

BHOODAN YAGNA.

RULES MADE UNDER THE TAMIL NADU BHOODAN YAGNA ACT, 1958.

[G.O. Ms. No. 1951, Public (Rural Development Projects),
dated 9th July 1959.]

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(G.O. Ms. No. 2497, Rural Development and Local Administration, dated 19th December 1969.)

(G.O. Ms. No. 489, Rural Development and Local Administration, dated 21st March 1970.)

(G.O. Ms. No. 2566, Rural Development and Local Administration, dated 9th December 1972.)

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 28 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following:

RULES.

1. *Short title*.—These rules may be called the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Rules, 1959.

2. *Definitions*.—In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires—

(a) "Act" means the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958);

(b) "Form" means a form appended to these rules;

(c) "Section" means a section of the Act.

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Limits of Land and annual income of the landless poor person

3. ~~Limits of land to be owned by landless poor person.~~ For the purpose of clause (j) of section 2, a person who owns lands of the class specified in column (1) of the table below shall be a landless poor person, if such land does not exceed the limits specified in the corresponding entries ~~in column (2) of that table.~~

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"in column (2) of that table and whose annual income does not exceed sixteen thousand rupees"

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THE TABLE.

Class of land.	Limits. ACRES.
(1)	(2)
Wet or garden land	1
Any other class of land	2

4. *Enquiry for removal of Chairman or Member of State Board.*—When it is proposed to take action under sub-section (1) of section 8, the Government shall frame charges against the Chairman or the member of the State Board as the case may be, give him an opportunity of meeting such charges, of testing the evidence adduced against him and of adducing evidence in his favour; and the order of removal shall state the charges framed against the Chairman or the member, his explanation and the finding on each charge with the reasons therefor.

5. *Enquiry for removal of Chairman or Member of the Local Committee.*—The procedure for the removal of the Chairman or a member of the State Board by the Government, laid down in rule 4 shall be adopted by the State Board in respect of the removal of the Chairman or a member of the Local Committee subject to the modification that the powers exercisable by the Government under the said rule shall in relation to a Local Committee be exercisable by the State Board.

6. *Manner of filling up casual vacancies.*—Any fresh appointment of a person to fill any casual vacancy in the office of the Chairman or any other member of the State Board shall be made in consultation with Shri Acharya Vinobha Bhave or a person nominated by him in writing in this behalf:

Provided that the Government may, if the circumstance so warrant or in any case of emergency, make such fresh appointment without such consultation but in consultation with the State Board and the Government shall promptly report to Shri Acharya Vinobha Bhave or a person nominated by him in writing in their behalf, the name of the person appointed to such casual vacancy.

7 *Terms of office of the members of the Local Committee.*—Every member of the Local Committee shall hold office for a period of three years from the date of appointment and shall also be eligible for re-appointment.

8. (1) *Form of declaration.*—(a) Every declaration made for donation of lands for Bhoodan Yagna or Gramdan by a Political sufferer to whom the Government have assigned any land, shall be in Form No. I or Form No. II as the case may be.

(b) Every declaration made for donation of lands for Bhoodan Yagna or Gramdan by a person other than a political sufferer to whom the Government have assigned any land shall be in Form No. I or Form No. II-A, as the case may be.

(2) The declarations shall be filed according to the registration numbers assigned and entered in a register in Form No. III.

(3) The declaration shall be accompanied by one or other of the following documents, namely:—

(1) Title deeds, or

(2) Kist Receipt, or

(3) Statement of the village officer.

9. *Publication of the declaration.*—Notice of every declaration filed shall be published in the District Gazette in Tamil in Form No. IV in addition to its publication in the Fort St. George Gazette. True copies of the notice of declaration shall be affixed to the Notice Board of the Taluk Office and also exhibited in the village chayadies, schools and in any other suitable places in the villages concerned.

10. *SERVICE of notice of enquiry.*—Every notice of enquiry shall be in Form No. V and shall be served on the person concerned in any of the following ways, namely:—

(a) By giving or tendering it to such persons: or

(b) if such person is not found, by leaving it at his last known place of abode or business or by giving or tendering it to some adult member of his family; or

(c) if the address of such person is known to the person or his authorised agent by sending it to him by post registered; or

(d) if none of the means aforesaid is available, by affixing it in some conspicuous part of his last known place of abode or business.

11. Procedure of enquiry.—(1) The Tahsildar or the Deputy Tahsildar shall give to the parties a reasonable opportunity to state their case. He shall also record a brief note of the evidence of the parties and witnesses, if any, examine and upon the evidence so recorded and after consideration of any documentary evidence which may be produced by the parties, pass orders on the objections filed.

(2) An order confirming the declaration or declaring it null and void shall be passed by the Tahsildar or the Deputy Tahsildar under sub-section (4) of section 17 within a period of three months commencing on the date on which objections were filed last under sub-section (2) of section 17.

12. Publication of confirmation.—The confirmation of the declaration shall be published in Tamil in the concerned District Gazette in addition to the publication in the Fort St. George Gazette.

