



**OULGARET MUNICIPALITY
DAY-NULM
PUDUCHERRY-5**

F. No. 5-1 /OM/NULM/SUSV/2022-2023 (Part -II)

Date:17.03.2023

PROCEEDINGS OF THE RETURNING OFFICER

PRESENT: THIRU. G.SARAVANAN,
RETURNING OFFICER (STREET VENDOR ELECTION),
OULGARET MUNICIPALITY.

SUB: OM-NULM-SUSV-Election for street vendor to select member of Permanent Town Vending Committee - Scrutiny of nomination paper-reg.

REF: This Office order even no. dt 03-11-2022.

In Continuation of the resolution passed during the Provisional Town Vending Committee meeting held on 06-12-2022, the notification for electing Twelve (12) members of "Street Vendor representatives" of Permanent Town Vending Committee has been published in dailies as well as in Oulgaret Municipality official website on 04-01-2023. Also Notice containing the information and procedures of the proposed election was sent to all registered Street Vendors through speed post on 20-01-2023, well in advance to the date of election.

In exercise of the duty assignment as Returning Officer as per the order referred above, I have carried out the entire election process adhering the procedure laid down in the (i) Street Vendors Protection of Livelihood and Regulation of Street Vending) Act, 2014 dt. 04-03-2014 of Government of India and (ii) Puducherry Street Vendors (Protection of Livelihood and Regulation of Street Vending) Act, 2014 (Central Act & of 2014) dt.18-01-2017 of Government of Puducherry. As per the above referred street vendor act, the reservation policy among the 12 members was formulated for Seven Assembly Constituency adopting the datas available with the State Election Commission, Puducherry. Accordingly, the reservations adopted in constituency wise is listed below.

SI No	Name of the Constituency	No of Voters			Details of the members to be elected	Reservation category
		Male	Female	Total		
1	Oulgaret	74	99	173	1 Male / 1 Female	SC
2	Kathirkamam	102	105	207	1 Male / 1 Female	BC/OBC
3	Lawspet	49	102	151	1 Male / 1 Female	BC/OBC
4	Indira Nagar	71	83	154	1 Male / 1 Female	General
5	Kalapet	7	18	25	1 Female	General
6	Kamaraj Nagar	52	75	127	1 Male / 1 Female	General
7	Thattanchavady	39	44	83	1 Male	General
		394	526	920	6 Male / 6 Female	

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Nomination of Contestants

The nominations for contesting in election were received from the Contestants from 23-01-2023 to 06-02-2023 upto 5.00PM. The received 24 nominations are listed below.

S. No	Candidate Name	Certificate of Vending No	Candidate Aadhar	Contesting Constituency with Gender	Category
1	Krishnamurthy	OMSV1071	9251 2155 5452	Oulgaret (Male)	SC
2	R Murugan	OMSV0479	3262 8432 1120	Oulgaret (Male)	SC
3	V Ramapraba	OMSV0357	8729 9408 3613	Oulgaret (Female)	SC
4	V Ragupathi	OMSV0288	3034 3449 7395	Kadirkamam (Male)	BC/OBC
5	S Shanmugam	OMSV0644	7151 7114 9193	Kadirkamam (Male)	BC/OBC
6	S Thamizhselvam	OMSV0028	8663 4054 9431	Kadirkamam (Female)	BC/OBC
7	Thamizhselvi	OMSV0637	9629 8404 0809	Kadirkamam (Female)	BC/OBC
8	B Sumathi	OMSV0320	8230 1187 8323	Kadirkamam (Female)	BC/OBC
9	P Selvam	OMSV0253	6164 5648 0094	Lawspet (Male)	BC/OBC
10	M Rajamani	OMSV0431	2169 7947 3105	Lawspet (Male)	BC/OBC
11	Rani	OMSV0553	4532 8700 2385	Lawspet (Female)	BC/OBC
12	S Annamalai	OMSV0462	5971 2837 2184	Indira Nagar (Male)	General
13	L Dhandapani	OMSV0082	4198 0379 8275	Indira Nagar (Male)	General
14	H Suguna	OMSV0453	3322 2162 0953	Indira Nagar (Female)	General
15	G Sumathy	OMSV0791	7019 4824 6371	Kalapet (Female)	General
16	I.Suresh	OMSV0815	8452 5695 7622	Kamaraj nagar (Male)	General
17	Sankar	OMSV0432	9373 0643 7035	Kamaraj nagar (Male)	General
18	V.Tamilarasi	OMSV0496	2406 4182 7928	Kamaraj nagar (Female)	General
19	R Lakshmi	OMSV0907	6096 8905 4290	Kamaraj nagar (Female)	General
20	G Vanaja	OMSV1073	8286 7688 0950	Kamaraj nagar (Female)	General
21	R Chenum Chetty Anusha	OMSV0436	5077 6130 6214	Kamaraj nagar (Female)	General
22	S Dhanasekaran	OMSV0838	7783 8886 8077	Thattanchavady (Male)	General
23	Parandamane	OMSV1019	7112 7878 1122	Thattanchavady (Male)	General
24	Shanmugam	OMSV0887	4682 2952 1533	Thattanchavady (Male)	General

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During the scrutiny of above nominations, all the 24 nominations were found valid and having required documents. In one of the nomination of Thiru S. Thamishselvam s/o Thiru S Shanmugam belong to Kadirkamam Constituency in OBC certificate his father name is mentioned as Thiru Subramanian where as in Aadhar Card it is mentioned as Shanmugam. For this discrepancy, he has produced one affidavit with the signature of Notary Public that both name denote one person. He has also produced some other supporting documents for his claim. Hence his nomination also accepted.

