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Part I

**Notifications or orders regarding first appointments, investiture of
magisterial powers, etc., issued by Secretariat Departments.**

NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT (Special-B)

APPOINTMENT OF MINISTERS FOR THE STATE OF TAMIL NADU

[G.O. Ms. No. 133, Public (Special.B), 16th February 2017, Maasi 4, Thunmugi, Thiruvalluvar Aandu-2048.]

No. I/PUSP/3(a-1)/2017.

I, Chennamaneni Vidyasagar Rao, Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby appoint with effect from the Afternoon 16th February, 2017, the following persons to be the Members of my Council of Ministers, namely:-

- 1 Thiru Edappadi K. Palaniswami
- 2 Thiru Dindigul C.Sreenivasan
- 3 Thiru K.A. Sengottaiyan
- 4 Thiru Sellur K.Raju
- 5 Thiru P. Thangamani
- 6 Thiru S.P. Velumani
- 7 Thiru D. Jayakumar
- 8 Thiru C.Ve.Shanmugam
- 9 Thiru K.P. Anbalagan
- 10 Dr. V. Saroja
- 11 Thiru M.C. Sampath

12. Thiru K.C.Karuppannan
13. Thiru R. Kamaraj
14. Thiru O.S.Manian
15. Thiru Udumalai K. Radhakrishnan
16. Dr. C. Vijaya Baskar
17. Thiru R.Doraikkannu
18. Thiru Kadambur Raju
19. Thiru R.B. Udhayakumar
20. Thiru Vellamandi N.Natarajan
21. Thiru K.C.Veeramani
22. Thiru K.T. Rajenthra Bhalaji
23. Thiru P. Benjamin
24. Dr. Nilofer Kafeel
25. Thiru M.R.Vijayabhaskar
26. Dr. M.Manikandan
27. Tmt V.M.Rajalakshmi
28. Thiru G.Baskaran
29. Thiru Sevvoor S.Ramachandran
30. Tmt S. Valarmathi
31. Thiru P. Balakrishna Reddy

CHENNAMANENI VIDYASAGAR RAO,
Governor of Tamil Nadu.

ALLOCATION OF BUSINESS AMONG MINISTERS.

[G.O. Ms. No. 134, Public (Special.B), 16th February 2017, Maasi 4, Thunmugi, Thiruvalluvar Aandu-2048.]

No. I/PUSP/3(a-2)/2017.

Under Clause (3) of Article 166 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Tamil Nadu allocates among his Ministers, the Business of Government as follows:-

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Thiru Edappadi K. Palaniswami
Hon'ble Chief Minister
Hon'ble C.M. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> .. Public, Indian Administrative Service, Indian Police Service, Indian Forest Service, General Administration, District Revenue Officers, Police, Home, Finance, Planning, Legislative Assembly, Elections and Passports, Personnel and Administrative Reforms, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Training), Public Works, Irrigation including Minor Irrigation, Programme Works, Highways and Minor Ports. |
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| 2. Thiru Dindigul C.Sreenivasan,
Minister for Forests
M (Forests) | .. Forests |
| 3. Thiru K.A. Sengottaiyan,
Minister for School Education & Sports and
Youth Welfare
M (Sch. Edn. & S & YW) | .. School Education, Archaeology, Youth Welfare and
Sports Development Department |
| 4. Thiru Sellur K.Raju,
Minister for Co-operation
M (Co-op.) | .. Co-operation, Statistics, Ex-Servicemen Welfare |
| 5. Thiru P.Thangamani,
Minister for Electricity, Prohibition & Excise
M (Electricity, P & E) | .. Electricity, Non-Conventional Energy Development,
Prohibition and Excise, Molasses and Prevention
of Corruption Act |
| 6. Thiru S.P. Velumani,
Minister for Municipal Administration &
Rural Development, Implementation of
Special Programme
M (MA & RD, Impn. Spl. Prog.) | .. Municipal Administration, Rural Development,
Panchayats and Panchayat Unions, Poverty
Alleviation Programmes, Rural Indebtedness,
Urban and Rural Water Supply, Implementation of
Special Programme |
| 7. Thiru D. Jayakumar,
Minister for Fisheries
M (Fisheries) | .. Fisheries and Fisheries Development Corporation |
| 8. Thiru C.Ve.Shanmugam,
Minister for Law, Courts & Prisons
M (Law, Cts. & Pri.) | .. Law, Courts and Prisons |
| 9. Thiru K.P.Anbalagan,
Minister for Higher Education
M (Hr. Edn.) | .. Higher Education including Technical Education,
Electronics, Science and Technology |
| 10. Dr.V.Saroja,
Minister for Social Welfare &
Nutritious Noon Meal Programme
M (SW & NNMP) | .. Social Welfare including Women's and Children's
Welfare, Orphanages and Correctional
Administration, Integrated Child Development,
Beggar Homes, Welfare of the Differently Abled
and Social Reforms & Nutritious Noon Meal
Programme. |
| 11. Thiru M.C.Sampath,
Minister for Industries
M (Industries) | .. Industries, Steel Control, Mines & Minerals and
Special Initiatives |
| 12. Thiru K.C.Karuppannan,
Minister for Environment
M (Environment) | .. Environment and Pollution Control |
| 13. Thiru R. Kamaraj,
Minister for Food & Civil Supplies
M (Food & Civil Supplies) | .. Food, Civil Supplies, Consumer Protection and Price
Control |
| 14. Thiru O.S.Manian,
Minister for Handlooms & Textiles
M (H & T) | .. Handlooms & Textiles |
| 15. Thiru Udumalai K. Radhakrishnan,
Minister for Housing & Urban Development
M (Hg. & UD) | .. Housing, Rural Housing and Housing Development,
Slum Clearance Board and Accommodation
Control, Town Planning, Urban Development and
Chennai Metropolitan Development Authority |

