

**Press Release**

**Public (Elections-VII) Department**

As a preparatory measure for the forthcoming General Elections to Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly, 2016, training for the District Election Officers, Additional District Election Officers along with the Police Officers were already conducted in two regions viz., Coimbatore and Madurai on 12.01.2016 and 19.01.2016 respectively.

The Regional training for the District Election Officers, Additional District Election Officers along with the Police Officers of the Chennai region comprising 8 districts viz. Chennai, Tiruvallur, Kancheepuram, Vellore, Tiruvannamalai, Viluppuram, Cuddalore and Kirshnagiri was conducted at Anna Institute of Management, Chennai on 28.01.2016. The training covers issues related to election management, new software in election management, facilities for differently abled people and provision of postal ballot to all poll related officials specially Police.

The District Collectors and Superintendent of Police of all the districts along with the DIG of Police of Vellore and Viluppuram, Inspector General of Police (North Zone), Chennai and Inspector General of Police (Establishment) attended the training. The Chief Electoral Officer and Joint Chief Electoral Officer imparted the training to the officers. The next training for Tiruchirappalli region will be conducted at Tiruchirappalli on 05.02.2016.

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