

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-1

No. MCS/PN/17/2001

Dated: 24th December, 2001

PRESS NOTE

Subject: Bye- election to the Council of States from Tamil Nadu to fill up the vacancy caused due to death of Shri G.K.Moopanar.

A casual vacancy exists in the Council of States due to death of Shri G.K. Moopanar, who represented the State of Tamil Nadu in the said House, on 30th August, 2001, before the expiration of his term of office which was upto and including the 29th June, 2004.

2. The Election Commission has decided to fill up the above mentioned vacancy in accordance with the following programme :-

i) Issue of Notification	31-12-2001(Monday)
ii) Last date for making nominations	07.01.2002 (Monday)
iii) Scrutiny of nominations	08.01.2002(Tuesday)
iv) Last date for the withdrawal of candidatures	10.01.2002 (Thursday)
v) Date of Poll	17.01.2002 (Thursday)
vi) Hours of poll	9.00 A.M to 4.00 P.M
vii) Counting of votes	from 5.00P.M on 17.01.2002
vii) Date before which election shall be completed	21.01.2002 (Monday)

(K.R.PRASAD)
SECRETARY