

GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL & ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS
(PERSONNEL WING)

No.M-13/412/2026/DPAR/SS-I(3)(65365)

Dated: 09.04.2026

C I R C U L A R

Sub: General Elections to Puducherry Legislative Assembly,
2026 - Grant of holiday to Government servants
engaged in Election/ Counting Duty - Reg.

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All Heads of Departments/ Offices are hereby informed that Government servants, who are engaged in 'Election Duty' on the Poll Day (09.04.2026) and 'Counting Duty' on 04.05.2026 in connection with the General Elections to the Puducherry Legislative Assembly, 2026, shall be permitted to avail a holiday on the day following the Poll Day, i.e., **10.04.2026** (Friday), and on the day following the Counting Day, i.e., **05.05.2026** (Tuesday).

/ BY ORDER /

(S. MURUGESAN)
UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

1. All Secretariat Departments/ Heads of Depts./ Offices, Puducherry.
2. The Collector, Puducherry / Karaikal.
3. The Regional Administrator, Mahe / Yanam.
4. All Public Sector Undertakings / Autonomous Bodies/ Local Bodies, Puducherry/ Karaikal / Mahe / Yanam Regions.

Copy to:

1. The Chief Electoral Officer, Puducherry.
2. The Commissioner-cum-Secretaries/ Secretaries to Government, Puducherry.
3. The District Election Officers/ Returning Officers/ AROs, Puducherry.
4. The Private Secretary to Chief Secretary, Puducherry