TAMIL NADU COMMON ADMISSIONS 2021

TANCA - 2021

INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES
TAMILNADU COMMON ADMISSIONS (TANCA)
Admission to M. E. /M. Tech./M. Arch./M. Plan. Degree Programmes (2021)

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Common online application form for admission to M.E./M.Tech./M.Arch./M.Plan. degree programmes offered in the University Departments/University Colleges and Regional campuses of Anna University, Annamalai University, Government and Government-Aided Engineering Colleges and Self-financing Engineering Colleges in Tamil Nadu for the seats surrendered for admission through single window counseling (TANCA 2021).

1. GENERAL STRUCTURE OF P.G. PROGRAMMES

Full-Time PG programmes comprise of 4 semesters (2 years) and Part-Time programme comprise of 6 semesters (3 years).

2. MODE OF STUDY

2.1 Full-Time
Candidates admitted under ‘Full-Time’ should be available in the department during working hours for the curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities.
Candidates should not attend any other Full-Time Programme(s) / Course(s) or take up any Full-Time Job / Part-Time Job in any institution or company during the period of the programme. 
Violation of the above rules will result in termination from programme.

2.2 Part-Time
Part-Time candidates will not be permitted to convert to Full-Time Mode during the course of study.

3. CATEGORY OF INSTITUTIONS

The Government of Tamil Nadu in G.O. (1D) No. 114 Higher Education (J2) Department, dated 30.04.2021 have permitted Anna University, Chennai-25 for the conduct of Tamil Nadu Common Admissions (TANCA 2021) through single window counseling for M.E. / M.Tech./ M.Arch. / M.Plan. degree programmes offered at
(i) University Departments / Regional Campuses / University Colleges of Anna University.
(ii) Annamalai University, Chidamambaram
(iii) Government and Government Aided Engineering Colleges
(iv) Self-financing Engineering Colleges (for the seats surrendered by them for the single window counseling)

4. ELIGIBILITY

(A) Candidates who have passed all the subjects in the recognised Bachelor’s Degree or equivalent field and obtained at least 50% (45% in the case of candidates belonging to reserved categories) in the qualifying degree examination as per AICTE norms are eligible.
Further, the candidates shall possess
i) T A N C E T 2021 percentile score
(or)
ii) GATE 2019 / 2020 / 2021 qualified score in the appropriate discipline of Engineering / Technology
(or)
iii) GATE 2019 / 2020 / 2021 qualified score in Engineering Science (X E) and Life Science (X L) papers along with T A N C E T 2021 percentile score.
Note 1: Eligibility qualifications for admission to various programmes are given in Annexure I.

Note 2: A candidate is considered GATE 2019 / 2020 / 2021 qualified, if the marks secured are greater than or equal to the qualifying marks mentioned respectively for the category in the GATE 2019 / 2020 / 2021 score card.

Note 3: If a candidate claims that the educational qualification possessed by him / her (though not the same as prescribed eligible qualification) is equivalent to the eligible qualification prescribed in Annexure I, he / she should obtain the Eligibility Certificate from the Director, Academic Courses, Anna University, Chennai 600 025 on or before the last date prescribed for registration of the online application. However, the claim would be subject to the decision of the admitting authority.

(B) Candidates of the following categories may also apply for admission:

(i) Candidates registered for the final semester / year examination of the qualifying degree programmes for the Academic year 2021-2022, (except A.M.I.E. and other similar certificates of various professional bodies ) are eligible.

(ii) Candidates with Section 'A' & 'B' certificates (e.g. A.M.I.E.) of the Institution of Engineers and other similar certificates of various professional bodies for example (Aeronautical Society of India), recognised by the Ministry of Human Resources Development, Government of India and enrolled before 31.5.2013 are considered to be equivalent to B.E./ B.Tech degree holders for admission to M.E./ M.Tech. degree programmes subject to the following conditions (a), (b) & (c)

a) Candidates should have studied 10 + 2 years Higher Secondary. + AMIE (with 2 years experience) (or) 10 + 3 Years diploma (awarded by the State Board of Technical Education) + AMIE (with 2 years experience)

b) Two years regular full time Teaching experience / Industrial experience in the relevant field after passing all the subjects including project work. The experience certificate will have to be produced by the candidate.

c) Must have qualified either in GATE 2019 / 2020 / 2021 with qualifying score or TANCET 2021

The following categories of candidates are not eligible

(i) Candidates admitted through Lateral Entry in degree programmes except B.E / B.Tech.

(ii) Candidates with B.E. / B.Tech degrees obtained through Distance Mode/Week End programmes.

(iii) Candidates with degree obtained without studying 10th Std., 12th Std. or 3 years diploma and 3/4 years degree programme.

5. NATIVITY

Candidates who have studied continuously for the last 5 years (from XII Standard onwards) in Tamil Nadu will be considered as Tamil Nadu candidates.

Candidates who are Native of Tamil Nadu but have studied XII or/and Diploma, Degree outside Tamil Nadu have to upload a photo copy of Nativity Certificate. The Nativity certificate in electronic form / digitally signed e-Certificate only will be accepted.