As such, the received 24 nominations for 12 positions of Street Vendor members of Town Vending Committee were found eligible for contesting. Among twelve positions, single nominations were received for four positions viz., Oulgaret female, Kalapet-Female, Lawspet-Female, and Indira Nagar- Female. Hence, they were declared as elected unopposed.

In continuation of scrutiny, the list of eligible nominations of 24 candidates were published in the office notice board as well as in the website <https://oulmun.in/whatsnew.php>, <https://oulmun.in/NULM.php> and https://oulmun.in/NULM_street_vendor_elections.php on 08-02-2023.

On the date of withdrawal of Nomination on 10-02-2023, only one Thiru R. Shanmugam belong to Thattanchavady Constituency withdrawn his nomination. Hence, the final list of 23 contesting candidates were published in the office notice board as well as in the website <https://oulmun.in/whatsnew.php>, <https://oulmun.in/NULM.php> and https://oulmun.in/NULM_street_vendor_elections.php on 10-02-2023. Hence, according to the final list, the following candidates have contested in twelve positions of Town Vending Committee members.

SI No	Name of Constituency	Candidate		Category	Name of 1st Nominee & COV no	Name of 2nd Nominee & COV no	REMARKS
		SI No	Name of Candidate & COV no				
1	Oulgaret (M)	1	Krishnamurthy & OMSV1071	SC	Sakthivel & OMSV0484	Umamaheswari & OMSV0598	
		2	R Murugan & OMSV0479	SC	Senthil Chinnathambi & OMSV0905	Anbuarasan Senthil & OMSV0394	
2	Oulgaret (F)	3	V Ramapraba & OMSV0357	SC	R Angammal & OMSV0471	Lakshmi Senthil & OMSV0470	To be elected as unopposed

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3	Kadirkamam (M)	4	V Ragupathi & OMSV0288	BC/OBC	P Murugan & OMSV0289	S. Sattia & OMSV0310	
		5	S Shanmugam & OMSV0644	BC/OBC	S Tamilvanan & OMSV0625	Rajathi N & OMSV0060	
		6	S Thamizhselvam & OMSV0028	BC/OBC	V Sangeetha & OMSV0748	S Rajeshkanan & OMSV0894	
4	Kadirkamam (M)	7	Thamizhselvi & OMSV0637	BC/OBC	S Joseph Mariadass & OMSV0648	K Kasthuri & OMSV0638	
		8	B Sumathi & OMSV0320	BC/OBC	Palaniyammal & OMSV0795	Panneerselvam & OMSV0318	
5	Lawspet (M)	9	P Selvam & OMSV0253	BC/OBC	S Vaithyanathan & OMSV0232	R Chithara & OMSV0210	
		10	M Rajamani & OMSV0431	BC/OBC	R Thirupurasundari & OMSV0706	S Annadurai & OMSV0141	
6	Lawspet (F)	11	Rani & OMSV0553	BC/OBC	Design & OMSV0243	Prakash & OMSV0247	To be elected as unopposed
7	Indira Nagar (M)	12	S Annamalai & OMSV0462	General	V Jayanthi & OMSV0884	Sivapragasam & OMSV0459	
		13	L Dhandapani & OMSV0082	General	Govindasami & OMSV0082	V. Govindassamy & OMSV0119	
8	Indira Nagar (F)	14	H Suguna & OMSV0453	General	H Sumathi & OMSV0463	D Manicham & OMSV0460	To be elected as unopposed
9	Kalapet (F)	15	G Sumathy & OMSV0791	General	K Murugan & OMSV0283	B Jamuna & OMSV0743	To be elected as unopposed
10	Kamaraj Nagar (M)	16	I.Suresh & OMSV0815	General	Mala & OMSV0786	Arul & OMSV0501	
		17	Sankar & OMSV0432	General	S Selvam & OMSV0551	P.Arikrishnan & OMSV0127	
11	Kamaraj Nagar (F)	18	V.Tamilarasi & OMSV0496	General	Suguna & OMSV0498	S Tiroupourassoundarys & OMSV0128	
		19	R Lakshmi & OMSV0907	General	Thangaraj & OMSV0521	P Ramu & OMSV0527	
		20	G Vanaja & OMSV1073	General	G Aruna & OMSV0150	A Venkatesan & OMSV0499	
		21	R Chenum Chetty Anusha & OMSV0436	General	S Umarani & OMSV0511	V Rani & OMSV0534	
12	Thattanchavady (M)	22	S Dhanasekaran & OMSV0838	General	Velayudham & OMSV0897	Kamal & OMSV0880	
		23	Parandamane & OMSV1019	General	Z Suresh & OMSV0790	Sekar Sengeeni & OMSV1023	

