

PRESS RELEASE

**HON'BLE CHIEF MINISTER AWARDS
ANNA MEDALS TO 130 OFFICERS/PERSONNEL IN
POLICE & OTHER UNIFORMED SERVICES ON THE
OCCASION OF DR. ANNA'S BIRTHDAY**

In recognition of the Outstanding Devotion to Duty of the Police, Fire & Rescue Service, Prison Service, Home Guards, Finger Print Science and Forensic Science Officers/Personnel in the State and also to encourage them, the Tamil Nadu Chief Minister's Medals are announced and awarded on the occasion of Dr. Anna's Birthday on 15th September, every year.

2. Accordingly, this year 100 Police Officers / Personnel from the rank of Superintendent of Police to Grade-I Police Constables, 10 Fire and Rescue Service personnel from the rank of District Officer to Fireman, 10 Prison Service personnel from the rank of Deputy Jailor to Grade I Warder, 5 Home Guards personnel in the ranks of Area Commander to Section Leader, 2 officers from Finger Print Science unit in the ranks of Additional Superintendent of Police/Deputy Superintendent of Police and 2 officers from Forensic Sciences

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Department in the ranks of Deputy Director and one Scientific Officer have been awarded the "Tamil Nadu Chief Minister's Anna Medal" in recognition of their outstanding devotion to duty. The recipients of the above Medal are eligible for a bronze medal and a lumpsum grant according to their ranks as specified in the Medal Rules.

3. Moreover, Thiru S.Jegadish Durai (late), Gr.I. Police Constable 2477, has been awarded the Tamil Nadu Chief Minister's Police Medal for Gallantry (Posthumously) for his Gallant Act in preventing the sand smuggling by sacrificing his life. His family will get a cash prize of Rs.5.00 lakhs.

4. These Medals will be presented by the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu to the recipients at a Ceremonial Medal Parade to be held later.

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