6. COMMUNAL RESERVATION

a) Candidates belonging to Other States are eligible under Open Competition category only.

b) Candidates who are Sri Lankan Refugees and passed the recognised qualifying degree (with a minimum of 50 % marks) in Tamil Nadu will be considered for admission to M.E / M.Tech. / M.Arch. / M.Plan. degree programmes as per rank, under Open Competition through Single Window Counseling. Sri Lankan Refugee candidates should upload a copy of the identification certificate obtained from the Head Quarters Tahsildars and those who have
not registered in Refugee’s Camps should upload a copy of visa, passport and letter registered in Police Station. Candidates must have also appeared for TANCET 2021.

c) Tamil Nadu native candidates alone will be considered under BC / BCM / MBC (V), MBC & DNC, MBC / SC / SCA / ST categories. List of communities is given in Annexure II.

7. APPLICATION REGISTRATION UNDER GATE / TANCET CATEGORY FOR AIDED & SELF – SUPPORTING PROGRAMMES

Candidates have to register application separately for each category.

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7.1 GATE Category

7.1.1 GATE(Engineering / Technology): The qualifying marks for GATE 2019 / 2020 / 2021 in the appropriate discipline of Engineering / Technology are listed below. Candidates who have obtained lesser than the qualifying marks will NOT be called for counseling.

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7.1.2 GATE [Engineering Sciences (X E) / Life Sciences (X L)]: Candidates who have secured qualifying marks in GATE 2019 / 2020 / 2021 in Engineering Sciences (X E) and Life Sciences (X L) papers, should have also appeared for TANCET - 2020 (Overall mark is calculated by considering appropriate GATE 2019 / 2020 / 2021 score and TANCET 2021 percentile score in the ratio 70:30).

7.2 TANCET Category

Candidates who have appeared in TANCET 2021.

7.3 Sponsored Category (Admission only in University Departments of Anna University, Chennai – 25).

7.3.1 Admissions

- A limited number of unfilled GATE seats (Full-Time mode) is available after GATE Counseling will be considered under sponsored Full-Time Category for the candidates employed and sponsored by the Government / Government Organisations / Government Aided Educational Institutions under sponsored category in the University Departments of Anna University, Chennai i.e. (College of Engineering Guindy, A.C College of Technology, School of Architecture & Planning and Madras Institute of Technology Campuses).
- Sponsored Registered Professional Architects with a minimum of five years of professional experience will be considered for admission to M.Arch. degree programme under Sponsored Category at University Department, School of Architecture & Planning, Anna University, Chennai - 25.
- All the candidates under sponsored category should have appeared in TANCET 2021.

7.3.2 Criteria

The candidates admitted under sponsored category in the University Departments of Anna University, Chennai shall satisfy the conditions given below:
Candidates shall
- Be deputed with full pay and allowances during the period of study.
- Have obtained at least 50% marks in aggregate in the qualifying degree examination.
- Have a minimum of two years of full time experience in the relevant field of the programme to which admission is sought after passing the qualifying degree.
7.3.3 How to apply

The candidates who intend to apply for seats under sponsored category should

- have appeared in TANCET 2021.
- take a print out of the filled – in online application.
- send the filled – in application through proper channel with necessary documents enclosed to one of the following addresses based on the choice of college

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<th>S.No.</th>
<th>College opted for</th>
<th>Send Application to</th>
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<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>University Departments of Anna University, Chennai –600 025</td>
<td>The Director (Admissions), Anna University, Chennai – 600 025.</td>
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<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>Government Engineering Colleges</td>
<td>The Principal, Government College of Technology, Thadagam Road, Coimbatore – 641013.</td>
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<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>Government Aided Engineering College</td>
<td>The Principals of Colleges Concerned</td>
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8. MERIT LIST PREPARATION

8.1 GATE category

- **GATE (Engineering / Technology):** The merit list will be prepared based on GATE 2019 / 2020 / 2021 score in the appropriate discipline of Engineering / Technology.
- **GATE (Engineering Sciences (X E) / Life Sciences (X L) category:** The merit list will be prepared based on GATE 2019 / 2020 / 2021 score in Engineering Science (XE) and Life Science (X L) papers and TANCET 2021 percentile score with a weightage of 70:30. A common merit list will be prepared for GATE (Engineering / Technology) and GATE (Engineering Sciences (X E) / Life Sciences (X L) category

8.2 TANCET category

The merit list will be prepared based on the percentile score obtained in TANCET 2021.

8.3 Sponsored category (Admission only in University Departments of Anna University, Chennai-25)

The merit list will be prepared based on the percentile score obtained in TANCET 2021.

**Inter-se-merit**: When more than one candidate have got the same percentile score in TANCET –2021, the candidate having higher average percentage of marks obtained in the qualifying degree examination will be placed in higher rank in the merit list.

The merit list will be published in Anna University Web Portal.
9. **ALLOCATION OF SEATS**

9.1 Seats shall be allocated following the Rule of Reservation of the Govt. of Tamil Nadu as given below.

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<th>Rule of Reservation</th>
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<td>1. Open Competition (OC)</td>
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<td>2. Backward Class (BC)</td>
<td>26.5</td>
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<td>3. Backward Class - Muslim (BCM)</td>
<td>3.5</td>
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<td>4. Most Backward Class (V)</td>
<td>10.5</td>
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<td>5. Most Backward Class &amp; Denotified Communities (MBC &amp; DNC)</td>
<td>7</td>
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<tr>
<td>6. Most Backward Class</td>
<td>2.5</td>
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<td>7. Scheduled Caste (SC)</td>
<td>15.0</td>
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<td>8. Scheduled Caste - Arunthathiyars (SCA)</td>
<td>3.0</td>
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<tr>
<td>9. Scheduled Tribes (ST)</td>
<td>1.0</td>
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Tamil Nadu native candidates alone will be considered for communal reservation. The list of communities is given in Annexure – II.

