

Condolence Message of Thiru O.Panneerselvam, Hon'ble Chief Minister of
Tamil Nadu – 14.1.2017

I was deeply grieved to hear of the passing away of Thiru Surjit Singh Barnala at Chandigarh today (14-1-2017).

Thiru Surjit Singh Barnala was a distinguished statesman and an experienced political personality. In the course of his public life, Thiru. Surjit Singh Barnala held several important positions, including Chief Minister of Punjab, Union Agriculture Minister and Governor of several States.

Thiru Surjit Singh Barnala holds a special place in the minds of the people of Tamil Nadu, having served as Governor in 1990-91 and from 2004-2011.

In his demise, India has lost an experienced administrator and public figure. On behalf of the Government of Tamil Nadu, I convey my heartfelt condolences to the family of Thiru Surjit Singh Barnala.

O.PANNEERSELVAM
CHIEF MINISTER OF
TAMILNADU

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