

Serial Number of the candidate in Summary Report of the DEO : 17

Name of the State : Tamil Nadu District Chennai Election –Lok Sabha Election 2024

DEO's SCRUTINY REPORT ON ELECTION EXPENSES OF THE CANDIDATE UNDER RULE 89 OF C.E. RULES, 1961		
S.No.	Description	To be filled up by the DEO
1.	Name & address of the candidate	R. RAVICHANDRAN 2082, TSUNAMI NAGAR, Chemmachery, Chennai 600 119
2.	Political Party affiliation, if any	INDEPENDENT ✓
3.	No. and name of Assembly/Parliamentary Constituency	03. South Chennai Parliamentary Constituency
4.	Name of the elected candidate	T.Sumathy (alias) Thamizhatchi Thangapandian
5.	Date of declaration of result	04/06/2024
6.	Date of Account Reconciliation Meeting	5.4.2024, 12.4.2024, 16.4.2024 ✓
7.	(i) Whether the candidate or his agent had been informed about the date of Account Reconciliation Meeting in writing	Yes
	(ii) Whether he or his agent has attended the meeting	Yes
8.	Whether all the defects reconciled by the candidate after Account Reconciliation Meeting (Yes or No). (If not, defects that could not be reconciled be shown in Column No. 19)	Yes
9.	Last date prescribed for lodging Account	12/06/2024
10.	Whether the candidate has lodged the account	Yes
11.	If the candidate has lodged the account, date of lodging of account by the candidate: (i) original account (ii) revised account after the Account Reconciliation Meeting	12/06/2024 ✓
12.	Whether account lodged in time	Yes
12 A.	If not lodged in time, period of delay	-----
13.	If account not lodged or not lodged in time, whether DEO called for explanation from the candidate. If not, reason thereof.	Nil
14.	Explanation, if any, given by the candidate	Nil
14A	Comments of the DEO on the explanation if any, of the candidate	Nil
15.	Grand Total of all election expenses reported by the candidate in Part-II of the Abstract Statement	Rs. 18500/- ✓
16.	Whether in the DEO's opinion, the account of election expenses of the candidate has been lodged in the manner required by the R. P. Act, 1951 and C.E. Rules, 1961	Yes

17.	If No, then please mention the following defects with details					
	(i) Whether Election Expenditure Register comprising of Day to Day Account Register, Cash Register, Bank Register, Abstract Statement has been lodged				--	
	(ii) Whether duly sworn in affidavit has been submitted by candidate				----	
	(iii) Whether requisite vouchers in respect of items of election expenditure submitted				-----	
	(iv) Whether separate Bank Account opened for election				-----	
	(v) Whether all expenditure (except petty expenditure) routed through bank account				-----	
18.	(i) Whether the DEO had issued a notice to the candidate for rectifying the defect				----	
	(ii) Whether the candidate rectified the defect				-----	
	(iii) Comments of the DEO on the above, i.e. whether the defect was rectified or not.				-----	
19.	Whether the items of election expenses reported by the candidate correspond with the expenses shown in the Shadow Observation Register and Folder of Evidence. If No, then mention the following:				Yes/ No	
	Items of expenditure	Date	Page No. of Shadow Observation Register	Mention amount as per the Shadow Observation Register/folder of evidence	Amount as per the account submitted by the candidate	Amount understated by the candidate
I	-	-	-	-	-	-
ii, iii...	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL						
20.	Did the candidate produce his Register of Accounting Election Expenditure for inspection by the Observer/RO/Authorized persons 3 times during campaign period				Yes	
21.	If DEO does not agree with the facts mentioned against Row No. 19 referred to above, give the following details:-				-	
	(i) Were the defects noticed by DEO brought to the notice of the candidate during campaign period or during the Account Reconciliation Meeting				-	
	(ii) If yes, then annex copies of all the notices issued relating to discrepancies with English translation (if it is in regional language) and mention the date of notice				-	

