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**Analysis of Criminal Background, Financial, Education, Gender and other details of Ministers in the Puducherry Assembly 2021**

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## Summary and Highlights

Association for Democratic Reforms and Puducherry Election Watch have analysed the self-sworn affidavits of all **6 Ministers** including Chief Minister from Puducherry State Assembly 2021.

The information is based on the affidavits submitted by the candidates prior to 2021 Puducherry Assembly Elections.

### List of Cabinet Ministers of Puducherry

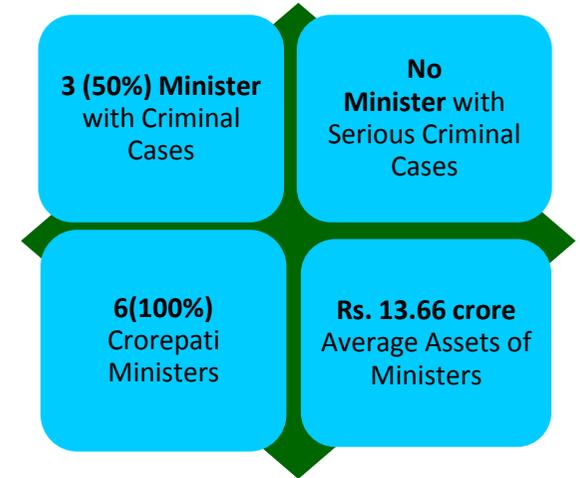
S.No.	Ministers	Position	Party Name
1	N. Rangasamy	MLA	All India N.R. Congress
2	Djeacoumar .C	MLA	All India N.R. Congress
3	Chandira Priyanga	MLA	All India N.R. Congress
4	K. Lakshminarayanan	MLA	All India N.R. Congress
5	A. Namassivayam	MLA	BJP
6	Ak Sai J Saravanan Kumar	MLA	BJP

**Table: Cabinet Ministers of Puducherry**

## Criminal Background

- **Ministers with Criminal Cases:** 3(50%) ministers have declared criminal cases against themselves.

Party Name	Total number of Ministers analyzed	Ministers with declared Criminal Cases	% of Ministers with declared criminal cases	Ministers with declared serious criminal cases	% of Ministers with declared serious criminal cases
All India N.R. Congress	4	2	50%	0	0%
BJP	2	1	50%	0	0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>



## Financial Background

- **Crorepati Ministers:** Out of the 6 ministers analysed, 6 (100%) are crorepatis.

Party Name	Number of Ministers Analyzed	No of Crorepatis	Percentage of Crorepati Minister
All India N.R. Congress	4	4	100%
BJP	2	2	100%
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100%</b>

- **Average Assets:** The average assets of 6 ministers analysed is **Rs 13.66 crores**.
- **Minister with Highest Assets:** The Chief Minister with the highest declared total assets is N. Rangasamy from Thattanchavady constituency with assets worth Rs. 38.39 crores.
- **Minister with Lowest Assets:** The minister with the lowest declared total assets is K. Lakshminarayanan from Raj Bhavan constituency with assets worth Rs. 2.52 crores.
- **Liabilities:** All 6 ministers have declared liabilities out of which the minister with the highest liabilities is A. Namassivayam of Mannadipet constituency with Rs. 4.66 crores of liabilities.

### *Criteria for serious criminal cases*

1. Offence for which maximum punishment is of 5 years or more.
2. If an offence is non-bailable
3. If it is an electoral offence (for eg. IPC 171E or bribery)
4. Offence related to loss to exchequer
5. Offences that are assault, murder, kidnap, rape related
6. Offences that are mentioned in Representation of the People Act (Section 8)
7. Offences under Prevention of Corruption Act
8. Crimes against women.

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### Other Background details (Education, Gender, Age)

- **Ministers' Education:** 2 (33%) ministers have declared their educational qualification to be 10<sup>th</sup> standard while 3 (50%) ministers have declared having an educational qualification of **graduate or above**. 1 minister is **Diploma holder**.
- **Ministers' Age:** A total of 2(33%) ministers have declared their age to be between **31-50 years** while 4(67%) ministers have declared their age to be between **51- 70 years**.
- **Women Ministers:** Out of 6 ministers, 1 is a woman.

