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Consequent on the demise of Thiru. P.N. Periannan, a casual vacancy arose in the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly from the pre-delimited 83.Pennagaram Assembly Constituency with effect from 1.12.2009. The Election Commission, in its Notification dated: 26.12.2009 announced poll schedule to fill up the above vacancy. Following representations from some political parties for the postponement of the poll for the bye-election to 83.Pennagaram Assembly Constituency, the Election Commission of India directed the Chief Electoral Officer to hold a meeting with the political parties and to ascertain their views. Accordingly, a meeting was held on 27.12.2009 in the Secretariat following which a report was sent to the Election Commission of India.

2. The Commission taking note of the views of the political parties has decided to rescind its earlier Notification dated: 26.12.2009 calling the bye-election from the 83.Pennagaram Assembly Constituency to the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly.

CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER, TAMIL NADU.

ுவளியிடு, இயக்கு**நா.** ⊅சய்**தி, மக்கள் தொடர்புத் துறை,** க்ண்லமைச் செயலகம், சென்**னை-**೨