9.2 Candidates seeking admission under ST/ SC / SCA / MBC(V), MBC & DNC, MBC / BC / BCM quota should obtain the certificate of social status issued by the competent authority in the Permanent Community Card (P C C) format or Electronic Form (E F) / Digitally Signed e - Certificate prescribed by the Govt. of Tamil Nadu and upload a photocopy of the same along with the online application.

The P C C format or E F / Digitally signed e - Certificate shall be obtained from the authorities given below on or before the last date prescribed for registration of online application.

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<th>Community</th>
<th>Issuing Authority</th>
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<td>1</td>
<td><strong>Scheduled Tribe (S T)</strong></td>
<td>Revenue Divisional Officer of their native place or Sub- Collector of their Districts (except Chennai) or P.A. (General) to Collector of Chennai. The Community Certificate card issued by Tahsildars upto 11.11.89 is valid.</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td><strong>Scheduled Caste (S C) / Scheduled Caste - (Arunthathiyars) (S C A)</strong></td>
<td>Tahsildar of Native Taluk of the candidate</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td><strong>Backward Class / Backward Class (Muslim) (B C M) / Most Backward Class (V), Most Backward Class &amp; Denotified Communities (M B C &amp; D N C) / Most Backward Class</strong></td>
<td>Headquarters Deputy Tahsildar / Zonal Deputy Tahsildar / Deputy Tahsildar (Certificates)</td>
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9.3 Community Certificate (C C ) not obtained from Tamil Nadu will not be considered for communal reservation.
9.4 For communities linked with districts (Refer Annexure II of the information and instructions to candidates), the candidates should obtain their Community Certificate in their respective district. Community Certificate obtained from other than their respective district will not be considered. However, candidates who belong to BC, BCM, MBC(V), MBC&DNC & MBC communities in a particular district and migrated to other places in Tamil Nadu and obtained Community Certificate from competent authorities in the migrated district on or after 28.10.2009, will be considered. (as per G.O. (St) No.95 BC, MBC & Minorities Welfare Department, dated 28.10.2009).

9.5 Candidates who have not uploaded a copy of the Permanent Community Certificate or Electronic Form / digitally signed e-Certificate at the time of registration of the application will be considered under Open Competition (O C) Category. In the event of such a decision, the eligibility conditions and rules prescribed for OC category will be applicable for such candidates and if such candidates do not satisfy the rules of “OC Category”, their applications are liable to be rejected.

10. SPECIAL RESERVATION

10.1 DIFFERENTLY ABLED PERSONS CATEGORY

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<td>Persons with benchmark disabilities</td>
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<td>Blindness and low vision</td>
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<td>b)</td>
<td>Deaf and hard hearing</td>
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<td>c)</td>
<td>Locomotor disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid attack victims and muscular dystrophy</td>
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<td>d)</td>
<td>Autism, intellectual disability, specific learning disability and mental illness</td>
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<td>e)</td>
<td>Multiple disabilities from amongst persons under clauses (a) to (d) including deaf-blindness in the programme identified for each disabilities</td>
<td>1 % #</td>
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Note: Candidates seeking admission against reservation set apart for Visually Impaired, Hearing impaired (Deaf), orthopaedically Differently Abled Persons, Autism, Multiple disabilities (Item No.1a to 1e) should produce the certificate from the Medical Board (minimum 3 doctors) of the District concerned certifying the nature and extent of disability in percentage and with regard to his/her suitability for admission to Engineering Colleges specifically mentioned under 10.2 and in the format (Certificate No. I/II/III/IV/V). Certificates obtained from an individual Doctor will not be considered. Further, a separate Medical Board for each category will examine the candidates with reference to their certificates at the time of counseling.

10.2 Eligibility criteria for various disabilities

A.Norms for Visual Impairment (Certificate No. I)

1. "Blindness" means a condition where a person has any of the following conditions, after best correction— (i) total absence of sight; or (ii) visual acuity less than 3/60 or less than 10/200 (Snellen) in the better eye with best possible correction (or) (iii) limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of less than 10 degree.
2. “Low-vision” means a condition where a person has any of the following conditions, namely:—
   (i) visual acuity not exceeding 6/18 or less than 20/60 up to 3/60 or up to 10/200 (Snellen) in the better eye with best possible corrections; or
   (ii) limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of less than 40 degree up to 10 degree.

B. Norms for Hearing Impairment (Certificate No. II)
1. “Deaf” means persons having 70 DB hearing loss in speech frequencies in both ears.
2. “Hard of hearing” means person having 60 DB to 70 DB hearing loss in speech frequencies in both ears.

