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Press Release

The Special Summary Revision of Electoral Rolls with reference to 01.01.2013 as the qualifying date commenced with draft publication on 1st October 2012. Claims and objections were received from 1.10.2012 up to 20.11.2012.

As per the draft electoral rolls of Special Summary Revision, 2013, published on 1.10.2012, there were 504.61 lakh electors (Male – 253.46 lakhs ; Female – 251.13 lakhs and Others 2139) in Tamil Nadu.

During the above revision period, 23.6 lakh claims were received of which 22.07 lakh claims were admitted for inclusion of names in the electoral roll. Moreover, during the above revision period, 10.69 lakh names were deleted due to shifting, death of electors and duplicate entries. The final electoral rolls are published today (10.01.2013) by the Electoral Registration Officers.

As per the final electoral rolls of Special Summary Revision, 2013, the total electorate in Tamil Nadu is 515.69 lakhs (Male – 258.56 lakhs ; Female – 257.11 lakhs and Others 2433). This includes overseas electors also. There is a net addition of 11.08 lakh electors in the final roll of Special Summary Revision, 2013. Maximum net addition is in Kancheepuram District where net increase is 1,28,219.

As per the final rolls of Special Summary Revision, 2013, the total number of electors to total population ratio in Tamil Nadu is 69.22 % which is in line with the census ratio of 18+ population to

total population. The gender ratio of electors in the roll is 994 as against the census population gender ratio of 995.

The Electoral Photo Identity Cards for those whose names have been included would be given at functions to be held on the occasion of **National Voters Day** on 25th of January 2013 at the Polling Station locations. People can ascertain whether their names have been included in the Electoral Rolls at the nearest Zonal Office in Corporation areas or Taluk offices elsewhere. The rolls will also be hosted on <http://elections.tn.gov.in> .

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