users' Association and the elections to Water Users' Associations for distribution among the farmers.

3. The Government, after careful examination, accept the proposal of Chief Engineer (Operation and Maintenance), Water Resources Organisation and direct that the elections to Water Users' Associations in the above 19 districts be conducted on 24.1.2004, 31.1.2004 and 7.2.2004 as detailed in the Annexure - I to this order.

4. The Chief Engineer (Operation and Maintenance), Water Resources Organisation is permitted to print the required number of the wall posters and brochures in the model furnished by him carrying the informations about the Farmers Organisation/ Water Users' Association and elections to Water Users' Associations and to distribute among the farmers. The list of symbols to be allotted to the contesting candidates for the post of President of Water Users' Association and for Territorial Constituency Members is furnished in the Annexure-II to this order.

5. The District Collectors concerned are directed to conduct the elections as per provision contained in the Tamil Nadu Farmers' Management of Irrigation Systems Act 2000 (Tamil Nadu Act 7 of 2001) on the dates mentioned in para 3 above.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

N S PALANIAPPAN
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Collectors (19 Districts)

The Chief Engineer, Operation and Maintenance, Water Resources Organisation,
Chennai-5

The Engineer-in-Chief, WRO, Public Works Department, Chennai-5

The Regional Chief Engineers, Water Resources Organisation

The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Chennai-9

The Special Commissioner and Commissioner for Revenue Administration, Disaster Management and Mitigation, Chepauk, Chennai-5

Copy to:

Special PA to Minister (Public Works,

P & E and Revenue), Chennai-9

The Secretary II to Chief Minister, Chennai-9

/Forwarded: by order/

SECTION OFFICER

ANNEXURE- 1 - ELECTION SCHEDULE

Name of Districts	Date of Election
Tirunelveli Thoothukudi Tiruvallur Pudukkottai Dindigul Madurai Theni	24.01.2004
Virudhunagar Ramanathapuram Sivagangai Thiruvannamalai Vellore Kancheepuram	31.01.2004
Erode Coimbatore Dharmapuri Villupuram Cuddalore Kanniyakumari	07.02.2004

/ True copy /

SECTION OFFICER

ANNEXURE -II

SYMBOLS FOR PRESIDENTS OF WATER USERS ASSOCIATIONS

1. Bow and arrow	19 Pot
2 Electric Lamp	20 Spade
3 Lorry	21 Black Board
4 Aeroplane	22 Ladder
5 Light House	23 Window
6 Hand Roller	24 Spectacles
7 Lamp post	25 Table
8 Horse Ladam	26 Beedsmala
9 Electric Fan	27 Drum
10 Two Tabelas	28 Hat
11 Grapes Cluster	29 Slate
12 Sun Flower	30 Stool
13 Scissors	31 Helecopter
14 Banana	32 Whistle
15 Candles	33 Veena (tPiz)
16 Well	34 Sewing Machine
17 Coconut halves)	35 Brinjal
18 Axe	

ANNEXURE -II

SYMBOLS FOR TERRITORIAL CONSTITUENCY MEMBERS

1. Wall Clock	19 Car
2 Bucket	20 Boat
3 Key	21 Rail Engine
4 Comb	22 Hut
5 Granery	23 Post Box
6 Cot	24 Cart
7 Saw	25 Cup
8 Spear	26 Ball
9 Manual Grinder	27 Chair
10 Tiffin Carrier	28 Kite
11 Iron Pan	29 Hammer
12 Jug	30 Telephone
13 Glass Tumbler	31 Pineapple
14 Broomstick	32 Tender Coconut

15 Stickle	33 Cashew fruit
16 Conch	34 Scooter
17 Radio	35 Tractor
18 Tree	

SECTION OFFICER

WATER USERS' ASSOCIATION ELECTIONS - ELECTIONS SCHEDULE

Sl No.	Description	Districts:	Districts:	Districts:
		Tirunelveli, Thoothukudi, Tiruvallur, Pudukkottai, Dindigul, Madurai and Theni	Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram, Sivagangai, Thiruvannamalai, Vellore, Kancheepuram	Erode, Coimbatore, Dharmapuri, Villupuram, Cuddalore, Kanniyakumari
1	Notification of the programme of election by the District Collectors in Form 1 of Election Rules in District Gazette			
2	Notice of election by the District Collectors in Form 2 and Form 3 of Election Rules			
3	Publication of list of Polling Stations/Booths by the District Collectors in Form 27 of Election Rules and display the Notice Boards of Taluk offices, Panchayat			

	Union offices and Panchayat offices			
4	Receipt of objections on the Notification of Polling Stations/Booths			
5	Final Notification of Polling Stations/Booths in Form 28 of Election Rules by the District Collectors			
6	Appointment of Polling Personnel and Training			
7	<p>Elections to Water Users' Association (Major, Medium and Minor Irrigation Systems)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • i) Receipt and Scrutiny of Nominations • ii) Withdrawal of contestants and publication of final list • iii) Date of election, counting of 	24.01.2004	31.01.2004	07.02.2004

	<p>votes and declaration of results</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• iv) Date of first meeting of the Managing Committee			
--	---	--	--	--