

GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY  
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Indian Administrative Service – Allocation/Re-allocation of subjects among I.A.S. officers – Orders – Issued.

DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL & ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS  
(PERSONNEL WING)

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G.O.Ms. No. 7

Puducherry dated: 03/02/2025

READ: i) Order No.15041/05/2023-UTS.I dated 12.09.2024 of the Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi.

ii) Order No.14016/24/2024.UTS-I dt:01.01.2025 of the Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi.

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**ORDER:**

The following Notification shall be published in the State Gazette:

**NOTIFICATION**

The Lieutenant Governor, Puducherry is pleased to order the following allocation / re-allocation of subjects among IAS officers with immediate effect:

- i) **Shri P. Jawahar, I.A.S.,** (AGMUT:2007), Chief Electoral Officer-cum-Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government is allotted the subjects '**Industrial Development, Trade & Commerce, Forests & Wildlife, Education and Science, Technology & Environment.**
- ii) **Smt. A. Muthamma, I.A.S.,** (AGMUT:2009) Secretary to Government on promotion to Super Time Scale (Level-14 in the Pay Matrix) with effect from 01.01.2025, in pursuance of Order second read above, is designated as Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government, Puducherry and allotted the subjects '**Planning & Research, Transport, Power, Civil Supplies, Public Works, Information Technology and AD Welfare.**
- iii) **Dr. D. Manikandan, I.A.S.,** (AGMUT:2010), District Collector, Karaikal is posted as **Secretary to Lieutenant Governor, Puducherry.** He will also hold charge of the subjects '**Tourism and Fisheries**' as Secretary to Government.
- iv) **Shri S.D. Sundaresan, I.A.S.,** (AGMUT:2011), on having reported for duty in this Administration on 04.10.2024, in pursuance of the order first read above, is appointed as Secretary to Government and is allotted the subjects '**Social Welfare, Backward Classes & Minorities Welfare, Economics & Statistics and Sports & Youth Affairs.**' He is also appointed as **Chairman, PONCARE.**
- v) **Dr. Jayanta Kumar Ray, I.A.S.,** (AGMUT:2011), Secretary to Government is allotted the subjects '**Health & Family Welfare, Labour, Women & Child Development and Co-operation.**' He shall continue to hold charge as **Chief Executive Officer, Puducherry Smart City Development Ltd. (PSCDL)** and **Project Director, Project Implementation Agency.**

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- vi) **Shri. A. Nedunchezhyyan, I.A.S.,** (AGMUT:2012), Secretary to Government is allotted the subjects '**Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, HRI & Wakf and Art & Culture**'.
- vii) **Shri R. Kesavan, I.A.S.,** (AGMUT:2013), Secretary to Government is allotted the subjects '**General Administration, Personnel, Town & Country Planning, Housing, Local Administration, Vigilance, Fire Service and Information & Publicity**'. He shall continue to hold charge as **Special Secretary (Home)**.
- viii) **Shri A. Kulothungan, I.A.S.,** (AGMUT:2017), District Collector, Puducherry, shall in addition to the charges already held by him is allotted the subject '**Rural Development**'. He is also appointed as **Chairman, DRDA**. He shall also hold the charge as **Special Secretary (Revenue)**.
- ix) **Shri Soma Sekhar Apparao, I.A.S.,** (AGMUT:2021), Sub-Collector (Revenue)(South) is posted as **District Collector, Karaikal**.

/ BY ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR /


Dr. SHARAT CHAUHAN  
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Director of Stationery & Printing,  
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5. The OSD to Chief Minister / Home Minister / PWD Minister, Puducherry.
6. The Private Secretary to Chief Minister/ Speaker, Puducherry
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10. The Deputy Secretary to Govt. (Estt.), Chief Secretariat, Puducherry.
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