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The Election Commission of India has fixed counting of votes for the General Elections to Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly, 2021 and Bye-election to Lok Sabha from 39.Kanniyakumari Parliamentary Constituency on 02.05.2021.

2. In view of the surge in COVID-19 cases throughout the country, the Election Commission of India has decided to make more stringent provision to be followed during the process of Counting, in addition to existing Broad Guidelines dated 21.8.2020 and has directed that-

- a) No victory procession after the counting on 2.5.2021 shall be permissible.
- b) Not more than two persons shall be allowed to accompany the winning candidate or his/her authorized representative receive the Certificate of Election from the Returning Officer concerned.

CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER.
TAMIL NADU.

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