12-A Exchange of Land:-

- (1) On receipt of an application from the donor or his legal heirs, as the case may be, for exchange of land, the Government may, after consultation with the State Board and after satisfying the conditions laid down in class (a) to (e) of section 17-A of the Act by order permit the exchange of land.
- (2) The State Board shall immediately on receipt of such order of the Government, direct the donor or his legal heirs, as the case may be, to submit a declaration as prescribed in section 16 of the Act to the State Board and thereafter the provisions contained in section 16 to 19 of the said Act and the procedures laid down in rule 8 to 12 shall mutatis mutandis apply to the alternate land offered under section 17-A of the Act.
- (3) After vesting of alternate land with the State Board, the land already donated shall be released.

13. Register.—The State Board shall maintain a register in Form No. VI showing the grant of lands. The Local Committees shall also maintain one such Register in such form for their respective areas.

14. Display of notices.—The grant of lands shall be displayed on the notice board of the panchayat office and on the notice board of the taluk office concerned.

15. (1) Conditions of grant.—The State Board shall before granting the lands obtain an undertaking in writing from the grantee with the following conditions, namely:—

(i) that he shall have no right to sell or otherwise dispose of the land;

(ii) that the land shall not be rented out;

(iii) that he shall pay the land revenue, the cess and other charges, due to Government for the land;

(iv) that the grant of the land shall be liable to cancellation if it be found that it was grossly inequitable or was made under a mistake of fact or owing to fraud or misrepresentation.

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(v) that he shall pay to the State Board on the due date, the instalment of loan amount obtained from the State Board.

(vi) that he shall utilise the land for which it was granted within three years from the date of its grant

(2) (i) For violation of any of the conditions specified in sub-rule (1), the grant may be cancelled and the land resumed by the State Board without payment of any compensation whatever to the grantee provided that a reasonable opportunity shall be given to the grantee before taking action under this sub-rule.

(ii) On such resumption the land shall revert in the State Board and the State Board may re-grant it to any other person.

15 (2) (ii) Amendment.

On such resumption the land shall revert in the state Board and the State Board may regrant it only to such person who will be willing to take it subject to the loan granted by the Primary Land Development Bank. All such loans shall be guaranteed by the Government.

15 (3)) Amendment.

Notwithstanding anything continued to sub rule (1) the grantee may with the permission of the State Board mortgage the whole or portion of land vested with grantee by the State Board in favour of government or Co- operative Bank or a Nationalised Bank as security for advance of financial assistance for development of such land.

16. *Publication of the list of lands.*—In respect of all lands already donated for the purposes of Bhoodan Yagna and Gramdan prior to the commencement of the Act, the particulars required shall be specified by the State Board in Form No. VII and Form No. VIII respectively.

17. *List of lands donated prior to the commencement of the Act.*—The list of lands prepared by the State Board under sub-section (1) of section 20 shall in addition to the particulars specified in the said sub-section also contain the conditions subject to which such land has been granted to any person.

18. (1) *Funds of the State Board.*—The moneys remitted in the Fund shall be received by the Chairman of the State Board, or such other members of the Board, or the Secretary of the Board, as the Chairman may appoint in this behalf and deposited in—

(i) a scheduled bank as defined in the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934 (Central Act II of 1934), or

(ii) the Madras State Co-operative Bank, Limited, or

(iii) a Post Office Savings Bank.

(2) All such deposits shall be made in the name of the State Board, Madurai. The Chairman of the State Board or any other person, appointed by him in this behalf, shall have power to withdraw such deposit or any part thereof and operate on the bank accounts.

(3) No money shall be withdrawn from the Bank unless it is required for immediate payment for the purpose of the Board.

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(4) Any money which is not required for immediate expenditure may be invested -

(a) in one or the other of the following securities, namely :—

(i) Promissory notes, debentures, stocks or other securities of the Central Government;

(ii) Promissory notes, debentures, stocks or other securities of any State Government ;

(iii) Stock or debentures of, or shares in companies, the interest wherein shall have been guaranteed by the Central or any State Government;

(iv) Debentures of the Madras Co-operative Central Land Mortgage Bank, Limited, so long as the interest thereon is guaranteed by the State Government;

(v) Debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of any municipal body under the authority of any Act of a State Legislature in India;

OR

(b) in fixed deposits for periods not exceeding three years in—

(i) a scheduled bank as defined in the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934 (Central Act IX of 1934) or

(ii) the Madras State Co-operative Bank, Limited.

or in the purchase or in the first mortgage of immovable property with the previous sanction of the Government.

(5) The investments under sub-rule (4) shall not be pledged, encashed or withdrawn without the prior sanction of the Government.

19. *Submission of the budget.*—The State Board shall submit to Government not later than the 15th September of every year, a budget in Form Nos. IX, X and XI showing its probable receipts and expenditure. The budget shall contain provision adequate in the opinion of the Government for the due discharge of all liabilities in respect of loans contracted by the State Board and for the maintenance of a working balance.

