## FIRST INFORMATION REPORT

முதல் தகவல் அறிக்கை

(Under Section 154 Cr.P.C.) கு ந வி தொபிரிவு 154 இன் கீழ்

TAMIL NADU POLICE INTEGRATED INVESTIGATION FORM-I

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Date: 14.12.2021 PS VAAC 1. District : NAMAKICAL Annich Com KICDLE COLO (P. 5 -9) ST SI மாவட்டம்

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(iv) Other Acts & Sections Lilip act to be region, Liling a region. Sections Millagarit: 13(2) 8/W 13 (1) (b),

12 Y/W 13(2) Y/W 13(1)(b)

3. (a) Occurrence of Offence Day :

குற்ற நிகழ்வு நாள்

Date to : Date from : நாள் முதல் 23.05. 2656 நாள் வரை

31-03-2020

Time Period

Time from:

Time to:

நேரம்

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நேரம் முதல்

நேரம் வரை

(b) Information Received at PS. Date: காவல் நிலையத்திற்கு தகவல் கிடைத்த நாள் 14-12-2021 Time : 12-40 Hrs

(c) General Diary Reference : Entry No(s) 14.12.2024

Time : 12.40 HYS

பொது நாட்குறிப்பில் பதிவு விவரம் எண்

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தகவலின் வகை : எழுத்து முலம் / வாய் மொழியாக BASSD ON COLLECTION OF INFORMATION 4. Type of Information : Written/ Oral :

Place of Occurrence (a) Direction and Distance from PS: IN AND AROUND MAMAKICAL DISTRUCT, குற்ற நிகழ்விடம் அ) காவல்நிலையத்திலிருந்து எவ்வளவு தூரமும், எத்திசையும் CHEபாசி Ard Pu And

Beat Number:

(b) Address:

OUTSIDE OF TAMPLNADU.

முறைக் காவல் என்

முகவரி

(c) In case outside limit of this Police Station, then the Name of P.S:

District:

இக்காவல் நிலைய எல்லைக்கப்பால் நடந்து இருக்குமாயின், அந்நிலையில் அந்த கா.நி.பெயர் மாவட்டம்

Complainant /Informant (a) Name : M - MALLAMMAL குற்றமுறையீட்டாளர்/ தகவல் தந்தவர் பெயர்

(b) Father's/ Husband's Name: தந்தை / கணவர் பெயர் K. MUTHU SAMY

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42 years (d) Nationality 2mpson (c) Date / Year of Birth

(e) Passport No. :

நாள் / பிறந்த ஆண்டு

நாட்டினம்

வெளிநாட்டு கடவுச்சீட்டு எண்

Date of Issue:

Place of Issue:

வழங்கப்பட்ட நாள்

வழங்கப்பட்ட இடம்

asign THSPECTOR OF (f) Occupation:

(g) Address: VIGILANCE AND ANTI-CORRUPTION

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7. Details of Known/Suspected/Unknown accused with full particulars. (Attach separate sheet if necessary) At Tr.P. THOUGHOUSE தெரிந்த / ஐயப்பாட்டிற்குறிய / தெரியாத குற்றஞ்சாட்டப்பட்டவரின் முழுமையான விவரங்கள் *516*. PERV MAL FORME RLY. (Comaloually salisonal Damassau) MINISTER FUR PROHIBITION AND EXCISE DEPARTMENT, GOVT. OF TAMILNADU, NOW MLA, 97-KUMARAPALAYAM CONSTITUENCY, NAMAKKAL-DE A2 TY.T-DHARANADHARAN, Sto. P. THANGAMANI, RAJAPURAM, NEDUNSALAINAGAR SUORA MANGALAM, SALEM DISTRICT, AND

A3 TML. T. SANTHI, WO. P. THANGAMANI, NO.5-6/54 GOVINDAMPALAYAM, Reasons for delay in reporting by the complainant / Informant ALAMPALAYAM(PO), KUMARAPALAYAM (TK) குற்றமுறையிட்டாளரால் / தகவல் கொடுப்பவரால் முறையிட்டதில் தகவல் கொடுப்பதில் தாமதம் NAMAKKAL DISTRICT

NO DELAY

- 9. Particulars of proportios stolon / Involved (Attach separate about if necessary) களவாடப்பட்ட / களவிற்குள்ளான சொத்துக்களின் விவரம் (தேவையெனில் தனித் தாளில் இணைக்கவும்)
- Total value of properties stolen / Involved : கனவாடப்பட்ட / கனவிற்குள்ளான சொத்துக்களின் மொத்த மதிப்பு
- 11. Inquest Report / Un-natural death Case No. If any: பின விசாரணை அறிக்கை / இயற்கைக்கு மாறான இறப்பு எண் ஏதேனும் இருந்தால்
- 12. FIR Contents (Attach separate shoot, if required) : முதல் தகவல் அறிக்கையின் கருக்கம். (தேவையெனில் தனித்தானில் இணைக்கவும்)

SUBMITTED!