C. Norms for Locomotor Disability (Certificate No. III)

1. Locomotor disability (a person’s inability to execute distinctive activities associated with movement of self and objects resulting from affliction of musculoskeletal or nervous system or both), including—
   (i) "Leprosy cured person" means a person who has been cured of leprosy but is suffering from—
       (i) loss of sensation in hands or feet as well as loss of sensation and paresis in the eye and eye-lid but with no manifest deformity;
       (ii) manifest deformity and paresis but having sufficient mobility in their hands and feet to enable them to engage in normal economic activity;
       (iii) extreme physical deformity as well as advanced age which prevents him/her from undertaking any gainful occupation, and the expression "leprosy cured" shall be construed accordingly;

3. "Cerebral palsy" means a Group of non-progressive neurological condition affecting body movements and muscle coordination, caused by damage to one or more specific areas of the brain, usually occurring before, during or shortly after birth;

4. "Dwarfism" means a medical or genetic condition resulting in an adult height of 4 feet 10 inches (147 centimeters) or less;

5. "Muscular dystrophy" means a group of hereditary genetic muscle disease that weakens the muscles that move the human body and persons with multiple dystrophy have incorrect and missing information in their genes, which prevents them from making the proteins they need for healthy muscles. It is characterised by progressive skeletal muscle weakness, defects in muscle proteins, and the death of muscle cells and tissue;

6. "Acid attack victims" means a person disfigured due to violent assaults by throwing of acid or similar corrosive substance.

D. Norms for Autism, Intellectual Disability, Specific Learning Disability and Mental Illness (Certificate No. IV)

1."Speech and language disability" means a permanent disability arising out of conditions such as laryngectomy or aphasia affecting one or more components of speech and language due to organic or neurological causes.

2.Intellectual disability, a condition characterized by significant limitation both in intellectual functioning (reasoning, learning, problem solving) and in adaptive behaviour which covers a range of every day, social and practical skills, including—
   (i) "specific learning disabilities" means a heterogeneous group of conditions wherein there is a deficit in processing language, spoken or written, that may manifest itself as a difficulty to comprehend, speak, read, write, spell, or to do mathematical calculations and includes such conditions as perceptual disabilities, dyslexia, dysgraphia, dyscalculia, dyspraxia and developmental aphasia;
   (ii) "autism spectrum disorder" means a neuro-developmental condition typically appearing in the first three years of life that significantly affects a person's ability to communicate, understand relationships and relate to others, and is frequently associated with unusual or stereotypical rituals or behaviours.

3.Mental behaviour— “mental illness” means a substantial disorder of thinking, mood, perception, orientation or memory that grossly impairs judgment, behaviour, capacity to recognize reality or ability to meet the ordinary demands of life, but does not include retardation which is a condition of arrested or incomplete development of mind of a person, specially characterized by sub normality of intelligence.

4.Disability caused due to—
   (i) chronic neurological conditions, such as—
       (a) "multiple sclerosis" means an inflammatory, nervous system disease in which the myelin sheaths around the axons of nerve cells of the brain and spinal cord are damaged, leading to demyelization and affecting the ability of nerve cells in the brain and spinal cord to communicate with each other;
       (b) "Parkinson's disease" means a progressive disease of the nervous system marked by tremor,
muscular rigidity, and slow, imprecise movement, chiefly affecting middle-aged and elderly people associated with degeneration of the basal ganglia of the brain and a deficiency of the neurotransmitter dopamine.

(ii) Blood disorder—
(a) "hemophilia" means an inheritable disease, usually affecting only male but transmitted by women to their male children, characterized by loss or impairment of the normal clotting ability of blood so that a minor would may result in fatal bleeding;
(b) "Thalassemia" means a group of inherited disorders characterized by reduced or absent amounts of hemoglobin.
(c) "sickle cell disease" means a hemolytic disorder characterized by chronic anemia, painful events, and various complications due to associated tissue and organ damage; "hemolytic" refers to the destruction of the cell membrane of red blood cells resulting in the release of hemoglobin.

E.Norms for Multiple Disabilities (Certificate No. V)
Multiple Disabilities (more than one of the above specified disabilities) including deaf blindness which means a condition in which a person may have combination of hearing and visual impairments causing severe communication, developmental, and educational problems.

11. COUNSELING

11.1 Seats will be allotted only through Online Counseling [G.O. (1D) No. 114 HE (J2) Department dated: 30.04.2021]. Candidates are advised to check the seats available in the Web Portal https://www.annauniv.edu/tanca2021. Admission will be offered depending upon the seats available based on the merit of the candidates as per the reservation norms of Government of Tamil Nadu and others cannot claim any right for admission. A candidate can get allotment for one programme only.

Note: The availability of number of seats/courses/branches housed in the Anna University Web Portal is subject to change before the counseling.

11.2 GATE category candidates must apply with GATE 2019 / 2020 / 2021 score card. Unfilled seats if any, under GATE category will be converted to TANCET category in the respective communities.

Candidates who have passed all the subjects of the qualifying degree with a minimum of 50% marks for General category and 45% marks for reserved categories (BC / BCM / MBC(V) / MBC & DNC / MBC / SC / SCA / ST candidates belonging to Tamil Nadu) in the qualifying examination alone will be permitted for Online Counseling.

The Counseling schedule and the format of "Intimation of Counseling" containing details about counseling will be published in Anna University Web Portal https://www.annauniv.edu/tanca2021 before the commencement of Online Counseling.
At the time of Choice filling / Counseling, the candidates have to pay Rs. **5,000/-** (Rs. **1,000/-** for SC / SCA / ST candidates belonging to Tamil Nadu) as Initial deposit and a non-refundable Counseling fee of Rs. **300/- (+18% GST)** for General Category and Rs. **150/- (+18% GST)** for SC/SCA/ST candidates belonging to Tamil Nadu.

