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**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL DEFENCE**

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Applications are invited by the Department of Social Defence for the appointment of social worker members in the following 24 Juvenile Justice Boards and Chairperson & Members in Child Welfare Committees in all districts constituted under the provisions of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 and its amended Act 2006 and Rules thereof, from among the social workers qualified as stated below and residents of the respective districts. Applications are invited for Social Worker Members for the following newly created 24 Juvenile Justice Boards.

1	Kancheepuram	2.	Tiruvallur	3.	Villupuram
4.	Vellore	5.	Tiruvannamalai	6.	Dharmapuri
7.	Krishnagiri	8.	Erode	9.	Namakkal
10.	Tiruppur	11.	Nilgiris	12.	Karur
13.	Perambalur	14.	Ariyalur	15.	Pudukottai
16.	Tiruvarur	17.	Nagapattinam	18.	Dindigul
19.	Theni	20.	Sivagangai	21.	Viruthunagar
22.	Ramanathapuram	23.	Thoothukudi	24.	Kanniyakumari

Social Worker members / Chairperson and Members are to be appointed on honorarium basis from this category of which one shall be a woman. The applicants should have been actively involved in health, education or welfare activities pertaining to children for at least seven years. The age of the applicant should not be less than 35 years and not completed 65 years. The existing social worker members of Juvenile Justice Boards, Chairperson and Members of Child Welfare Committees can also apply for the appointment for the 2<sup>nd</sup> term.

Any person to be appointed as a Social Worker Member of the Board and Chairperson & Members in Child Welfare Committee, should possess a Bachelor's degree of a recognized University as educational qualification. Preference shall be given to persons having a degree in any one of the Social Sciences such as Criminology, Psychology, Sociology, Social Work, Economics, Home Science, Education, Political Science, and studies pertaining to women, Rural Development, Law or Medicine.

Applications may be downloaded from [www.tn.nic.in/socialdefence](http://www.tn.nic.in/socialdefence). Separate applications may be submitted for Social Worker Member, Juvenile Justice Board and Chairperson and Members of Child Welfare Committee. **The applicants who applied earlier need not apply again.** Filled in applications should be sent to the Commissionerate of Social Defence, 300, Purasawalkam High Road, Kellys, Chennai.10 on or before 24<sup>th</sup> December 2010.

Special Commissioner of Social Defence.

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