SEPARATE SHEETS ARE ENCLOSED

13.	Action taken: Since the above report reveals commission of offence(s) u/s as mentioned at item No.2 registered the case and took up the investigation / directed M.P. P.M.A.C. HORROW, D.C., to take up the Investigation / Refused Investigation / transferred to PSV. B.C
	Investigation / transferred to PSV. SAC. NAMA K. C.B.Lon point of jurisdiction.

FIR read over to the Complainant / Informant, admitted to be correctly recorded and a copy given to the Complainant / Informant free of cost. முத்து குற்றமுறையீட்டாளருக்கு / தகவல் தந்தவருக்கு படித்துக்காட்டி, அது சரியாக எழுதப்பட்டு இருப்பதாக ஏற்றுக் கொள்ளப்பட்டு. அதன் படி நகல் ஒன்று இவவசமாக கொடுக்கப்பட்டது.

14. Signature / Thumb Impression of the Complainant / Informant குற்றமுறையீட்டாளர் / தகவல் கொடுப்பவரின் ஒப்பம் / -பெருவிரல் இரேளகப் பதிவு

15. Date & Time of despatch to the court:
நீதிமன்றத்திற்கு அலுப்பப்பட்ட நாளும், நேரமும்

14-12-2027

15-30 HTS.

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Signature of the Officer in-charge, Police Station 202)

## Attachment to Column No.12 of First Information Report in Namakkal V&AC Cr.No.08/AC/2021

## **Accused**

1) Tr.P.Thangamani (Age-60/21), S/o. Perumal, No.5-6/54, Govindampalayam, Aalampalayam Post, Pallipalayam, Kumarapalayam Taluk, Namakkal District.

Member of Legislative Assembly, 97- Kumarapalayam Constituency, Namakkal District, Former Minister for Electricity & Prohibition and Excise Department, Government of Tamilnadu, Chennai.

- 2) Tr.T.Dharanidharan (Age-32/21), S/o. P.Thangamani, New D.No.11/2, Old D.No.171-J2, Rajapuram, Nedunsalai Nagar, Sooramangalam, Salem District.
- 3) Tmt.T.Santhi (Age-56/2021), W/o. P.Thangamani, No.5-6/54, Govindampalayam, Aalampalayam Post, Pallipalayam, Kumarapalayam Taluk, Namakkal District.

There is a Vigilance information that the A-1 Tr.P.Thangamani, Formerly Minister for Electricity & Prohibition and Excise Department, State of Tamilnadu, during the period of his office between 23.05.2016 and 06.05.2021, involved in corrupt activities and intentionally enriched himself illicitly and acquired properties and pecuniary resources in his name and in the names of his family members and relatives and others, which are disproportionate to his known sources of income.

Upon this information, a discreet verification was conducted and it disclosed the following:

The accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani is native of Alampalayam, Govindampalayam Village, Kumarapalayam Taluk, Namakkal District. He has been residing at No. 5-6/54, Alampalayam, Govindampalayam Village, Kumarapalayam Taluk, Namakkal District with his wife A-3 Tmt.T.Santhi and the couple is blessed with a son A-2 Tr.T.Dharanidharan and a daughter Tmt.T.Lathasri.

The A-2 Tr.T.Dharanidharan married Tmt.R.Sara and they are living separately in his mother-in-law Tmt.Kalarani's house at Rajapuram, Nedunsalai Nagar, Sooramangalam, Salem. His daughter Tmt.D.Lathasri was married to one Tr.S.Dineshkumar of Kaliyanoor Village near Pallipalayam. A-1 has two sisters, namely Tmt.L.Nagarathinam and Tmt.D.Krishnaveni and they were married to Tr.S.P.Loganathan, and Tr.Duraisamy respectively.

The accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani hailed from a middle class family and his father Tr.Perumal (late) was running a small Textile business. A-1 Tr.P.Thangamani is presently the Member of Legislative Assembly, 97-Kumarapalayam Assembly Constituency. He was Member of Legislative Assembly of 98-Thiruchengode Constituency from 2006 to 2011 and 97-Kumarapalayam Assembly Constituency from 2011 to 2021. He held the charges of Minister for Revenue between 2011 and 2012 and Minister for Industries, Steel, Mines & Minerals & Special Initiatives Department between 2012 and 2016 and Minister for Transport Department from July 2015 to 2016 and Minister for Electricity & Prohibition and Excise Department from 23.05.2016 to 06.05.2021. He is a public servant as defined U/s. 2(c) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 as amended in 2018.

The discreet verification discloses that the accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani during his tenure as Hon'ble Minister for Electricity & Prohibition and Excise Department from 23.05.2016 to 06.05.2021, has acquired and was in possession of immovable and movable assets in his name and in the names of his family members, relatives and others which are disproportionate to his known sources of income and thereby intentionally enriched himself and his family members, relatives and others illicitly during the period of his office.

Written declaration in the form of affidavits dated 28.04.2016 and 13.03.2021 during the nomination of general election to Tamil Nadu

Legislative Assembly-2016 and 2021 respectively were filed before the Election Commission of India by the accused A-1 Tr.P.Thangamani. The affidavits disclose the properties in the name of A-1 Tr.P.Thangamani, his wife A-3 Tmt.T.Santhi and son A-2 Tr.T.Dharanidharan.

The discreet enquiry further discloses that A-2 Tr.T.Dharanidharan son of A-1, while abetting A-1 showed huge business in the name of Murugan Eaarth movers. Whereas, it is revealed that such huge business in the name of Murugan Eaarth Movers was only on paper and no actual business was carried. This was only to cover the illegal income of A-1 and assets acquired by A-1 as public servant.

A-3 Tmt.T.Santhi is a house wife and not holding any business but she intentionally aided A-1 and A-2 to acquire ill-gotten money and hidden them from the eyes of law by filing income tax as and when required for A-1 Tr.P.Thangamani and A-2 Tr.T.Dharanidharan.

As most of the acquisitive activities had taken place between 23.05.2016 and 31.03.2020, the check period for assessing the disproportionate assets is taken from 23.05.2016 to 31.03.2020. Value of the assets found in his name, his son A-2 Tr. Dharanidharan's name and wife A-3 Tmt.T.Santhi's name as on 23.05.2016 have been shown in Statement - I. Value of the assets found in possession of the accused-1 Tr.P. Thangamani in his name and in the name of his wife A-3 Tmt.T.Santhi and son A-2 Tr.Dharanidharan at the end of check period as on 31.03.2020 have been shown in Statement-II. The derived income by the accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani, his wife A-3 Tmt.T.Santhi and son A-2 Tr.T.Dharanidharan through known sources of income during the check period have been shown in Statement-III and the expenditure incurred by A-1 Tr.P.Thangamani, his wife A-3 Tmt.T.Santhi and son A-2 Tr.T.Dharanidharan during the check period have been shown in Statement - IV are described hereunder. addition to the collection of information, some of the information declared by the accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani in his election affidavits filed in the year 2016 and 2021 was also taken into account for arriving at the quantum of disproportionate assets held by him.

Statement-I	Assets found in the name of the accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani and in the name of his wife A-3 and son A-2 as on 23.05.2016 i.e. before commencement of the check period (in the form jewels, investments in business, motor vehicle, agricultural land house sites etc.,)	1,01,86,017
Statement-II	Assets acquired by the accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani in his name and in the name of his wife A-3 and son A-2 as on 31.03.2020 i.e., up to the end of check period (in the form jewels, investments in business, motor vehicle, agricultural land house sites etc.,)	8,47,66,318
Statement-III	Income derived by the accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani, his wife A-3 and son A-2 through known sources of income during the check period between 23.05.2016 and 31.03.2020 (in the form Business income, loans from banks, capital gains etc.,)	5,24,86,617
Statement- IV	Expenses incurred by the accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani, his wife A-3 and son A-2 during the check period between 23.05.2016 and 31.03.2020 (in the form of house hold expenses, payment of income tax, repayment of loans, etc.,)	2,64,78,335

From the above statements, during the check period between 23.05.2016 and 31.03.2020, the value of assets acquired by the accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani, accused-2 Tr.Dharanidharan and accused-3 Tmt.T.Santhi have been calculated in Statement-V. The likely savings of the accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani, his wife A-3 Tmt.T.Santhi and son A-2 Tr.T.Dharanidharan have been shown in Statement-VI and the quantum of disproportionate assets acquired by the accused in his name and in the names of his wife A-3

Tmt.T.Santhi and son A-2 Tr.T.Dharanidharan has been shown in Statement-VII as detailed below.