Once a seat is allotted, the amount of Rs.**5,000/-** for General Category or Rs.**1,000/-** for SC/SCA/ST candidates already paid will be adjusted towards the tuition fee to be paid to the respective allotted College.

**12. REFUND OF INITIAL DEPOSIT**

Once allotted a seat, the amount Rs.5000/- (Rs.1000/- in the case of SC/SCA/ST candidates belonging to Tamilnadu) already paid during online counseling will be adjusted in the tuition fee. If a candidate does not join after allotment and seeks refund, only 80% of the initial amount paid will be refunded. In such cases original allotment order with acknowledgement for the receipt of payment should be surrendered on or before **31.03.2022**.

The refund will be processed only through TANCA 2021 refund processing system available online in TANCA web portal. All admissions made through online single window counseling are provisional.

Counseling and admitting authorities reserve the right to accept or reject any application without assigning any reason.

College / Branch once allotted will not be changed under any circumstances.

**TABLE I - Code Numbers for Qualifying Degree**

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* Equivalency Certificate should be obtained from the Director, Centre for Academic Courses, Anna University, Chennai – 600 025.
13. **POST MATRIC SCHOLARSHIP**

In the G.O. (st) No. 6 Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare (AD3) Department dated 09.01.2012, G.O. (st) No. 92 Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare (AD3) Department dated 11.09.2012 and G.O. (st) No. 16 Adi Dravidar and Tribal welfare (AD3) Department dated 24.02.2014, the Government have ordered to grant Post Matric scholarship to SC/SCA/ST candidates, whose parental annual income not exceeding `2,50,000/- and for SC/SCA converted Christians annual income not exceeding `2,00,000/- from all the sources shall only be eligible. The eligible candidates have to upload income certificate obtained from appropriate authorities.

14. **GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT ADMISSION**

The information about admission is as follows.

- **Application has to be registered separately for each category** GATE – Engineering / Technology, GATE – Engineering Science (XE) and Life Science (XL) / TANCET / Sponsored. Seats under sponsored category are available only in University Departments of Anna University, Chennai – 25.

- Candidates other than GATE (Engineering / Technology) category must have appeared for TANCET 2021.

- Candidates must have eligible qualification for admission.

- Seats will be filled as per the reservation norms prescribed by the Government of TamilNadu.

- Information like the courses offered, facilities etc., will be uploaded in Anna University Web Portal. Other details regarding scholarship, fee concession, hostel facilities etc., can be obtained from the Principal/Dean of the Institutions concerned.

- Selection of the college and branch of study is the sole responsibility of the candidate.

- **UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES THE COLLEGE OR BRANCH ALLOTTED WILL BE CHANGED.**

15. **REGISTRATION FEE**

The candidates should pay the application / registration fees (only Online Payment) Rs.500/- (+18% GST) for General category Rs.250/- (+18% GST) for SC/SCA/ST candidates belonging to Tamil Nadu.

A candidate applying for more than one category has to pay Rs.500/- (+18% GST) (Rs.250/- (+18% GST) for SC/SCA/ST candidates belonging to Tamil Nadu) for each additional category (only online payment).

16. **PROCEDURE FOR REGISTRATION OF APPLICATION**

1. Candidate should apply only through online in the Web Portal [https://www.annauniv.edu/tanca2021](https://www.annauniv.edu/tanca2021).

2. The candidate should use a valid and functional e-mail id and a valid and functional mobile number for registration of online application. This email id and mobile number must be maintained active, as all the communication to the candidates will be sent only to the registered e-mail id and mobile number.

3. The candidate must be ready with the details such as Marks, Percentage of Marks, Certificates, Year of Passing, Board / Institute details, Scanned image of photograph (for GATE candidates only), Scanned copy of mark sheet / Transfer and Community Certificate for ST, SC, SCA, MBC(V), MBC&DNC & MBC, BC and BCM candidates (either Permanent Card or electronic form / digitally signed e-Certificate) and other relevant certificates if any before applying through online.

4. Candidates are required to upload their photograph as per the specifications given in the guidelines for scanning and uploading the photograph.
5. After entering all the details, choose save / submit button. The entered details can be viewed, in case if any changes are to be made, the applicant can make the changes. After this the candidate should click submit and save button. **The candidate need not send the printout of the online application or any other documents.** More care should be taken while uploading the data. If any of the information given in the online application is found false or bogus, the application shall be summarily rejected and suitable disciplinary action will be initiated. If the candidate is found ineligible on verification of original certificates by the Competent Authority, they cannot claim any right for admission or continuation of study at any stage.

**ONLINE APPLICATION WITH CONCESSIONAL FEE SUBMITTED BY THE CANDIDATES OTHER THAN SC/SCA/ST WILL BE SUMMARILY REJECTED.**

6. The applications received directly other than the online application portal will not be considered and they will be rejected.

