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HON'BLE TAMIL NADU CHIEF MINISTER THIRU M.K.STALIN ORDERS PONGAL MEDALS TO 3186 POLICE & OTHER UNIFORMED SERVICES PERSONNEL ON THE OCCASION OF PONGAL DAY, 2022

In recognition of the Outstanding Devotion to Duty displayed by personnel of the Police, Fire & Rescue Services, Prisons and Correctional Services Departments and with a view towards motivating them, the Tamil Nadu Chief Minister's Medals are announced and awarded on the occasion of Pongal Day, every year.

This year, the Hon'ble Tamil Nadu Chief Minister Thiru M.K.Stalin has ordered award of "Tamil Nadu Chief Minister's Constabulary Medals" to 3000 police personnel (Men and Women) in the rank of Grade-I Police Constables, Head Constables, Havildars and Special Sub-Inspectors of Police.

Further, Hon'ble Tamil Nadu Chief Minister ordered award of "Tamil Nadu Chief Minister's Medals" to 120 Fire and Rescue Services Personnel in the rank of Leading Firemen, Driver Mechanics and Firemen and 60 Prisons and Correctional Services Department Personnel in the rank of Grade-I Warders (Men and Women) and Grade-II Warders (Men and Women). The monthly medal allowance of Rs.400/- to the recipients of these Medals will be sanctioned with effect from 1st February 2022, irrespective of their ranks.

In addition to the above awards, the Hon'ble Tamil Nadu Chief Minister has ordered for the award of the Tamil Nadu Chief Minister's Medal for Excellence in Technical and Specialised Services to 6 personnel, 2 each from the Police Radio Branch, Dog Squad and Police Photographers. The officers/personnel will receive the lumpsum grant depending upon their ranks.

These Medals along with Scroll with signature of the Hon'ble Tamil Nadu Chief Minister, will be presented to the recipients at a ceremonial medal parade to be held in due course.

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