Statement-V Value of assets acquired by A-1 7,45,80,301 (St.II - St.I) Tr.P.Thangamani in his name and in the names of his wife A-3 and son A-2 during the check period between 23.05.2016 to 31.03.2020.

Statement-VI Likely savings of the accused-1 2,60,08,282 (St.III - St.IV) Tr.P.Thangamani in his name and in the names of his wife A-3 and son A-2 during the check period between 23.05.2016 to 31.03.2020.

Statement-VII The quantum of assets disproportionately 4,85,72,019 (St.V - St.VI) acquired by the accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani in his name and in the names of his wife A-3 and son A-2 during the check period between 23.05.2016 to 31.03.2020.

As per the above statements, the accused -1 Tr.P.Thangamani, had the likely savings about Rs. 2,60,08,282/- during the check period i.e., between 23.05.2016 and 31.03.2020 and hence, the pecuniary resources and properties acquired by him and in the names of his wife A-3 Tmt.T.Santhi and his son A-2 Tr.T.Dharanidharan should not have exceeded Rs. 2,60,08,282/- during the check period. But he has acquired assets worth Rs. 4,85,72,019/- in excess out of his total income, which is disproportionate to the known sources of income.

Further verification discloses that Tr.S.Dinesh Kumar, the son-in-law of A-1 is one of the Directors in MANTARO Network Private Limited (NEWS J channel) and one of the partners in Madras Road Lines, Jayashree Ceramics, Shree Ply and Veneers, AGS Transmover, Smaart Trade Links, Smaart Tec., Shree Plywoods and Infra Blue Metal. His father Tr.K.Sivasubramanian owns more than 100 lorries in the name of MRL Logistics and other properties. Tmt.D.Lathasri, wife of S.Dinesh Kumar is the proprietor of JAYA SRI

PLYWOOD WORKS, Pallipalayam, Namakkal District and partner in JAYASRI'S BUILD PRO, Pallipalayam, Namakkal.

It is further suspected that A-1 and A-2 have acquired many more assets which are disproportionate to his known sources of income and kept in the name of their in laws, relatives and associates in various places in and around Tamil Nadu and outside. Further, there is reliable information that they have invested huge amount from the ill-gotten money in crypto assets.

The above information clearly discloses that during the check period between 23.05.2016 and 31.03.2020, the accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani was found in possession of pecuniary resources and also intentionally enriched himself illicitly during the period of his office, which constituted the offences of Criminal Misconduct punishable U/s 13 (2) r/w 13 (1) (e) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 for the period between 23.05.2016 and 25.07.2018 and u/s 13(2) r/w 13 (1) (b) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 as amended in 2018 for the period between 26.07.2018 and 31.03.2020. A-2 Tr.T.Dharanidharan and A-3 Tmt.T.Santhi abetted A-1 Tr.P.Thangamani which constituted the offences punishable u/s 109 IPC r/w 13 (2) r/w 13 (1) (e) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 for the period between 23.05.2016 and 25.07.2018 and u/s 12 r/w 13(2) r/w 13 (1) (b) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 as amended in 2018 for the period between 26.07.2018 and 31.03.2020

Hence, I am registering a case in Namakkal V&AC Cr. No. 08/AC/2021 U/s 13 (2) r/w 13 (1) (e) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 for the period between 23.05.2016 and 25.07.2018 and U/s 13(2) r/w 13(1) (b) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 as amended in 2018 for the period between 26.07.2018 and 31.03.2020 against the accused-1 Tr.P.Thangamani and U/s. 109 IPC r/w 13 (2) r/w 13 (1) (e) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 for the period between 23.05.2016 and 25.07.2018 and u/s 12 r/w 13(2) r/w 13 (1) (b) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 as amended in 2018

for the period between 26.07.2018 and 31.03.2020 against A-2 Tr.T.Dharanidharan and A-3 Tmt.T.Santhi on 14.12.2021 at 14.30 hrs.

The original FIR is submitted to the Hon'ble Special Judge / Chief Judicial Magistrate, Namakkal and a copy of FIR is going to be sent to the Superintendent of Police, Western Range, Directorate of Vigilance and Anti-Corruption, Chennai for issuing orders U/s 17 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 to investigate the case and authorization U/s 18 of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 to inspect Bankers' Books relating to the accounts of the accused and other suspected persons in the case.

Inspector of Police, 14/12/2021
Vigilance and Anti-Corruption,
Namakkal.