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From the above, the list of candidates contested in each positions are given below:

Sl. No	Constituency/Position	No of Male Candidates	No of Female Candidates
1	Oulgaret – Male	2	-
2	Oulgaret – Female	-	1
3	Kathirkamam – Male	3	-
4	Kathirkamam – Female	-	2
5	Lawspet – Male	2	-
6	Lawspet – Female	-	1
7	Indira Nagar – Male	2	-
8	Indira Nagar – Female	-	1
9	Kamaraj Nagar – Male	2	-
10	Kamaraj Nagar – Female	-	4
11	Thattanchavady – Male	2	-
12	Kalapet – Female	-	1

Hence, as stated in pre para, the election was conducted for eight positions only and not conducted for four female positions as single nominations were received. The eligible contesting candidates were invited on 13-02-2023 and model ballot papers of each constituency were handed over to them. On the same date, Booth agent nominations from every contestants also obtained. Also, a sensitization programme was conducted on 20-02-2023, prior to polling date at MHFM, ECR for the Voters, Booth Agents and contestants to explain about the procedure of Voting, arrangements made at polling booth and behaviour of voters and contestants at the polling venue.

Conduct of Election

As notified earlier, the polling booth was setup at first floor of Modern Hygienic Fish Market. As, the polling was conducted for six constituencies (except Kalapet where single nomination was received) six polling tables were provided with one box for Female Contestant and another one for Male Contestant. The Ballot papers for female Contestants were printed in pink colour and for male contestants printed in blue colour. Also, one help desk with voters list was provided at ground floor to facilitate the Voters.

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In order to record entire polling activities, CCTV cameras were fixed at polling hall as well as in corridor to record all the events from the previous day evening to till the completion of polling and result announcement on 22-02-2023. In addition, still photography was also done at the polling day. Also in order to control the Law and order situations at the polling venue, police security arrangements made on the date of election. Necessary drinking water arrangements were also done at the polling venue.

As scheduled, the polling was stated at 8.00AM on 22-02-2023 Upto 1.00PM, around 57.32% of votes were polled and till the end of polling time i.e. upto 4.00PM, 746 nos of votes out 895 nos (83.35%) were polled.

Numbers of votes polled in constituency wise are listed below:

SI No	Name of Constituency	Total no of Votes	No of Votes polled	Percentage (%) of Polling
1	Oulgaret	173	111	64.16 %
2	Kathirkamam	207	181	87.44%
3	Lawspet	151	127	84.11%
4	Indira Nagar	154	130	84.42%
5	Kamaraj Nagar	127	124	97.64%
6	Thattanchavady	83	73	87.95%
	Total	895	746	83.35%

The entire election process were conducted in the presence of booth agents nominated by each candidate. As, no voters were found in queue at 4.00PM, the Ballot boxes were sealed after 4.00PM and the candidates were informed to present at 5.00PM in the same venue for counting of votes.

Counting of votes

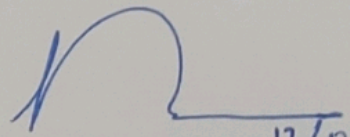
The Ballot boxes for Six Male member seats and Two Female member seats were opened in the presence of Contestants and their Agents and counting was done by the Counting officers. At the end of Counting Process, the result has been announced to Contestants and their agents and their signature have been obtained in the counting tabulation form. Accordingly, the contestants who secured maximum no of votes were declared as successful candidates in their respective Constituency.

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The details of successful candidates are given below:

Sl No	Name of Constituency	Name and COV ID of Successful Candidates	No of Votes secured
1	Oulgaret - Male	R Murugan & OMSV0479	81
2	Oulgaret - Female	V Ramapraba & OMSV0357	unopposed
3	Kathirkamam - Male	V Ragupathi & OMSV0288	86
4	Kathirkamam - Female	Thamizhselvi & OMSV0637	124
5	Lawspet - Male	P Selvam & OMSV0253	87
6	Lawspet - Female	Rani & OMSV0553	unopposed
7	Indira Nagar - Male	L Dhandapani & OMSV0082	90
8	Indira Nagar - Female	H Suguna & OMSV0453	unopposed
9	Kamaraj Nagar - Male	I.Suresh & OMSV0815	63
10	Kamaraj Nagar - Female	G Vanaja & OMSV1073	37
11	Kalapet - Female	G Sumathy & OMSV0791	unopposed
12	Thattanchavady - Male	S Dhanasekaran & OMSV0838	59

In Continuation of the declaration of results, the successful candidates were given certificate for being elected to their contested position. As such, the election process is declared as completed.


(G.SARAVANAN) 17/03/2023
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