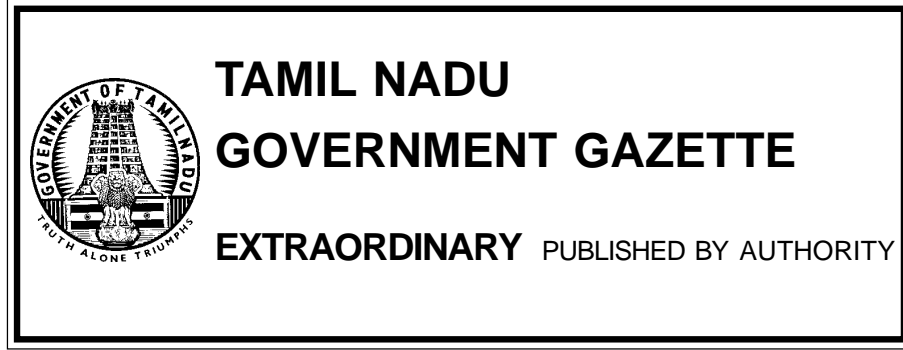


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Part V—Section 4

Notifications by the Election Commission of India

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

JUDGEMENT OF THE HIGH COURT OF MADRAS
IN ELECTION PETITION No.19 OF 2016.

No. SRO G-11/2017.

The following Notification of the Election Commission of India, Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110 001, dated 19th April, 2017 [29 Chaitra, 1939 (Saka)] is published:—

No. 82/TN-LA(19/2016)/2017:—In pursuance of Section 106 (b) of the Representation of the people Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), the Election Commission hereby publishes the Order of the High Court of Madras, dated 08th March, 2017 in Election Petition No.D.19 of 2016.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS**(Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction)****Wednesday, the 8th Day of March 2017****The Hon'ble Mr. JUSTICE M. DURAISWAMY****Election Petition No. 19 of 2016****Elp. No.19 of 2016**

G.Pravina, M.B.B.S., B.L.,
W/o. B. Balamuruvan, I.R.S. (Customs),
61/0, Second Main, Indra Nagar,
Salem - 636 008.—*Petitioner.*

Versus

1. The Returning Officer,
R.K.Nagar Constituency, Chennai.
2. The Chief Election Commissioner,
Mr.Nazim Zaidi,
Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road,
New Delhi - 110 001.
3. The Chief Election Officer and
Secretary to Government,
Fort.St.George, Chennai - 600 009.
4. J. Jayalalitha,
83, Poes Garden,
Chennai.—*Respondents.*

The Election Petition praying that this Hon'ble Court be pleased to (a) declare the election of the returned candidate Ms. J. Jayalalitha in R.K.Nagar Constituency, Chennai in the Tamil Nadu General Assembly Elections as null and void and set aside the election held on 16-05-2016 in R.K.Nagar Constituency, Chennai. (b) Pass an order directing fresh poll in R.K.Nagar Assembly Constituency (Tamil Nadu as per provision of Representation of People's Act 1951 and conduct of Election Rules 1961's order consequential contesting and declaration of results. (c) Directing the first respondent to pay the costs of this election petition.

The above election petition coming on this day before this court for hearing in the presence of Mr. N.C. Ashok Kumar, advocate for M/s. S. Senthil, K.C. Panneer Selvam, N. Barani Kumar, N. Saravanya, advocates for the 4th respondent herein and the petitioner-in-person and respondents 1 to 3 not appearing in person or by advocate,

This Court made the following order:

The petitioner in person is not present.

2. It is represented by the learned counsel appearing for the 4th respondent that the 4th respondent viz., Ms. J. Jayalalitha had died on 05.12.2016.

3. In view of the representation made by the learned counsel who is appearing for the 4th respondent, the Election Petition stands dismissed as abated.

WITNESS, THE HON'BLE THIRU HULUVADI GANGADHARAPPA RAMESH, ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE, HIGH COURT AT MADRAS, AFORESAID THIS THE 8TH DAY OF MARCH 2017.

Sd/-.....
Assistant Registrar
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ELP.NO.19 OF 2016

ORDER

DATED: 08/03/2017

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE

M.DURAIWAMY

FOR APPROVAL: 15/03/2017

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Sd/

Assistant Registrar (O.S.II)

(By Order)

MALAY MALLICK,
Secretary,
Election Commission of India,
New Delhi.

Secretariat,
Chennai-600 009,
27th April 2017.

RAJESH LAKHONI,
Chief Electoral Officer and
Principal Secretary to Government,
Public (Elections) Department.