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| 16. Dr. C. Vijaya Baskar,
Minister for Health & Family Welfare
M (Health & Family Welfare) | .. Health, Medical Education and Family Welfare |
| 17. Thiru R.Doraikkannu,
Minister for Agriculture
M (Agriculture) | .. Agriculture, Agricultural Engineering, Agro Service Cooperatives, Horticulture, Sugarcane Cess, Sugarcane Development and Waste Land Development |
| 18. Thiru Kadambur Raju,
Minister for Information & Publicity
M (Information & Publicity) | .. Information & Publicity, Film Technology and Cinematograph Act, Stationery and Printing and Government Press |
| 19. Thiru R.B. Udhayakumar,
Minister for Revenue
M (Revenue) | .. Revenue, District Revenue Establishment, Deputy Collectors, Weights and Measures, Debt Relief including Legislation on Money lending, Chits, Registration of Companies |
| 20. Thiru Vellamandi N.Natarajan,
Minister for Tourism
M (Tourism) | .. Tourism, Tourism Development Corporation |
| 21. Thiru K.C.Veeramani,
Minister for Commercial Taxes
M (CT) | .. Commercial Taxes, Registration and Stamp Act |
| 22. Thiru K.T. Rajenthra Bhalaji,
Minister for Milk & Dairy Development
M (Milk & DD) | .. Milk and Dairy Development |
| 23. Thiru P.Benjamin,
Minister for Rural Industries
M (RI) | .. Rural Industries including Cottage Industries, Small Industries |
| 24. Dr.Nilofer Kafeel,
Minister for Labour
M (Labour) | .. Labour, Population, Employment and Training, Newsprint Control, Census, Urban and Rural Employment and Wakf Board |
| 25. Thiru M.R.Vijayabhaskar,
Minister for Transport
M (Transport) | .. Transport, Nationalised Transport and Motor Vehicles Act |
| 26. Dr.M.Manikandan,
Minister for Information Technology
M (IT) | .. Information Technology |
| 27. Tmt V.M.Rajalakshmi,
Minister for Adi Dravidar & Tribal Welfare
M (AD & TW) | .. Adi Dravidar Welfare, Hill Tribes and Bonded Labour |
| 28. Thiru G.Baskaran,
Minister for Khadi & Village Industries Board
M (Khadi & Village Indus. Board) | .. Khadi and Village Industries Board, Bhoodan and Gramadhan |
| 29. Thiru Sevvoor S.Ramachandran,
Minister for Hindu Religious & Charitable Endowments
M (HR & CE) | .. Hindu Religious & Charitable Endowments and Tamil Official Language & Tamil Culture |

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| 30. Tmt S.Valarmathi,
Minister for Backward Classes &
Minorities Welfare
M (BC & MW) | .. Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and
Denotified Communities, Overseas Indians,
Refugees & Evacuees and Minorities Welfare |
| 31. Thiru P.Balakrishna Reddy,
Minister for Animal Husbandry
M (AH) | .. Animal Husbandry |

GIRIJA VAIDYANATHAN,
Chief Secretary .