

The Tamil Nadu Panchayats (Disclosure of Assets and Liabilities By Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Members of District Panchayat) Rules, 1999

(G.O.Ms.No.182, Rural Development (C4), dated 30th August, 1999)

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 242 of the Tamil Nadu Panchayats Act, 1994 (Tamil Nadu Act 21 of 1994), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following Rules :-

RULES

1. Short title.- These Rules may be called The Tamil Nadu Panchayats (Disclosure of Assets and Liabilities by Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Members of District Panchayat) Rules, 1999.

2. Definition.- In these Rules, unless the context otherwise requires, "member of the family" means person related whether by blood or marriage to the Chairman, Vice-Chairman and members of District Panchayat or his wife or her husband and wholly dependant of such Chairman, Vice-Chairman and member.

3. Periodical disclosure of Assets of Chairman, Vice-Chairman and members of District Panchayat.- The Chairman, Vice-Chairman and every member of a District Panchayat shall-

(a) if he is elected after the date of coming into force of these Rules, within a period of thirty days, after such election ; and

(b) thereafter, at intervals of every twelve months ending with the 31st day of March, furnish in duplicate to the District Panchayat in the Form appended to these Rules a return of -

(i) all properties owned, acquired or inherited by him or his family members including their liabilities ; and

(ii) all properties held on lease or mortgage either in his own name or in the name of his family members, including their liabilities together with details of the means by which, or the sources from which, such property was acquired or inherited.

4. Returns to be placed at the meeting and to be public document.-

(1) After the receipt of the return specified in Rule 3, the Secretary shall, cause it be placed at the meeting of the District Panchayat and send a copy to the Inspector.

(2) Such return shall be deemed to be a public document and the Secretary, with the permission of the District Panchayat, may, subject to such condition including payment of fees specified in Rule 5 give to any person on demand a copy of such return.

5. Fee for furnishing return.- The fee for furnishing a copy of any return or part thereof shall be ten rupees or the amount to be fixed by the Government, from time to time.

RAMESH CHANDRA PANDA
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

APPENDIX

FORM
(See Rule 3)

RETURNS OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE CHAIRMAN, VICE-CHAIRMAN OR
MEMBER OF THE _____ DISTRICT PANCHAYAT AS ON THE

Name of the _____

Date of election:

PART-I - ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE _____

1.	Immovable property :	Owned Extent: Date of acquisition: Value of acquisition: Leased in: Extent: Date of acquisition: Value of acquisition:		Wet	Dry	Irrigated/dry
(a)	Land					
(b)	Building	Owned Plinth Area: Date of acquisition: Value of acquisition: Leased in Plinth Area: Date of acquisition: Value of acquisition:	Terraced Terraced	Tiled Tiled	Thatched Thatched	Purpose for which the building is used (commercial or residential.) Purpose for which the building is used (commercial or residential.)
2.	Business Interests: (a) Shares (b) Stock (c) Scrip (d) Partnership (e) Debentures and Securities					
3.	Other Interests : Bank Accounts:					
4.	Jewellery: (a) Gold (b) Precious Stones Silver ware					
5.	Movables (including motor vehicles)					
6.	Details of Trusts with which he has any connection					
7.	Remarks, if any of the _____ (Explain the nature of acquisition of properties)					
8.	Liabilities					

PART-II-ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF HIS FAMILY MEMBERS

Name of the Family member _____

1.	Immovable property :	Owned		Wet	Dry	Irrigated/dry
(a)	Land	Extent: Date of acquisition: Value of acquisition: Leased in: Extent: Date of acquisition: Value of acquisition:				
(b)	Building	Owned Plinth Area: Date of acquisition: Value of acquisition:	Terraced	Tiled	Thatched	Purpose for which the building is used (commercial or residential.)
		Leased in Plinth Area: Date of acquisition: Value of acquisition:	Terraced	Tiled	Thatched	Purpose for which the building is used (commercial or residential.)
2.	Business Interests: (a)Shares (b)Stock (c)Scrip (d)Partnership (e)Debentures and Securities					
3.	Other Interests : Bank Accounts:					
4.	Jewellery: (c) Gold (d) Precious Stones Silver ware					
5.	Movables (including motor vehicles)					
6.	Details of Trusts with which he has any connection					
7.	Remarks, if any of the _____ (Explain the nature of acquisition of properties)					
8.	Liabilities					

DECLARATION

I, _____ declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the information furnished in the above return is true and complete.

Place:

Signature.

Date: