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Public (Elections-III) Department

The Election Commission of India has announced the poll schedule for the General Elections to Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly, 2016 as follows:-

Filing of nominations and issue of Notification	22.04.2016 (Friday)
Last date for making nominations	29.04.2016 (Friday)
Scrutiny of Nominations	30.04.2016 (Saturday)
Last date for withdrawal of candidature	02.05.2016 (Monday)
Date of poll	16.05.2016 (Monday)
Counting of votes	19.05.2016 (Thursday)
Date before which election shall be completed	21.05.2016 (Saturday)

The Model Code of Conduct has come into force with effect from the date of announcement of the poll schedule, i.e. 04.03.2016. The Model Code of Conduct shall be applicable to all candidates and political parties.

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