

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

Sub: Courts and Judges – Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy (TNSJA) – Professional Development Programme on Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act - Scheduled to be held on 21.08.2021 at Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy Headquarters, Chennai – Nomination of certain Judicial Officers - Requested by the Director, Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy, Chennai - Considered - Officers nominated – Orders issued.

Ref: Letter in R.O.C.No.270-1/2021/JA, dated 12.08.2021 of the Director, Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy, Chennai.

The Director, Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy, Chennai, in the letter under reference cited above, has stated that as per the approved Academy Calendar 2021-2022 of TNSJA, Professional Development Programme on Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, is scheduled to be held on 21.08.2021 at the Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy Headquarters, Chennai. He has requested that the certain Judicial Officers may be nominated, to participate in the aforesaid Professional Development Programme.

As ordered, the following Judicial Officers are nominated to attend the aforesaid "Professional Development Programme on Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act", which is scheduled to be held on 21.08.2021 at the Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy Headquarters, Chennai:

Presiding Officers of POCSO Courts

Thiru / Tmt. / Selvi.

- A. NAZEEMA BANU, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Karur
- J. SELVANADHAN, Chief Judge, Pondicherry
- K. DHANASEKARAN, Sessions Judge, Special Court for exclusive trial of cases under POCSO Act, Srivilliputhur
- C.P.M. CHANDRA, Sessions Judge, Special Court for exclusive trial of cases under POCSO Act, Nagercoil
- V.R. LATHA, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Krishnagiri
- G. SUBATHIRA DEVI, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Tiruvallur

Thiru / Tmt. / Selvi.

- S. RAVI, Sessions Judge, Special Court for exclusive trial of cases under POCSO Act, Vellore
- 8. J.P. JAYNTHI, Sessions Judge, Mahalir Neethimandram, Salem
- S. PURUSHOTHAMAN, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Dindigul
- S. MURUGANANTHAM, Sessions Judge, Special Court for exclusive trial of cases under POCSO Act, Salem
- 11. Dr.R. SATHYA, Sessions Judge, Mahila Court, Pudukkottai
- 12. A.S. RAVI, Special Judge, Special Court under TNPID Act, Coimbatore
- J. RADHIKA, Sessions Judge, Special Court for exclusive trial of cases under POCSO Act. Madurai
- R.K.P. TAMILARASI, Sessions Judge, Special Court for exclusive trial of Cases under POCSO Act, Chengalpattu
- V. PANDIARAJ, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Thoothukudi
- R. SHANKAR, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Tiruvannamalai
- S. SASHIREKHA, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Namakkal
- A. SUBATHRA, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Ramanathapuram
- M. RAJALAKSHMI, Sessions Judge, Special Court for exclusive trial of cases under POCSO act, Chennai
- M. EZHILARASI, Sessions Judge, Special Court for exclusive trial of cases under POCSO Act, Cuddalore
- R. MALATHI, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Erode
- J. TAMILARASI, Sessions Judge, Special Court for exclusive trial of cases under POCSO Act, Nagapattinam
- S. SHUNMUGAVEL, Additional District Judge and Presiding Officer, Special Court under EC Act, Thanjavur
- G.M. VASANTHI, Sessions Judge, Special Court for exclusive trial of cases under POCSO Act, Tiruvannamalai
- J. VENKATESAN, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Theni
- G. SUNDARARAJAN, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Tiruvarur
- A.K. BABULAL, Sessions Judge, Special Court for exclusive trial of Cases under POCSO Act, Sivagangai
- 28. N.S. SRIVATHSAN, Sessions Judge, Mahalir Neethimandram, Tiruchirappalli
- 29. G. KULASEKARAN, Presiding Officer, Labour Court, Uthagamandalam
- 30. S. GIRI, Sessions Judge, Mahila Court, Perambalur
- S. MUTHUKUMARAVEL, Sessions Judge, Special Court for exclusive trial of cases under POCSO Act, Villupuram
- 32. S. KIRUBAHARAN MATHURAM, Sessions Judge, Mahalir Neethimandram, Madurai
- 33. V. ANANTHAN, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Ariyalur

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Thiru / Tmt. / Selvi.