17. **DOCUMENTS TO BE UPLOADED**

The copies of the following should be uploaded:

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<td>Experience Certificate (if applicable).</td>
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## ANNEXURE – II
### LIST OF COMMUNITIES

### SCHEDULED TRIBES IN TAMIL NADU

1. Adiyan
2. Aranadan
3. Eravallan
4. Irular
5. Kadar
6. Kammar (excluding Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
7. Kanikaran, Kanikkar (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
8. Kaniyan, Kanyan
9. Kattunayakan
10. Kochu Velan
11. Konda Kapus
12. Kondareddis
13. Koraga
14. Kota (excluding Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
15. Kudiya, Melakudi
16. Kurichchan
17. Kurumbas (in the Nilgiris District)
18. Kurumans
19. Maha Malasar
20. Malai Arayan
21. Malai Pandaram
22. Malai Vedan
23. Malakkuravan
24. Malasar
25. Malayali (in Dharmapuri, North Arcot, Pudukkottai, Salem, South Arcot and Tiruchirapalli Districts)
26. Malayakandi
27. Mannan
28. Mudugar, Mudvan
29. Muthuvan
30. Pallayan
31. Palliyam
32. Palliyar
33. Paniyan
34. Sholaga
35. Toda (excluding Kanyakamari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
36. Uraly

### SCHEDULED CASTES IN TAMIL NADU

1. Adi Dravida
2. Adi Karnataka
3. Ajila
4. Ayyanavar (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
5. Baira
6. Bakuda
7. Bandi
8. Bellara
9. Bharatar (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
10. Chalavadi
11. Chamar, Muchi
12. Chandala
13. Cheruman
14. Devendrakula Velalar [Devendrakulathan, Kadaiyancminating in the coastal areas of Tirunelveli, Thoothukudi, Ramanathapuram, pudukkottai, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur and Nagapattinam districts), kalladi, Kudumban, Pallan, pannadi, Vathiriyan]
15. Dom, Dombar, Paidi, Pano
16. Domban
17. Godagali
18. Godda
19. Gosargi
20. Holeya
21. Jaggali
22. Jambuvulu
23. Kadaiyancming in the districts of Tirunelveli,
Thoothukudi, Ramanathapuram, Pudukottai, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur and Nagapattinam)

24. Kakkalan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
25. Kanakkan, Padanna (in the Nilgiris District)
26. Karimpalan
27. Kavara (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
28. Koliyan
29. Koosa
30. Kootan, Koodan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
31. Kuravan, Sidhanar
32. Maila
33. Mala
34. Mannan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
35. Mavilan
36. Moger
37. Mundala
38. Nalakeyava
39. Nayadi
40. Padannan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
41. Palluvan
42. Pambada
43. Panan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
44. Panchama
45. Panniandi
46. Paraiyan, Parayan, Sambavar
47. Paravan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
48. Pathiyan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
49. Pulayan, Cheramar
50. Puthirai Vannan
51. Raneyar
52. Samagara
53. Samban
54. Sapari
55. Semman
56. Thandan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
57. Tiruvalluvar
58. Vallon
59. Valluvan
60. Vannan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
61. Velan
62. Vetan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
63. Vettiyan
64. Vettuvan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)

SCHEDULED CASTES

ARUNTHATHIYARS IN TAMIL NADU

1. AdiAndhra
2. Arunthathiyar
3. Chakkiliyan
4. Madari
5. Madiga
6. Pagadai
7. Thoti

PART – MBC (V)

1. Vanniakula Kshatriya (including Vanniyar, Vanniya, Vannia Gounder, Gounder or Kander, Padayachi, Palli and Agnikula Kshatriya)

PART – MBC AND DNC

A. MOST BACKWARD CLASSES
1. Ambalakarar
2. Arayar (in Kanniyakumari District)
3. Bestha, Siviar
4. Bhatraju (other than Kshatriya Raju)
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**B. DENOTIFIED COMMUNITIES**

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15 Donga Boya
16 Donga Ur.Korachas
17 Devagudi Talayaris
18 Dobbai Korachas (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
19 Dabi Koravars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Tirupattur, Ranipet, Vellore and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
20 Donga Dasaris (Chengalpattu, Kancheepuram, Tiruvallur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Chennai, Salem and Namakkal Districts)
21 Gorrela Dodda Boya
22 Gudu Dasaris
23 Gandarvakottai Koravars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Cuddalore, Villupuram and Kallakurichi Districts)
24 Gandarvakottai Kallars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur and Pudukottai Districts)
25 Inji Koravars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
26 Jogis (Chengalpattu, Kancheepuram, Tiruvallur, Chennai, Cuddalore, Villupuram, Kallakurichi, Tirupattur, Ranipet, Vellore and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
27 Jambavanodai
28 Kaladis (Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur and Ariyalur Districts)
29 Kal Oddars (Chengalpattu, Kancheepuram, Tiruvallur, Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Pudukottai, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Tirunelveli, Tenkasi, Thoothukudi, Salem and Namakkal Districts)
30 Koravars (Chengalpattu, Kancheepuram, Tiruvallur, Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Pudukottai, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Tirunelveli, Tenkasi, Thoothukudi, Chennai, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul and The Nilgiris Districts)
31 Kalinji Dabikoravars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur and Pudukottai Districts)
32 Kootappal Kallars (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
33 Kala Koravars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
34 Kalavathila Boyas
35 Kepmaris (Chengalpattu, Kancheepuram, Tiruvallur, Pudukottai, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur and Ariyalur Districts)
36 Maravars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai, Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Tirunelveli, Tenkasi and Thoothukudi Districts)
37 Monda Koravars
38 Monda Golla (Salem and Namakkal Districts)
39 Mutlakampatti (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
40 Nokkars (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
41 Nellorepet Oddars (Tirupattur, Ranipet, Vellore and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
42 Oddars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Madurai, Theni and Dindigul Districts)
43 Pedda Boyas (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
44 Ponnai Koravars (Tirupattur, Ranipet, Vellore and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
45 Piramalai Kallars (Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Pudukottai, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai and Tiruvarur Districts)
46 Peria Suriyur Kallars (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
47 Padayachi (Vellayan Kuppam in Cuddalore District and Tennore in Tiruchirapalli District)
48 Punnan Vettuva Gounder (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
49 Servai (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
50 Salem Melnad Koravars (Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Erode, Pudukottai, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Salem, Namakkal, Tirupattur, Ranipet, Vellore and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
51 Salem Uppu Koravars (Salem and Namakkal Districts)
52 Sakkarathamadai Koravars (Tirupattur, Ranipet, Vellore and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
53 Saranga Palli Koravars
54 Sooramari Oddars (Salem and Namakkal Districts)
55 Sembnad Maravars (Sivaganga, Virudunagar and Ramanathapuram Districts)
56 Thalli Koravars (Salem and Namakkal Districts)
57 Telungappatti Chettis (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
58 Thottia Naickers (Sivaganga, Virudunagar, Ramanathapuram, Chengalpattu, Kancheepuram, Tiruvallur, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Tirunelveli, Tenkasi, Thoothukudi, Salem, Namakkal, Tirupattur, Ranipet, Vellore, Tiruvannamalai, Coimbatore, Tiruppur and Erode Districts)
59 Thogamalai Koravars or Kepmaris (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
60 Uppukoravars or Settipalli Koravars (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai, Madurai, Theni,
Dindigul, Tirupattur, Ranipet, Vellore and Tiruvannamalai Districts)

