## PRESS RELEASE

The final electoral rolls of Special Summary Revision of Photo Electoral Rolls, 2022 with reference to 01.01.2022 as the qualifying date have been published today (05.01.2022).

2. The Special Summary Revision of Photo Electoral Rolls, 2022 with reference to 01.01.2022 as the qualifying date commenced with draft publication on 01.11.2021. Claims and objections were received during the period from 01.11.2021 to 30.11.2021.

3. During the above revision period, 10,36,917 applications for inclusion of names were received and 10,17,456 applications (Male: 4,56,071, Female: 5,60,735 and Third Gender: 650) were admitted and names included. 2,96,107 applications were received for deletion. Out of which 2,86,174 deletions have been made on account of shifting (80,018), death (1,90,470) and duplicate (15,686) entries.

4. 1,70,271 applications were received for correction of entries and 1,61,461 (Male: 83,907, Female: 77,479 and Third Gender: 75) were admitted. For transposition of entries within the Assembly Constituency, 1,23,348 applications were received and 1,20,338 (Male: 56,421, Female: 63,899 and Third Gender: 18) have been admitted.

5. As per the final electoral rolls of Special Summary Revision, 2022 the total electorate in Tamil Nadu is 6,36,25,813 (Male – 3,12,26,759, Female – 3,23,91,250 and Third Gender – 7,804).

6. Also, as per the final rolls, the Assembly Constituency with the highest number of electors is 27-Shozhinganallur Assembly Constituency in Chengalpattu district with 7,11,755 electors (Male: 3,56,239; Female: 3,55,394; Third Gender: 122). Next highest is 117-Kavundampalayam Assembly Constituency of Coimbatore district with 4,76,467 electors (Male: 2,37,305; Female: 2,39,021; Third Gender: 141).

7. On the other hand, the lowest number of electors are in 164-Kilvelur Assembly Constituency in Nagapattinam District with 1,78,517 electors (Male: 86,893; Female: 91,613; Third Gender: 11). Second lowest is 18-Harbour Assembly Constituency of Chennai district with 1,78,665 electors (Male: 92,978; Female: 85,626; Third Gender: 61).

8. 8 overseas electors have also been enrolled during Special Summary Revision 2022.

9. So far 4,88,888 nos. of PwD electors have been flagged in the electoral rolls.

10. During the above revision period 4,32,600 electors in the age group of 18-19 have been enrolled (Male:2,29,338 ; Female: 2,03,125 and Third Gender :137).

11. The electoral rolls are available on CEO's website http://elections.tn.gov.in. Electors can check their names by visiting the same.

12. The period of Continuous Updation is in operation now (05.01.2022). All eligible persons who have completed 18 years as on 01.01.2022, but do not find their names in the Electoral Rolls can apply in the following ways:-

- I. By visiting the respective offices of the Electoral Registration Officers and submitting Form 6
- II. By applying online through www.nvsp.in.
- III. Through 'Voter Helpline App" available in google play store.

13. As per the recent instructions of the Election Commission of India, all the Electoral Registration Officers have been directed to supply two hard copies of Electoral Roll to the recognized Political Parties instead of one hard copy and one soft copy in CD.

14. As per the directions of the Election Commission of India, District Contact Centers have been established in all the districts of Tamil Nadu. The District Contact Centers have been provided with the toll free help line number 1950 uniformly across the State. For any election related queries, the public can call the District Contact Center. The State Contact Center is functioning in the office of the Chief Electoral Officer with the toll free number 180042521950.

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