

TAMIL NADU STATE AGRICULTURAL MARKETING BOARD.

1.	Name of Act, Rules and Byelaws under which the marketing of Agricultural produce is regulated and infrastructure is developed	Act: Tamil Nadu Agricultural Produce Marketing (Regulation) Act 1987. Rules: Tamil Nadu Agricultural Produce Marketing (Regulation) Rules 1991 Byelaws: ---																																																																																						
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	7. Dharmapuri	8. Coimbatore	9. Erode
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6.	Number of			
	I) Principal market Yards	277		
	II) Sub market yards	15		

	<p>III) Other kind of market Yards, may be seasonal (not covered at I & II)</p> <p>IV) Unregulated Markets</p>	<p>1 (Nemili, Vellore Dist.)</p> <p>---</p>																								
7.	<p>Constitution of the Board</p> <p>I) Name of the Board</p> <p>II) Chairman/Vice Chairman and Members (Category wise detail)</p> <p>III) Whether elected or nominated (Detailed Procedure)</p>	<p>TAMIL NADU STATE AGRICULTURAL MARKETING BOARD (TNSAMB)</p> <p>The board shall consist of a president appointed by the government and of the following members, namely</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Chairman of every Market Committee ➤ Director ➤ Registrar ➤ Managing Director, State Ware Housing Corporation, Madras ➤ Agricultural Marketing Advisor, Govt. of India ➤ President of the Tamil Nadu Co-operative marketing federation. ➤ An officer of the Agricultural Department in the secretariat not below the rank of a Deputy Secretary to Government dealing with the subject Agricultural Marketing. <p>President, Vice President and the members are nominated by the Govt.</p>																								
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		charge of the district in any two of the Governments of Animal Husbandry, Forestry, Fisheries, Horticulture, Sericulture of Oilseeds.		
9.	Market fee	Name of Commodity	Rate of Market fee	
	I) Rate of Market fee (Item wise)	40	1%	
	II) Procedure of levy and collection of Market Fee	Act 24(1) – The Market Committee shall levy a fee on any notified Agricultural produce bought or sold in the notified market area at a rate not less than one rupee but not exceeding two rupees for every hundred rupees of the aggregate amount, for which the notified agricultural produce is bought or sold whether for cash or for deferred payment or other valuable consideration.		
	III) Is the fee levied once in State (Procedure for getting the exemption)	Yes		
	IV) Exemptions on payments of Market fee (in detail item wise)	Agricultural Produce	Rate of Market Fee	
		Paddy (TNCSC)	1%	
	V) Total income of market fee of State	2005 – 06	4277.25 Lakhs	
		2006 – 07	4297.24 Lakhs	
		2007 – 08	4778.90 Lakhs	
		2008 – 09	6427.57 Lakhs	
		2009 – 10	6990.45 Lakhs	
10.	Rate of contribution payable by APMC's to the Board	15 %		
11.	Major Crop of the State	Name of Crop	Main Markets	Arrival in Mandis (in lakhs M.T)
		Paddy	T.V.Malai, Villupuram	8.70
		Groundnut	T.V.Malai, Villupuram	0.67
		Pulses	Thanjavur, Pudukottai	0.18
		Coconut	Kanyakumari, Thirunelveli	1.51
		Maize	Coimbatore	1.33
12.	Rate of Commission of commission agent (Commodity Group wise)	Crop	Rate of Commission	Payable by seller/buyer
		Nil	Nil	Nil
13.	Charges payable to market functionaries	By Seller	By Buyer	
		Nil	Nil	
14.	Any other tax/local levy collected by APMC's	Nil		