61 Urali Gounders (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)

62 Wayalpad or Nawalpeta Korachas

63 Vaduvarpatti Koravars (Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga, Virudunagar, Tirunelveli, Tenkasi, Thoothukudi, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)

64 Valayars (Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Pudukottai, Erode, Coimbatore and Tiruppur Districts)

65 Vettaikarar (Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai, Tiruvarur and Pudukottai Districts)

66 Vetta Koravars (Salem and Namakkal Districts)

67 Varaganeri Koravars (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)

68 Vettuva Gounder (Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Ariyalur and Pudukottai Districts)
Krishnagiri Districts).
Pedda Boyar (except Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur and Pudukottai Districts)
Oddars (except Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Tiruvarur, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Pudukottai, Madurai, Theni and Dindigul Districts)
Kaloddars (except Kancheepuram, Tiruvarur, Ranathapuram, Sivaganga, Viruthunagar, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Purdukkottai, Tiruchirappalli, Karur, Perambalur, Tirunelveli, Thoothukudi, Salam and Namakkal Districts)
Nellorepet oddars (except Vellore and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
Dommars (except Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai, Vellore and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
22. Enadi
23. Ezhavathy (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
24. Ezhuthachar (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
25. Ezhova (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
26. Gangavar
27. Gavara, Gavarai and Vadugar (Vaduvar) (other than Kamma, Kapu, Baliya and Reddi)
28. Gounder
29. Gowda (including Gammala, Kalali and Anuppa Gounder)
30. Hegde
31. Idiga
32. Illathu Pillaimar, Illuvar, Ezhuvu and Illathar
33. Jhetty
34. Jogis (Except Kancheepuram, Tiruvarur, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Cuddalore, Villupuram, Vellore and Tiruvannamalai Districts)
35. Kabbera
36. Kaikolar, Sengunthar
37. Kaladi (except Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram, Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Madurai, Theni, Dindigul and the Nilgiris Districts)
38. Kalari Kurup including Kalari Panicker (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
39. Kalingi
40. Kallar, Easanattu Kallar, Gandharva Kotai Kallars (except Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Tiruvarur and Pudukottai Districts)
Kootappal Kallars (except Pudukottai, Tiruchirapalli, Karur and Perambalur Districts)
Districts)
Piramalai Kallars- (except
Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Ramanathapuram.
Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Pudukottai,
Thanjavur, Nagapattinam and Tiruvarur
Districts)
Periyasooriyur Kallars- (except
Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur and
Pudukottai Districts)
41. Kallar Kula Thondaman
42. Kalveli Gounder
43. Kambar
44. Kammal or Viswakarma,
Viswakarmala (including Thattar,
Porkollarr, Kannar, Karumar, Kollar,
Thacher, Kal Thacher, Kamsala and
Viswa brahmin.)
45. Kani, Kanisu, Kaniyar Panicker
46. Kaniyala Vellalar
47. Kannada Saineegar, Kannadiyar
(Throughout the State) and
Dasapalanjika (Coimbatore, Erode and
the Nilgiris Districts)
48. Kannadiya Naidu
49. Karpoora Chettiar
50. Karuneegar (Seer Karuneegar, Sri
Karuneegar, Sarattu Karuneegar,
Kaikatti Karuneegar, Mathuvazhi
Kanakkar, Sozhi Kanakkar, and
Sunnambu Karuneegar)
51. Kasukkara Chettiar
52. Katesar, Pattamkatti
53. Kavuthiyar
54. Kerala Mudali
55. Kharvi
56. Khatri
57. Kongu Vaishnava
58. Kongu Vellalars (including Vellala Gounder,
Nattu Gounder, Narambukkatti Gounder,
Tirumudi Vellalar, Thondu Vellalar, Pala
Gounder, Poosari Gounder, Anuppa Vellala
Gounder, Padithalai Gounder, Chendalai
Gounder, Pavalankatti Vellala Gounder,
Palavellala Gounder, Sanku Vellala
Gounder and Rathinagirigounder).
59. Koppala Velama
60. Koteyar
61. Krishnanvaka (in Kanniya Kumari District
and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli
District)
62. Kudikara Vellalar
63. Kudumbi (in Kanniya Kumari District
and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli
District)
64. Kuga Vellalar
65. Kunchidigar
