

## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **HON'BLE TAMIL NADU CHIEF MINISTER THIRU M.K.STALIN ORDERS ANNA MEDALS TO 129 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 Services, Prisons and Correctional Services, Home Guards and Finger Print Science Officers/personnel in the State and also to encourage them, the Tamil Nadu Chief Minister's Medals are announced on the occasion of Dr.Anna's Birthday on 15<sup>th</sup> September, every year.

This year, the Hon'ble Chief Minister have ordered award of Tamil Nadu Chief Minister's Anna Medal to 100 Police Officers/Personnel from the rank of Head Constable to Superintendent of Police, 10 Fire and Rescue Service Personnel/Officers from the rank of Fireman to Deputy Director, 10 Prisons and Correctional Services Personnel/Officers from the rank of Grade-I Warder to Assistant Jailor, 5 Home Guards Officers/personnel from the rank of Assistant Platoon Commander to Company Commander and 2 Officers from Finger Print Science Unit in the rank of Additional Superintendent of Police in recognition of their Outstanding Devotion to Duty.

Further, Thiru S.Manthiramoorthi, Leading Fireman 7807 and Thiru A.Ramachandran, Fireman 8229, Srivaikundam Fire & Rescue Services Station, Tuticorin District are awarded the Tamil Nadu Chief Minister's Fire Services Medal for Gallantry (Anna Medal) for their bravery and dedication to rescue approximately 448 people from the flooded villages and brought them to safer place. The rescue operation was challenged and carried out in extremely dangerous situation, as the floodwaters had breached the banks of the Tamirabarani River on the night of 18<sup>th</sup> December 2023.

These Medals will be presented by the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu at a Ceremonial Medal Parade to be held in due course.

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