	(iii) Did the candidate give any reply to the notice?	
	(iv) If yes, please Annex copies of such explanation received, (with English translation of the same, if it is in regional language) and mention date of reply	
	(v) DEO's comments/observations on the candidate's explanation	
22.	Whether the DEO agrees that the expenses are correctly reported by the candidate. (Should be similar to Column no. 8 of Summary Report of DEO) Date:	Yes/No Signature (Name of the DEO) 19/03
23. Comments, if any, by the Expenditure Observer*.		
Date: 04-07-2024		Signature of the Expenditure Observer

* If the Expenditure Observer has some more facts that have not been covered in the DEO's report, he may annex separate note to that effect.

** The DEO scrutiny report is to be compiled by the CEO and forwarded to the Commission. If the CEO feels like giving additional comments, he or she may forward the comments separately.

PART - I : ABSTRACT STATEMENT OF ELECTION EXPENSES

I	Name of the Candidate	Sh.R. RAVICHANDRAN
II	Number and name of Constituency	03. South Chennai Constituency
III	Name of State/Union Territory	Tamil Nadu
IV	Nature of Election (Please mention whether General Election to State Assembly / Lok Sabha / Bye- election)	Lok Sabha Elections 2024
V	Date of declaration of result	04/06/2024
VI	Name and Address of the Election Agent	---
VII	If candidate is set up by a political party, Please mention the name of the political party	----
VIII	Whether the party is a recognised political party	No

Date: 12/6/2024

Signature of the Candidate

Place: Chennai

Name: R. Ravichandran

PART II : ABSTRACT OF STATEMENT OF ELECTION EXPENDITURE OF CANDIDATE

S. No.	Particulars	Amt. Incurred / Auth. by Candidate/ Election agent (in Rs.)	Amt. Incurred/ authorized by Pol. Party (in Rs.)	Amt. Incurred / authorized by others (in Rs.)	Total Election expenditure (3)+(4)+(5)
I	Expenses in public meeting, rally, procession etc.:- I. a : Expenses in public meeting, rally, procession etc. (ie: other than the ones with Star Campaigners of the Political party (Enclose as per Schedule-1)	1	2	3	4
II	Campaign materials other than those used in the public meeting, rally, procession etc. mentioned in S.No. I above(Enclose as per Schedule-3)	5	6	7	8
III	(a) Campaign, through print and electronic media 223 including cable network, bulk SMS or internet and Social media in privately owned newspapers/TV/radio channels etc. (Enclose as per Schedule-4)	9	10	11	12
IV	(b) Campaign, through print and electronic media including cable network, bulk SMS or internet and Social media in newspapers/TV/radio channels etc. owned by the candidate or by the political party sponsoring the candidate (Enclose as per Schedule-4A)	13	14	15	16
IV	Expenditure on campaign	17	18	19	20

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	vehicle(s), used by candidate(Enclose as per schedule-5)	—			
V	Expenses of campaign workers / agents (Enclose as per Schedule -6)	—			
VI	Any other campaign expenditure	18500			
VII	Expenses incurred on publishing of declaration regarding criminal cases (Enclose as per Schedule-10)	—			
VIII	VIII Expenses incurred on Virtual Campaign (Enclose as per Schedule 11)	—			
	Grand Total	18500			

PART III : ABSTRACT OF SOURCE OF FUNDS RAISED BY CANDIDATE		
S No	Particulars	Amount (in Rs.)
I	2	3
I	Amount of own fund used for the election campaign (Enclose as per Schedule - 7)	18500
II	Lump sum amount received from the party (ies) in cash or cheque etc. (Enclose as per Schedule -8)	—
III	Lump sum amount received from any person/ company/ firm/ associations / body of persons etc. as loan, gift or donation etc. (Enclose as per Schedule -9)	—
	Total	18500

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PART - IV

FORM OF AFFIDAVIT

Before the Direct Election Officer District, State/Union Territory)

Affidavit of Shri/Smt/Ms.....S/o, W/o, D/o)
 I son/wife/daughter of aged
 years, r/o do hereby solemnly and sincerely state and declare as under:-

(1) That I was a contesting candidate at the general election/bye election to the House of the People /
 Legislative Assembly of Parliamentary/ Assembly constituency, the result of which
 was declared on

(2) That I/my election agent kept a separate and correct account of all expenditure incurred / authorised
 by me / my election agent in connection with the above election between (the date on
 which I was nominated) and the date of declaration of the result thereof, both days inclusive.