66. Latin Catholics except Latin Catholic
Vannar in Kanniya Kumari District.
67. Lathin Catholics in Shencottah Taluk of
Tirunelveli District
68. Lambadi
69. Lingayat (Jangama)
70. Mahratta (Non-Brahmin) (including Namdev
Mahratta)
71. Malayar
72. Male
73. Maniagar
74. Maravars (except Thanjavur,
Nagapattinum, Tiruvarur,
Pudukottai, Ramanathapuram,
Sivaganga, Virudhunagar,
Tirunelveli and Toothukudi
Districts), Karumaravars
Appanad Kondayam Kottai Maravar –
(except Sivaganga, Virudhunagar,
Ramanathapuram, Madurai, Theni and
Dindigul Districts.)
Sembanad Maravars- (except Sivaganga,
Virudhunagar, and Ramanathapuram
Districts)
75. Moondrumandai Enbathunalu (84) Ur.
Sozhia Vellalar
76. Mooppan
77. Muthuraja, Muthuracha, Muttiriyar,
Mutharaiyar
78. Nadar, Shanar and Gramani
79. Nagaram
80. Naikkar (in Kanniya Kumari District
and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli
District)
81. Nangudi Vellalar
82. Nanjiil Mudali (in Kanniya Kumari District
and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli
District)
83. Odar (in Kanniya Kumari District
and Shencottah Taluk of
Tirunelveli District
84. Odiya
85. Ootruvalanattu Vellalar
86. O.P.S. Vellalar
87. Ovachar
88. Paiyur Kotta Vellalar
89. Pamulu
90. Panar (except in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District where the community is a Scheduled Caste)
91. Pandiya Vellalar
92. Kathikarar in Kanniyakumari District
93. Pannirandam Chettiar or Uthama Chettiar
94. Parkavakulam (including Surithimar, Nathamar, Malayamar, Moopanar and Nainar)
95. Perike (including Perike Balija)
96. Perumkollar (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
97. Podikara Vellalar
98. Pooluva Gounder
99. Poraya
100. Pulavar (in Coimbatore and Erode Districts)
101. Pulluvan or Pooluvar
102. Pusala
103. Reddy (Ganjam)
104. Sadhu Chetty (including Telugu Chetty, Twenty four Manai Telugu Chetty)
105. Sakkaravar or Kavathi (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
106. Salivagana
107. Saliyar, Padmasaliyar, Pattusaliyar, Pattariyar, and Adhaviyar
108. Savalakkarar
109. Saniyalaivar, Senaikudiyar and Illaivaniyar
110. Serakula Vellalar
111. Sourashtra (Patnul Karar)
112. Sozhiavellalar (including Sozhia Vellalar, Vettilaikerar, Kodikalkarar and Keeraka)
113. Srisayar
114. Sundaram Chetty
115. Thogatta Veerakshatriya
116. Tholkollar (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
117. Tholuva Naicker and Vetalakara Naicker
118. Thoraiyar
119. Thoriyar
120. Ukkirakula Kshatriya Naicker
121. Uppara, Uppilia and Sagara
122. Urali Gounder (except Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur and Pudukkottai District) and Orudaya Gounder or Orudaya Gounder (in Madurai, Theni, Dindigul, Coimbatore, Erode, Tiruchirapalli, Karur, Perambalur, Pudukkottai, Salem and Namakkal Districts)
123. Urikkara Nayakkar
124. Virakodi Vellala
125. Vallamban
126. Vallanattu Chettiar
127. Valmiki
128. Vaniyar, Vania Chettiar (including Gandla, Ganika, Telikula and Chekkalai)
129. Veduvan and Vedar (except in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District where the community is a Scheduled Caste)
130. Veerasaiva (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
131. Velar
132. Vellan Chettiar
133. Veluthodathu Nair (in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
134. Vokkaligaru (including Vakkaligaru, Okkaligaru, Kappiliyar, Kappiliya, Okkaliga Gowda, Okkaliya-Gowda, Okkaliya-Gowder, Okkaliga Gowda)
135. Wynad Chetty (The Nilgiris District)
136. Yadha (including Idaiyar, Telugu Speaking Idaiyar known as Vaduga Ayar or Vaduga Idaiyar or Golla and Asthanthra Golla)
137. Yavana
138. Yerukula
139. Converts to Christianity from any Hindu Backward Classes Community or Most Backward Classes Community or Denotified Communities (except the Converts to Christianity from Meenavar, Parvatharajakulam, Pattanavar, Sembadavar, Mukkuvar or Mukayar and Paravar)
140. Orphans and destitute children who have lost their parents before reaching the age of ten and are destitutes; and who have nobody else to
take care of them either by law or custom; and also who are admitted into any of the schools or orphanages run by the Government or recognized by the Government.

141. Thiyya

LIST OF BACKWARD CLASSES

MUSLIMS

1. Ansar
2. Dekkani Muslims
3. Dudekula
4. Labbais including Rowthar and Marakayar (whether their spoken language is Tamil or Urdu)
5. Mapilla
6. Sheik
7. Syed