- S. SYED BARKATHULLAH, Sessions Judge, Magalir Neethi Mandram (Fast Track Mahila Court), Dharmapuri
- 35. V.P. SUGANDHI, Judge, Family Court, Tiruppur
- 36. K. ALLI, Judge, Family Court, Karaikal

Principal Magistrates of Juvenile Justice Boards

Thiru / Tmt. / Selvi.

- P.SUNDARARAJAN, XII Metropolitan Magistrate, Egmore, Chennai.
- 2. K. ARUN KUMAR, Judicial Magistrate I, Villupuram
- 3. R. SENTHIL KUMAR-I, Judicial Magistrate I, Kancheepuram
- 4. G. GENGARAJ, Principal District Munsif, Nagercoil
- 5. T. MUGIZHAMBIGAI, Judicial Magistrate I, Vellore
- 6. A. MARUTHUPANDI, Judicial Magistrate I, Virudhunagar
- 7. P. KUMAR, Judicial Magistrate IV, Tiruchirappalli
- 8. K. RAJESH KANNAN, District Munsif, Thiruthuraipoondi
- 9. N. PANNEERSELVAM, Judicial Magistrate, Theni
- 10. K. AMBIGA, Judicial Magistrate I, Karur
- 11. M. ARIVU, Judicial Magistrate I, Pudukkottai
- 12. M. PADMANABAN, Judicial Magistrate II, Madurai
- 13. R. LALITHA RANI, Judicial Magistrate, Additional Mahila Court, Dindigul
- 14. D. KAVIARASAN, Judicial Magistrate I, Tiruvannamalai
- 15. G. KALAIVANI, Judicial Magistrate I, Salem
- 16. S. SENTHIL BABU, Judicial Magistrate I, Krishnagiri
- 17. G. CHRISTIAN, Principal District Munsif, Pondicherry
- 18. M. CHITTIBABU, Judicial Magistrate I, Ramanathapuram
- 19. M. NAGAPPAN, Judicial Magistrate I, Nagapattinam
- 20. S. VADIVEL, Judicial Magistrate, Fast Track Court at Magisterial Level-I, Erode
- 21. S. PRASAD, Judicial Magistrate IV, Coimbatore
- 22. P. CHANDRASEKAR-II, Judicial Magistrate I, Ariyalur
- 23. M. JAYANTHI, Judicial Magistrate I, Namakkal
- 24. 22 E. SELVARAJ, Judicial Magistrate I, Dharmapuri
- R. KARTHIKEYAN-II, Judicial Magistrate, Additional Mahila Court, Tiruppur
- 26. P. SUBBULAKSHMI, Judicial Magistrate I, Perambalur
- 27. V. RADIKA, Judicial Magistrate I, Tiruvallur
- 28. G. RAGOTHAMAN, Judicial Magistrate III, Cuddalore
- 29. K. BASKAR, Principal District Munsif, Thoothukudi
- 30. N. BHARATHIRAJAN, Judicial Magistrate, Uthagamandalam
- 31. B. ROSELIN, District Munsif cum Judicial Magistrate, Mahe
- 32. INIYA KARUNAGARAN, District Munsif, Sivagangai
- 33. N. PREETHI, Judicial Magistrate I, Pondicherry
- 34. V. VIJAYALAKSHMI, Judicial Magistrate V, Tirunelveli
- 35. C. BHARATHI, Judicial Magistrate III, Thanjavur

The aforesaid nominated Judicial Officers are directed to report before the Director, TNSJA, Chennai at 08.30 a.m., on 21.08.2021 at Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy Headquarters, Chennai.

Breakfast, Lunch and refreshments will be provided at the venue.

Accommodation for the participating outstation Judicial Officers will be provided, if required.

The aforesaid nominated Judicial Officers shall instruct their supporting staff (including OAs, Drivers and P.S.Os.) that food and refreshments shall be arranged by them on their own.

