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Part III—Section 1(b)

**Service Rules including Ad hoc Rules, Regulations, etc.,
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NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

HOME DEPARTMENT

(Courts-I)

AMENDMENTS TO THE TAMIL NADU STATE JUDICIAL SERVICE (CADRE AND RECRUITMENT) RULES, 2007.

[G.O. Ms. No.26, Home (Courts-I), 20th January 2026, தை 6, விசுவாவசு, திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு-2057.]

No. SRO B-4(a)/2026.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Article 234 and the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Tamil Nadu, in consultation with the High Court of Madras and the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, hereby makes the following amendments to the Tamil Nadu State Judicial Service (Cadre and Recruitment) Rules, 2007:-

AMENDMENTS

In the said Rules, in ANNEXURE-II, under the heading "CIVIL JUDGE BY DIRECT RECRUITMENT", in clause (4),-

(1) in item (a),-

(i) in Part-A, for the expression "and The Tamil Nadu Buildings (Lease and Rent Control) Act, 1960.", the following entries shall be substituted, namely:-

"The Tamil Nadu Buildings (Lease and Rent Control) Act, 1960; and
The Tamil Nadu Regulation of Rights and Responsibilities of Landlords and
Tenants Act, 2017 (Tamil Nadu Act 42 of 2017).";

- (ii) in Part-B, after the entry "The Criminal Law (Amendment) Act, 2013;", the following entries shall be inserted, namely,-
- "The Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023;
The Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023;
The Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023.";
- (2) in item (b), under the heading "(ii) Law Paper-I (Maximum Marks 100)", after the expression "Principles of Pleading and the Constitution of India.", the following expression shall be added, namely,-
- "The Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 and the Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023.".

DHEERAJ KUMAR,
Additional Chief Secretary to Government.