(3) That the said account was maintained in the Register furnished by the Returning Officer for the
 purpose and the said Register itself is annexed hereto with the supporting vouchers/bills mentioned in
 the said account.

(4) That the account of my election expenditure as annexed hereto includes all items of election
 expenditure incurred or authorised by me or by my election agent, the political party which sponsored
 me, other associations / body of persons and other individuals supporting me, in connection with the
 election, and nothing has been concealed or withheld/suppressed therefrom (other than the expense on
 travel of leaders' covered by Explanations 1 and 2 under section 77 (1) of the Representation of the
 People Act, 1951).

(5) That the Abstract Statement of Election Expenses annexed as Annexure II to the said account also
 includes all expenditure incurred or authorised by me, my election agent, the political party which
 sponsored me, other associations / body of persons and other individuals supporting me, in connection
 with the election.

(6) That the statements in the foregoing paragraphs (1) to (5) are true to the best of my knowledge and
 belief, that nothing is false and nothing material has been concealed.

Deponent

Solemnly affirmed/sworn by atthis day of 201before me.
 (Signature and seal of the Attesting authority, i.e. Magistrate of the first Class or Oath Commission or
 Notary Public)

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- (2) That I/my election agent kept a separate and correct account of all expenditure incurred/authorised by me/my election agent in connection with the above election between 26.03.2024 (the date on which I was nominated) and the date of declaration of the result thereof, both days inclusive.
- (3) That the said account was maintained in the Register furnished by the Returning Officer for the purpose and the said Register itself is annexed hereto with the supporting vouchers/bills mentioned in the said account.
- (4) That the account of my election expenditure as annexed hereto includes all items of election expenditure incurred or authorised by me or by my election agent, the political party with sponsored me, other associations/body of persons and other individuals supporting me, in connection with the election, and nothing has been concealed or withheld/suppressed therefrom (other than the expense on travel or leader's covered by Explanations 1 and 2 under section 77 (1) of the Representation of the People Act, 1951).
- (5) That the Abstract statement of Election expenses annexed as annexure II to the said account also includes all expenditure incurred or authorised by me, my election agent, the political party which sponsored me, other associations/body of persons and other individuals supporting me, in connection with the election.
- (6) That the statement in the foregoing paragraphs (1) to (5) are true to the best of my knowledge and belief, that nothing in false and nothing material has been concealed.

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Deponent

Solemnly affirmed sworn by me at Chennai on this 13th day of July 2024.



D.KUMAR, M.A., M.L.,
ADVOCATE & NOTARY
21/3, Govindarajapuram 2nd Street,
Adyar, Chennai – 600 020.
Mobile : 94440 13441

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

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To
THE RETURNING OFFICER,

Sir,

I acknowledge receipt of your letter No..... dated
..... along with its enclosures containing, among other documents, a Register
bearing serial No..... for maintaining of my accounts of election expenses.

2. I have noted the requirements of law for maintenance of account of election expenses and
lodging of true copy of that account with the District Election Officer / Returning Officer.

Yours faithfully,
(Signature of Candidate with date)

* Strike off whichever is inapplicable.

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT (To be filled up by Office)

The account of the election expenses in respect of (Constituency)
result of which was declared on (Date) has been filed by him / on his behalf on
..... (Date) and has been received by me today the(Date) of.....
(Month).....(Year).

