

F. No. I-14011/20/2025-IPS-I (E)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Home Affairs

North Block, New Delhi  
Dated: 09.05.2025

To

- (i) The Chief Secretary,  
Government of Tamil Nadu  
Home (SC) Department  
Secretariat, Chennai.

**(Kind Attn: Shri Dheeraj Kumar, Additional Chief Secretary)**

- (ii) The Secretary,  
Union Public Service Commission,  
Dholpur House, Shahjahan Road,  
New Delhi.

**Subject:-Redetermination/determination of vacancies for appointment by promotion of SPS Officers of Tamil Nadu to Indian Police Service for the Select List of the year 2023 and 2024.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to Government of Tamil Nadu letter No. HSC2/6-8/2025 dated 08.05.2025 on the subject cited above and to say that the last Select List for the year 2018-2022 of Tamil Nadu cadre was prepared and finalised vide this Ministry's Notification dated 21.01.2025 whereby 25 appointments were made against 28 vacancies. This Ministry has already determined the vacancy for the Select list 2023 as 05. The 03 unfilled vacancies of the Select Lists 2018-2022 due to non-appointment into the IPS need to be carried forward to the year 2023.

2. The State Government has intimated that the authorized promotion quota of Tamil Nadu cadre in Indian Police Service on 01.01.2024 was 84, while there were total 08 vacancies on the due date. Out of these 08 vacancies, 05 vacancies have arisen due to retirement of 05 promoted IPS officers during the year 2023 and due to non-appointment in IPS the vacancy acquired by 03 officials, provisionally included in the selection list year 2018-2022, may be included in the vacancy of 2023.

3. Hence, in terms of the provisions contained in Rule 4 (2) of the IPS Recruitment Rules, 1954 read with Regulation 5(1) of IPS (Appointment by Promotion) Regulations, 1955, **08 vacancies** are re-determined for the **Select List of the year 2023** for appointment by promotion of Tamil Nadu Police Service officers to the Tamil Nadu Cadre of Indian Police Service.

4. Further, State Government has intimated that the authorized promotion quota of Tamil Nadu cadre in Indian Police Service on 01.01.2025 was 84, while 46 officers were posted on due date 01.01.2025. Thus, there were a total 38 vacancies on due date. Out of these 38 vacancies, 25 appointments were made for the year 2018-2022 vide notification dated 21.01.2025, 08 vacancies are being re-determined for the Select List 2023 (para 3 above) and 05 vacancies have arisen due to retirement of 05 promoted IPS officers during the year 2024.

5. Hence, in terms of the provisions contained in Rule 4 (2) of the IPS Recruitment Rules, 1954 read with Regulation 5(1) of IPS (Appointment by Promotion) Regulations, 1955, **05 vacancies** are determined for the **Select List of the year 2024** for appointment by promotion of Tamil Nadu Police Service officers to the Tamil Nadu Cadre of Indian Police Service.

6. The State Government and the Commission are requested to take further necessary action as required under the IPS Promotion Regulations.

**Yours faithfully,**

  
(Sanjeev Kumar)  
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