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

NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

**PUBLIC DEPARTMENT
(Special.B)**

Secretariat, 22nd May 2026.

No. I/PUSP/13(c)/2026.

[MINISTERS - ALLOCATION OF SUBJECTS AMONG MINISTERS - ORDERS - ISSUED.]

The following Government Order is published:—

[G.O. Ms. No.345, Public (Special.B), 22nd May 2026, Vaikasi 8, Parabhava, Thiruvalluvar Aandu-2057.]

READ:

1. G.O.Ms.No.329, Public (Special.B) Department, dated.10.05.2026
2. G.O.Ms.No.338, Public (Special.B) Department, dated.16.05.2026
3. G.O.Ms.No.343, Public (Special.B) Department, dated.21.05.2026
4. G.O.Ms.No.344, Public (Special.B) Department, dated.22.05.2026

Order: No. 345, Public (Special.B), dated 22nd May 2026.

The Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby directs the revision of the allocation of portfolios among the following Ministers under Clause (3) of Article 166 of the Constitution of India:—

Sl. No	Name	Existing Designation	Existing Portfolios	Revised Portfolios
1.	Thiru C. Joseph Vijay	Chief Minister	Public, General Administration, Indian Administrative Service, Indian Police Service, Indian Forest Service, District Revenue Officers, Police, Home, Special Programme Implementation, Women Welfare, Youth Welfare, Welfare of Children, Aged, Differently Abled Persons, Municipal Administration, Urban and Water Supply.	Public, General Administration, Indian Administrative Service, Indian Police Service, Indian Forest Service, District Revenue Officers, Police, Home, Special Programme Implementation, Special Initiatives, Poverty Alleviation and Rural Indebtedness, Youth Welfare, Welfare of Children, Aged, Differently Abled Persons, Municipal Administration, Urban and Water Supply.
2.	Thiru N. Anand	Minister for Rural Development and Water Resources	Rural Development, Panchayats and Panchayat Union, Poverty alleviation Programme, Rural Indebtedness and Irrigation, Irrigation Projects including Small Irrigation.	Rural Development, Panchayats and Panchayat Union, Irrigation, Irrigation Projects including Small Irrigation.
3.	Thiru R. Nirmalkumar	Minister for Energy Resources and Law	Electricity & Non-Conventional Energy Development, Law, Courts, Prisons and Prevention of Corruption, Legislative Assembly, Governor, Elections and Passports.	Electricity & Non-Conventional Energy Development, Law, Courts, Prisons and Prevention of Corruption, Governor, Elections and Passports.

2. The Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby also directs the change of portfolio and subject allocation for the following Minister under Clause (3) of Article 166 of the Constitution of India:-

Sl. No	Name	Existing Designation	Proposed Designation	Proposed allocation of Portfolios
1.	Thiru K.A. Sengottaiyan	Minister for Finance	Minister for Revenue and Disaster Management	Revenue, District Revenue Establishment, Deputy Collectors, Disaster Management, Boodhan, Gramadhan and Legislative Assembly

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

Sl. No.	Name	Designation	Allocation of Portfolios
1.	Thiru Srinath	Minister for Fisheries Fishermen Welfare	Fisheries, Fisheries Development Corporation
2.	Tmt. S. Kamali	Minister for Animal Husbandry	Animal Husbandry
3.	Tmt. C. Vijayalakshmi	Minister for Milk and Dairy Development	Milk and Dairy Development
4.	Thiru R.V. Ranjithkumar	Minister for Forests	Forests

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Designation</i>	<i>Allocation of Portfolios</i>
5.	Thiru Vinoth	Minister for Agriculture - Farmers Welfare	Agriculture, Agricultural Engineering, Agro Service Co-operatives, Horticulture, Sugar, Sugarcane Excise, Sugarcane Development and Waste Land Development
6.	Thiru Rajeev	Minister for Environment & Climate Change	Environment, Pollution Control Board, Climate Change
7.	Thiru B. Rajkumar	Minister for Housing and Urban Development	Housing, Rural Housing, Town Planning Projects and Housing Development, Accommodation Control, CMDA, Tamil Nadu Urban Habitat Development Board, Urban Planning and Urban Development
8.	Thiru V. Gandhiraj	Minister for Co-operation	Co-operation
9.	Thiru P. Mathan Raja	Minister for Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises	Rural Industries including Cottage Industries, Small Industries.
10.	Tmt. K. Jegadeshwari	Minister for Social Welfare & Women Empowerment	Social Welfare including Women Welfare, Orphanages and Correctional Administration and Beggar Homes and Social Reforms & Nutritious Meal Programme.
11.	Thiru S. Rajesh Kumar	Minister for Tourism	Tourism and Tourism Development Corporation
12.	Thiru M. Vijay Balaji	Minister for Handlooms, Textiles and Khadi	Handlooms and Textiles, Khadi and Village Industries Board
13.	Thiru D. Logesh Tamilselvan	Minister for Commercial Taxes and Registration	Commercial Taxes, Registration and Stamp Act, Debt Relief including legislation on Money lending, Chits and Registration of Companies
14.	Thiru A. Vijay Tamilan Parthiban	Minister for Transport	Motor Vehicle Acts - Administration, Transport, Nationalised Transport and Motor Vehicles Act
15.	Thiru Ramesh	Minister for Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments	Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments
16.	Thiru P. Viswanathan	Minister for Higher Education	Higher Education including Technical Education, Electronics, Science and Technology
17.	Thiru R. Kumar	Minister for Artificial Intelligence, Information Technology & Digital Services	Artificial Intelligence, Information Technology and Digital Services
18.	Thiru K. Thennarasu	Minister for Non-Resident Tamils Welfare	Non-Resident Tamils Welfare, Refugees & evacuees
19.	Thiru V. Sampath Kumar	Minister for Backward Classes Welfare	Backward Classes Welfare, Most Backward Classes Welfare and De-notified Communities Welfare
20.	Thiru J. Mohamed Farvas	Minister for Labour Welfare and Skill Development	Labour Welfare, Population, Employment and Training, Census, Weights and Measures, Urban and Rural Employment and Bonded Labour Welfare

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Designation</i>	<i>Allocation of Portfolios</i>
21.	Thiru D. Sarathkumar	Minister for Human Resources Management	Human Resources Management & Ex-Servicemen Welfare
22.	Thiru N. Marie Wilson	Minister for Finance, Planning and Development	Finance, Pensions and Pensionary Benefits, Planning & Development
23.	Thiru K. Vignesh	Minister for Prohibition and Excise	Prohibition and Excise
24.	Thiru A.M. Shahjahan	Minister for Minorities Welfare	Minorities Welfare and Wakf Board
25.	Thiru Vanni Arasu	Minister for Social Justice	Adi Dravidar Welfare and Hill Tribes.

(By Order of the Governor)

M. SAI KUMAR,
Chief Secretary.