District _____

District Election Officer

Office Seal

Schedules- 1 to 11: Details of Elections Funds and Expenditure of Candidate

Schedule- 1					
Expenses in public meeting, rally, procession etc. (ie: other than those with Star Campaigners of the Political party)					
S. No	Nature of Expenditure	Total Amount in Rs.	Source of Expenditure		
			Amt. incurred/ Auth. by Candidate/ agent	Amt. incurred/ by pol. Party with name	Amt. incurred/ by others
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Vehicles for transporting visitors	—			
2	Erecting Stage, Pandal & Furniture, Fixtures, poles etc.	—			
3	Arches & Barricades etc.	—			
4	Flowers/ garlands	—			
5	Hiring Loud speakers, Microphone, amplifiers, comparers etc	—			
6	Posters, hand bills, pamphlets, Banners, Cut-outs, hoardings	3500			
7	Beverages like tea, Water, cold drink, juice etc	—			
8	Digital TV –boards display, Projector display, tickers boards, 3D display	—			
9	Expenses on celebrities, payment to musicians, other artists remuneration etc	—			
10	Illumination items like serial lights, boards etc	—			
11	Expenses on transport, Helicopter/ aircraft / vehicles/ boats etc. charges (for self, celebrity or any other campaigner other than Star Campaigner)	—			
12	Power consumption/ generator charges	—			
13	Rent for venue	—			
14	Guards & security charges	—			
15	Boarding & lodging expenses of self, celebrity, party functionary or any other campaigner including Star Campaigner				
16	Others expenses	15000			
Total		18500+			

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Schedule-2

Expenditure in public meeting rally, procession etc. with the Star Campaigner(s) as apportioned to candidate (ie: other than those for general party propaganda)				
S. No	Date & Venue	Name of the Star Campaigner(s) & Name of Party	Amount of Expenditure on public meeting rally, procession etc. with the Star Campaigner(s) apportioned to the candidate (As other than for general party propaganda) in Rs.	Remarks, if any
1	2	3	4	5
			Source of Expenditure	
			Amount by Candidate/Agent	Amount by Political Party
1				
2				
3				
4				
Total				

Schedule-3

Details of expenditure on campaign materials, like handbills, pamphlets, posters, hoardings, banners, cut-outs, gates & arches, video and audio cassettes, CDs/ DVDs, Loud speakers, amplifiers, digital TV/ board display , 3 D display etc. for candidate's election campaign (ie: other than those covered in Schedule- 1 & 2)

S. No	Nature of Expenses	Total Amount in Rs.	Source of Expenditure			Remarks, if any
			Amount by Candidate/ Agent	Amount by Political Party	Amount by Others	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1						
2						
3						
4						
Total						

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Schedule- 4

Details of expenditure on campaign through print and electronic media including cable network, bulk SMS or Internet or social media, news items/TV/radio channel etc., including the paid news so decided by MCMC or voluntarily admitted by the candidate. The details should include the expenditure incurred on all such news items appearing in privately owned newspapers/TV/radio channels etc

S. No	Nature of medium (electronic / print) and duration	Name and address of media provider (print /electronic /SMS / voice/ cable TV, social media etc.)	Name and address of agency, reporter, stringer, company or any person to whom charges / commission etc. paid/ payable, if any	Total Amount in Rs.	Source of Expenditure		
					Amount by Candidate/ Agent	Amount by Political Party	Amount by Others
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1							
2							
3							
4							
Total							

Schedule- 4 A

Details of expenditure on campaign through print and electronic media including cable network, bulk SMS or Internet or social media, news items/TV/radio channel etc., including the paid news so decided by MCMC or voluntarily admitted by the candidate. The details should include the expenditure incurred on all such news items appearing in newspapers/TV/radio channels owned by the candidate or by the political party sponsoring the candidate.

