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NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

PUBLIC (LAW OFFICERS) DEPARTMENT

Secretariat, 11th November, 2009.

FIXATION OF BOUNDARIES OF ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS DURING THE
PERIOD OF CENSUS OPERATIONS, 2011.

No. II(2)/PULO/601(a)/2009.

[Census 2011—Fixity of Boundaries of Administrative Units during the period of Census Operations—
Orders—Issued.]

The following Government Order is published:—

[G.O. Ms. No. 1132, Public (Law Officers), dated 11th November 2009.]

READ:

- (1) The Registrar and Census Commissioner, India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi, Notification dated 20th February 2009, published in Gazette of India No. 362, dated 27th February 2009.
- (2) The Government of Tamil Nadu, Public Department, Notification, published in Gazette No. 18, dated 13th May 2009.
- (3) From the Registrar General and Census Commissioner, India, Letter No. 9/66/09-CD (CEN), dated 22nd September 2009.
- (4) From the Director, Census Operations, Tamil Nadu Letter No. 1/19/2009 (CEN)-TN, dated 9th October 2009.

Order No: 1132, Public (Law Officers), dated 11th November 2009.

The Notification of the Government of India declaring the taking of Census of the Population of India, during the year 2011 was re-published in *Tamil Nadu Government Gazette* No.18,dated 13th May 2009.

2. The Registrar General and Census Commissioner, India has stated that the preparations for the next decennial Census of India 2011 are in full swing. The Pre-test of Census of India, 2011 has already been conducted and the

1st Phase of the main Census i.e. Housing and House listing Census has to be conducted all over the country from April, 2010 followed by the Population Enumeration in February-March, 2011. To ensure the complete coverage at the Census the entire country will be divided into small Enumeration Blocks within the framework of respective Administrative units in the States and Union Territories. The work of demarcation of these Enumeration Blocks will be taken up well in advance of the House listing Operations, and they will be marked on the Census maps, to obviate any overlapping or omission of areas. For the efficient conduct of the Census Operations, it is necessary to ensure that the boundaries of administrative units are not disturbed after the demarcation of the Enumeration Blocks till the completion of the census operation. Thus, any changes proposed in the jurisdiction of the existing administrative units may be effected well before 1st January, 2010. He has therefore requested to ensure that the proposals for making any changes in the boundaries of existing municipalities, revenue villages, tahsils, police stations, development blocks, talukas, sub-divisions, district etc. or for forming new units which may be pending or which may be taken up in near future may be finalized and given effect by 31st December, 2009. All such changes may be intimated to the concerned Census Directorates in the State and the Office of the Registrar General, India by 31st December 2009. He has also requested to ensure that no changes, whatsoever, are effected in the boundaries of these administrative units during the period from 1st January, 2010 to 31st March 2011.

3. The Government accordingly, hereby order freezing of the Administrative units/boundaries viz., Districts, tahsils, towns, villages, Police Stations, Municipalities, Development blocks, sub-divisions etc. and a ban on formation of new units, from 1st January 2010 to 31st March 2011.

4. The Special Commissioner and Commissioner for Revenue Administration, Chennai, the Director General of Police, Chennai, the Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchyat Raj, Chennai, the Director of Municipal Administration, Chennai, the Director of Town Panchyats, Chennai, the Collectors of all Districts and the Commissioner of Chennai, Trichy, Madurai, Salem, Coimbatore, Tirunelveli, Vellore, Toothukudi, Tirupur and Erode Municipal Corporations are directed to adhere to the above decision of the Government and desist from sending any proposal for changes during the said period.

(By order of the Governor)

K.S. SRIPATHI,
Chief Secretary.