

**RAJ BHAVAN, TAMIL NADU - PRESS RELEASE**

The Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu has recommended to the Hon'ble Governor of Tamil Nadu to accept the resignation of Thiru V.Senthilbalaji, Minister for Electricity, Prohibition and Excise and Dr.K.Ponmudy, Minister for Forests and Khadi. The Hon'ble Governor has approved the recommendation.

The Hon'ble Governor has approved the recommendation of Hon'ble Chief Minister for change of portfolios and subject allocations of the following Ministers:-

Sl. No	Name of the Minister Tvl.	Existing Designation	Additional subjects	Designated as
1.	S.S.Sivasankar	Minister for Transport	<b>Electricity</b> in addition to his existing portfolio	<b>Minister for Transport &amp; Electricity</b>
2.	S. Muthusamy	Minister for Housing and Urban Development	<b>Prohibition &amp; Excise</b> in addition to his existing portfolio	<b>Minister for Housing and Prohibition &amp; Excise</b>
3.	R.S.Rajakannappan	Milk & Dairy Development	<b>Forests and Khadi</b>	<b>Minister for Forests and Khadi</b>

Further the Hon'ble Chief Minister has recommended to induct Thiru T.Mano Thangaraj, M.L.A., Padmanabhapuram Assembly Constituency in the Cabinet. The Hon'ble Governor has approved the recommendation.

The Swearing-in-Ceremony of the Minister designate will be held on 28.4.2025, Monday, at 6.00 P.M. in Raj Bhavan, Chennai.