S.No	Nature of medium (electronic / print) and duration	Name and address of media provider (print /electronic /SMS / voice/ cable TV, social media etc.)	Name and address of agency, reporter, stringer, company or any person to whom charges / commission etc. paid/ payable, if any	Total Amount in Rs.	Source of Expenditure		
					Amount by Candidate/ Agent	Amount by Political Party	Amount by Others
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1							
2							
3							
4							
Total							

Schedule- 5

Details of expenditure on campaign vehicle (s) and poll expenditure on vehicle(s) candidate election campaign

S. No	Regn. No. of Vehicle & Type of Vehicle	Hiring Charges of vehicle			No. of Days for which used	Total amt. incurred/ auth. in Rs.	Source of Expenditure		
		Rate for Hiring of vehicle / maintenance	Fuel charges (If not covered under hiring)	Driver's charges (If not covered under hiring)			Amount by Candidate/ Agent	Amount by Political Party	Amount by Others
1	2	3a	3b	3c	4	5	6	7	8
1									
2									

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Schedule-6

Details of expenditure on Campaign workers / agents and on candidates' booths (kiosks) outside polling stations for distribution of voter's slips

S. No	Date and Venue	Expenses on Campaign worker				Total amt. incurred/ auth. in Rs.	Source of Expenditure		
		Nature of Expenses	Rate	No. of workers / agents No. of kiosk	Amount by Candidate/ Agent		Amount by Political Party	Amount by Others	
1	2	3a	3b	3c	4	5	6	7	
1		candidates' booths (kiosks) set up for distribution of voter's slips							
2		Campaign workers honorarium/ salary etc							
3		Boarding							
4		Lodging							
5		Others							
Total									

Schedule- 7

Details of Amount of own fund used for the election campaign					
S.No	Date	Cash	DD/ Cheque no. etc. with details of drawee bank	Total Amount in Rs	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	25/2/24	Cash	-	14,000/-	
2	2/4/24	Cash	-	4,500	
3					
4					
Total				18,500/-	

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Schedule-8

Details of Lump sum amount received from the party (ies) in cash or cheque or DD or by Account Transfer						
S.No	Name of the Political Party	Date	Cash	DD/ Cheque no. etc. with details of drawee bank	Total Amount in Rs	Remarks if any
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Total						

Schedule-9

Details of Lump sum amount received from any person/company/firm/associations/body of persons etc. as loan, gift or donation etc.							
S.No	Name and address	Date	Cash	DD/ Cheque no. etc. with details of drawee bank	Mention whether loan, gift or donation etc.	Total Amount in Rs	Remarks if any
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Total							

Schedule-10

Details of expenditure incurred on publishing criminal antecedents, if any in newspaper and TV Channel							
S. No	Newspaper			Television			Mode of payment (electronic/ cheque/DD/Cash) (Pl. specify)
	Name of Newspaper	Date of publishing	Expenses that may have been incurred (in Rs.)	Name of channel	Date & Time of insertion/ telecast	Expenses that may have been incurred (in Rs.)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Total							

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Schedule- 11

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Details of election expenses incurred on Virtual Campaign							
S. No	Nature of Virtual Campaign (Indicate Social Media Platforms/Apps/Other means)	Name of content creator	Name of media to disseminate message	Total Amount in Rs.	Amount by candidate/ agent	Amount by political party	Amount by others
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

Note:

1. In Schedule 5:-

- Copy of the order containing list of all vehicles for which permit issued by the Returning Officer to be enclosed.
- If the vehicle is owned by the candidate/his relative/agent are used for election purpose, notional cost of hire of all such vehicles, except one vehicle if owned and used by the candidate, notional cost of fuel and driver's salary for such vehicle, shall be included in total amount of expenditure in the above table.

2. In all schedules if any expenditure on goods and services, provided by the Political Party; or provided by any person/ company/ firm /associations/ body of persons etc. on behalf of the candidate, then the notional market value of such goods or services are to be indicated, in respective columns.

3. In Part -III, the Lump-sum amount of fund received from the political party or others or the candidate's own funds, should be mentioned date wise. In all such cases such amounts are required to be first deposited in the bank account of the candidate, opened for election expenses.

4. Each page of the Abstract Statement should be signed by the candidate

(Revised by the Commission vide its letter no. 76/Virtual Campaign/EEPS/2022, dated 15th January, 2022, placed at **Annexure-F9**)

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