The aforesaid nominated Judicial Officers are also directed to strictly adhere to the COVID protocols.

The aforesaid nominated Judicial Officers are required to hand over charge of their respective posts, to any of the nearest District Judge / Civil Judge, <u>if required</u>, before proceeding to attend the aforesaid Programme.

The Officers who relieve the aforesaid nominated Judicial Officers are required to hold full additional charge of the additional posts, till the nominated Judicial Officers take charge of their respective posts, after completion of the Programme.

The aforesaid nominated Judicial Officers from outstations are permitted to claim T.A./D.A. in this regard, as per rules in force.

The absence of the Officers attending the said Programme from the Headquarters / Office in this regard, is treated as on "Other Duty".

The aforesaid nominated Officers are informed that any request for exemption from participating in the said Programme, will not be entertained.

A copy of the draft schedule of the aforesaid Professional Development Programme is enclosed.

HIGH COURT, MADRAS, CHENNAI. DATED: 18.08.2021.

Sd/- K.Govindarajan Thilakavadi, REGISTRAR GENERAL(i/c)

8.08.21

To

- 1. The Officers concerned.
- 2. The Offices of the Officers concerned.

Copy to:

- The Director, Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy, R.A.Puram, Chennai-28.
- 2. The Principal Judge, City Civil Court, Chennai.
- 3. The Chief Judge, Puducherry.
- 4. All the Principal District Judges.
- 5. The District Judge-cum-Chief Judicial Magistrate, The Nilgiris @ Uthagamandalam.
- 6. The Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Egmore, Chennai.
- 7. All the Chief Judicial Magistrates.
- 8. The Senior Accounts Officer (GAD-IV), O/o Principal Accountant General (A & E), Chennai-18.
- 9. The Pay and Accounts Officer, Madurai.
- 10. The Director of Accounts and Treasuries, Pondicherry.
- 11. All the Treasury Officers.



TAMIL NADU STATE JUDICIAL ACADEMY



In association with

UNICEF

Professional Development Programme on

Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act

21.08.2021 (Saturday)

10.00 a.m. – 10.05 a.m.	Welcome Address
	Mr. D. LINGESWARAN, Director, TNSJA
10.05 a.m. – 10.10 a.m.	Introductory Address
	Mr. G. KUMARESAN, Social Policy Specialist, UNICEF
10.10 a.m. – 11.15 a.m.	Procedure and Powers of Special Courts and Recording of Evidence
	Hon'ble Ms. Justice R.N. MANJULA, Judge, High Court of Madras
11.15 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.	Tea Break
11.30 a.m. – 01.00 p.m.	(a) Appreciation of evidence in POCSO Cases (b) Concept of reverse burden and presumption under POCSO Act
	Panel Discussion
	Hon'ble Mr. Justice P. VELMURUGAN
	Hon'ble Dr. Justice G. JAYACHANDRAN Hon'ble Mr. Justice N. SATHISH KUMAR
	Judges, High Court of Madras
01.00 p.m. – 02.00 p.m.	Lunch Break
02.00 p.m. – 03.00 p.m.	(a) Challenges faced by the courts when the accused and victim are children (b) Need for trial of the child as an adult – Factors to be looked into after receipt of preliminary assessment report from JJB
00.00 00.45	Hon'ble Dr. Justice S. VIMALA, Former Judge, High Court of Madras
03.00 p.m. – 03.45 p.m.	Interaction with the participants on the impact of recent amendments (Amendment Act 2021) to Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015
	Hon'ble Dr. Justice S. VIMALA, Former Judge, High Court of Madras Ms. R.S. AKILA, Advocate, High Court of Madras
03.45 p.m. – 04.00 p.m.	Tea Break
04.00 p.m. – 05.00 p.m.	a) Prevention of child marriage and Rehabilitation of child marriage victims
	b) Rehabilitation and compensation for victims under POCSO Act
	Hon'ble Dr. Justice S. VIMALA, Former Judge, High Court of Madras