### Full Background Details of Puducherry Ministers 2021

S.No.	District	Constituency	Minister	Party	Age	Gender	Total Assets (Rs.)	Liabilities (Rs.)	Cases Total	Serious IPC Counts	Education	PAN Given	Self Income (Rs.)	Self profession
1	Puducherry	Thattanchavady	N. Rangasamy	All India N.R. Congress	70	M	38,39,75,200 38 Crore+	1,15,00,000 1 Crore+	0	0	Graduate_Professional	Y	4,90,000 4 Lacs+	Politician
2	Puducherry	Mannadipet	A. Namassivayam	BJP	51	M	25,05,76,451 25 Crore+	4,66,57,956 4 Crore+	0	0	Others	Y	5,07,000 5 Lacs+	Agriculture and Business
3	Puducherry	Mangalam	Djeacoumar .C	All India N.R. Congress	68	M	8,88,37,841 8 Crore+	16,30,261 16 Lacs+	1	0	10th	Y	10,47,880 10 Lacs+	Agriculture
4	Karaikal	Nedungadu (Sc)	Chandira Priyanga	All India N.R. Congress	31	F	4,04,25,858 4 Crore+	30,98,568 30 Lacs+	0	0	10th	Y	5,50,000 5 Lacs+	POLITICIAN
5	Puducherry	Oussudu (Sc)	Ak Sai J Saravanan Kumar	BJP	48	M	3,10,86,206 3 Crore+	2,48,56,826 2 Crore+	5	0	Graduate	Y	4,89,660 4 Lacs+	Business & Agriculture
6	Puducherry	Raj Bhavan	K. Lakshminarayanan	All India N.R. Congress	60	M	2,52,69,393 2 Crore+	24,50,000 24 Lacs+	2	0	Graduate_Professional	Y	3,63,550 3 Lacs+	Political & Social service

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## Education Details of Ministers

S.No.	Minister	Party Name	Constituency	Education	Education Details
1	Chandira Priyanga	All India N.R. Congress	Nedungadu (SC)	<b>10th Pass</b>	SSLC,HIGH SCHOOL -2006
2	Djeacoumar .C	All India N.R. Congress	Mangalam	<b>10th Pass</b>	S.S.L.C From Vivekananda Govt. High School Villianur, Puducherry in 1969
3	Ak Sai J Saravanan Kumar	BJP	Oussudu (SC)	<b>Graduate</b>	B.A. From Tagore Arts College Pondicherry University in 1994
4	K. Lakshminarayanan	All India N.R. Congress	Raj Bhavan	<b>Graduate Professional</b>	B.L. From Dr. Ambedkar Govt. Law College Puducherry in 1983 & B.Sc. From Loyola College Chennai, Madras University, Year-1980
5	N. Rangasamy	All India N.R. Congress	Thattanchavady	<b>Graduate Professional</b>	Bachelor in Law from Ambedkar Law College, Puducherry in 1977
6	A. Namassivayam	BJP	Mannadipet	<b>Others</b>	Diploma in Civil Engineering, Ramu Seetha Poy Technic Kariapatti, Kamarajar Dist., Year April 1991

**Table: Education Background Details of Ministers**

## Details of Ministers with declared criminal cases

S.No.	Minister Information	Brief Details of IPCs
1	<p><b>Name:</b>Ak Sai J Saravanan Kumar  <b>District:</b>PUDUCHERRY  <b>Constituency:</b>OUSSUDU (SC)  <b>Party:</b> BJP  <b>Total Cases:</b>5  <b>Serious IPC:</b>0  <b>Other IPC:</b>14  <b>Cases (Pending)</b></p> <p>1. <b>IPC Sections - 447, 428, 109, 34, Other Details - , Case No. - , Court - , FIR No. - 109/2017, VILLIANUR POLICE STATION PONDICHERRY, Charges Framed - No , Appeal Filed - No</b></p>	<p>3 charges related to Disobedience to order duly promulgated by public servant (IPC Section-188)  2 charges related to Malignant act likely to spread infection of disease dangerous to life (IPC Section-270)  2 charges related to Negligent act likely to spread infection of disease dangerous to life (IPC Section-269)  1 charge related to Punishment for criminal trespass (IPC Section-447)  1 charge related to Mischief by killing or maiming animal of the value of ten rupees (IPC Section-428)  1 charge related to Punishment of abetment if the act abetted is committed in consequence, and where no express provision is made for its punishment (IPC Section-109)  1 charge related to Acts done by several persons in furtherance of common intention (IPC Section-34)  1 charge related to Punishment for Being member of an unlawful assembly (IPC Section-143)  1 charge related to Punishment for wrongful restraint (IPC Section-341)</p>

