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NOTIFICATIONS BY THE ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

APPOINTMENT OF DATES FOR VARIOUS STAGES OF BYE-ELECTION TO TAMIL NADU LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FROM 219. SANKARANKOVIL (SC) ASSEMBLY CONSTITUENCY AND FIXATION OF HOURS OF POLL TO FILL A VACANCY CAUSED BY THE DEATH OF A MEMBER.

No. SROG-5/2012.

The following notification of the Election Commission of India, Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110 001, dated 22nd February, 2012 [3, Phalguna, 1933 (Saka)] is published:—

No. 100/TN-LA/1/2012.—Whereas, the seat of Shri C. Karuppasamy, in the Legislative Assembly of the Tamil Nadu State, elected from 219. Sankarankovil (SC) Assembly Constituency, has become vacant on 22nd October 2011, by reason of his death; and

- 2. Whereas, a bye-election is to be held for the purpose of filling the vacancy so caused;
- **3.** Now, therefore, in pursuance of sub-section (1) of Section 150, 30 and 56 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), the Election Commission of India hereby:—
- (A) Calls upon the 219. Sankarankovil (SC) Assembly Constituency in the State of Tamil Nadu to elect, before the 25th March 2012 (Sunday) and in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the rules and orders made thereunder, a person, belonging to any of the Scheduled Caste of the State for the purpose of filling the said vacancy in the Legislative Assembly of the State; and
 - (B) Appoints, with respect to the said election,-
 - (B.a) the 29-02-2012, (Wednesday) as the last date for making nominations;
 - (B.b) the 01-03-2012, (Thursday) as the date for scrutiny of nominations;

- (B.c) the 03-03-2012, (Saturday) as the last date for withdrawal of candidatures;
- (B.d) the 18-03-2012, (Sunday) as the date, on which a poll shall, if necessary, be taken;
- (B.e) the 25-03-2012, (Sunday) as the date before which the election shall be completed, and
- (C) Fixes the hours from 8.00 A.M. to 5.00 P.M., as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary, be taken on the date specified above, for the election.

(By Order)

R.K. SRIVASTAVA, Principal Secretary, Election Commission of India.

Secretariat, Chennai-600 009, 22nd February 2012.

PRAVEEN KUMAR,

Chief Electoral Officer and Principal Secretary to Government, Public (Elections) Department.