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S.No.	Minister Information	Brief Details of IPCs
	<p>2. <b>IPC Sections - 188, 270, Other Details - Sec 3 of Epidemic Disease Act &amp; 51(B) of Disaster Management Act , Case No. - , Court - , FIR No. - 338/2020, VILLIANUR POLICE STATION PONDICHERRY, Charges Framed - No , Appeal Filed - No</b></p> <p>3. <b>IPC Sections - 188, 269, Other Details - Sec 3 of Epidemic Disease Act &amp; 51(B) of Disaster Management Act , Case No. - , Court - , FIR No. - 279/2020, VILLIANUR POLICE STATION PONDICHERRY, Charges Framed - No , Appeal Filed - No</b></p> <p>4. <b>IPC Sections - 188, 269 , Other Details - Sec 3 of Epidemic Disease Act &amp; 51(B) of Disaster Management Act , Case No. - , Court - , FIR No. - 268/2020, VILLIANUR POLICE STATION PONDICHERRY, Charges Framed - No , Appeal Filed - No</b></p> <p>5. <b>IPC Sections - 143, 341, 270, 149, Other Details - Sec. 34(D)(i) of PP Act , Case No. - , Court - , FIR No. - 05/2021, REDDIARPALAYAM POLICE STATION PONDICHERRY, Charges Framed - No , Appeal Filed - No</b></p> <p><b>Cases (Convicted)-----No Cases----</b></p>	<p>1 charge related to Every member of unlawful assembly guilty of offence committed in prosecution of common object (IPC Section-149)</p>
2	<p><b>Name:</b>K. Lakshminarayanan  <b>District:</b>PUDUCHERRY  <b>Constituency:</b>RAJ BHAVAN  <b>Party:</b> All India N.R. Congress  <b>Total Cases:</b>2  <b>Serious IPC:</b>0</p>	<p>1 charge related to Assault or criminal force to deter public servant from discharge of his duty (IPC Section-353)  1 charge related to Disobedience to order duly promulgated by public servant (IPC Section-188)  1 charge related to Danger or obstruction in public way or line of navigation (IPC Section-283)</p>

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S.No.	Minister Information	Brief Details of IPCs
	<p><b>Other IPC:3</b> <b>Cases (Pending)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>IPC Sections - 353, Other Details -</b> Charges not framed, <b>Case No. - , Court - , FIR No. -</b> 41/2016, Muthialpet P.S., <b>Charges Framed - No , Appeal Filed - No</b></li> </ol> <hr/> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>IPC Sections - 188, 283, Other Details - , Case No. -</b> STC No.10/15, <b>Court -</b> Chief Judicial Magistrate Court, Puducherry , <b>FIR No. -</b> 104/2014, Grand Bazar Police Station , <b>Charges Framed - Yes, Date Charges Framed -</b> 07 May 2014 , <b>Appeal Filed - No</b></li> </ol> <hr/> <p><b>Cases (Convicted)-----No Cases----</b></p>	
3	<p><b>Name:</b>Djeacoumar .C <b>District:</b>PUDUCHERRY <b>Constituency:</b>MANGALAM <b>Party:</b> All India N.R. Congress <b>Total Cases:</b>1 <b>Serious IPC:</b>0 <b>Other IPC:</b>0 <b>Cases (Pending)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>IPC Sections - , Other Details -</b> Sec. 31(a), 33, 34, 37(A) &amp; 38 of the Pondicherry Excise Act, 1970 (as amended in 1989) Taken on file on 04/05/2015, <b>Case No. -</b> C.C.No.179/2015, Crime No.04/2011, Excise P.S., Puducherry, <b>Court -</b> Judicial Magistrate II, Puducherry , <b>FIR No. - , Charges Framed - No , Appeal Filed - No</b></li> </ol> <hr/> <p><b>Cases (Convicted)-----No Cases----</b></p>	

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