20. Maintenance of registers, accounts and conduct of audit.--

The following registers shall be maintained in the Board's office in connection with the funds of the State Board, namely:

- (a) Minutes Book.
- (b) Cash Book.
- (c) A demand, collection and balance register to watch the realization of moneys from the grantees and also from Sarvodaya Panchayats.
- (d) A deposit register.
- (e) A register showing the receipts and disbursement during the previous years.
- (f) A register showing the recoveries to be made from grantees and Sarvodaya Panchayats.
- (g) A miscellaneous receipts register with receipt books and counterfoils.
- (h) A posting register to compile monthly account.
- (i) A stamp register.
- (j) A contingent register.
- (k) Stock books showing receipts, issue and balance relating to--
 - (i) Stationery and Printed form.
 - (ii) Furniture.
 - (iii) Cycles, typewriters.
 - (iv) Tools and plants and other stores.

21. Receipts.--(1) All transactions shall be brought into account and moneys received shall be paid in full without delay into a bank with which the Board has transaction, to be credited to the appropriate account of the State Board.

(2) The appropriation of receipts to expenditure shall, as a rule, be avoided.

(3) Any officer of the State Board authorized by the Chairman in this behalf, shall grant receipts for all moneys received by him for credit to the State Board's Fund. A counterfoil receipt bearing printed machine numbers shall be maintained for the purpose.

(4) Recoveries of overpayments relating to the current year shall be shown as abatement of charges of the accounts concerned. If the overpayments relate to previous year, the accounts of which have been finally closed, the recoveries shall be taken as direct receipts to the accounts concerned.

22. *Expenditure.*—(1) Payments from the State Board's Funds shall be made by cash or cheque. Cheques shall not be issued for less than Rs. 10.

(2) No money shall be withdrawn from the bank unless it is required for immediate payment.

(3) Money indisputably payable shall never be left unpaid and money paid shall, under no circumstance be kept out of the accounts a day longer than is absolutely necessary.

(4) Any person having a claim against the State Board shall present his voucher duly verified and stamped. All vouchers shall be filled in and signed in ink. The amount shall be written in figures as well as in words. All corrections and alterations in the voucher shall be attested by the dated initials of the person issuing the receipts.

(5) Receipts for all sums exceeding Rs. 20 either by cash or cheque shall be stamped. The correct head of classification according to the budget shall be recorded on each voucher by the drawing officer.

23. *Establishment pay bills, travelling allowance bills, etc.*—In the preparation and drawal of pay bills, travelling allowance bills and contingent bills, the rules contained in the Madras Account Code, Madras Treasury Code and Madras Travelling Allowance Rules shall apply.

24. *Stamps.*—Postage stamps shall be purchased and issued for use in the State Board's office after they are perforated by a perforator with the impression "M.S.B.V.B." The charges for postage shall be drawn on separate contingent bills.

25. *Budget.*—The expenditure shall be classified under the following major and minor heads :—

<i>Major</i>	<i>Minor</i>
1	2
(a) Allowance of officers.	Allowances to Chairman, members and Secretary of the Board.
(b) Pay of establishment.	Pay of establishment in Board's Office.
(c) Allowances.	(i) Travelling allowance. (ii) Other allowance.
(d) Contingencies.	(i) Rents, rates and taxes. (ii) Postage and Telegrams. (iii) Stationery. (iv) Books and periodicals. (v) Electric and lighting charges. (vi) Telephone charges. (vii) Printing charges (viii) Furniture. (ix) Miscellaneous.
(e) Law charges.	(i) Lawyer's fees. (ii) Stamp charges. (iii) Out fees.
(f) Loans and advances.	(i) Repayment of loans. (ii) Interest on loans (iii) Grant of loans.

Reappropriation or transfer of funds from the allotment under one minor head of expenditure to another under the same major head may be made by the Chairman. But no reappropriation from one major head to another shall be made without the sanction of the State Board.

26. *Audit.*—(1) The audit of the accounts of the State Board shall be conducted by the Examiner of Local Fund Accounts. The audit charges, viz., the expenditure on pay and allowances of the audit staff shall be met out of the funds of the State Board.

(2) In auditing the accounts of the State Board's Fund the auditor shall verify the Cash balance and state in the report whether the cash was readily forthcoming for verification.

(3) The auditor shall, in the course of the audit, verify the debentures, share certificates, Government bonds and other securities and the bank books and report whether they were found correct.

(4) The auditor shall report, among other points arising in audit—

(i) Whether the accounts and registers required to be maintained are kept properly;

(ii) Whether the contributions and other receipts due to the State Board have been realised at the proper time and whether due steps have been taken to recover the sums overdue and, if not, in which cases such action has not been taken;

(iii) whether all collections have been brought to account promptly;

(iv) whether any contribution has been remitted or reduced and if so, under proper authority;

(v) whether the expenditure incurred is in accordance with the sanctioned budget and if there are deviations from such budget, what the deviations are;

(vi) whether every item of expenditure has been sanctioned by the competent authority and is supported by a proper voucher;

(vii) whether there is any item of expenditure which, in the opinion of the auditor, is prima facie extravagant; and

(viii) whether the moneys not required for immediate expenditure have all been deposited in banks and surplus funds have been invested.

(5) The auditor shall also report any material impropriety or irregularity which he may observe in the expenditure, in the collection of contributions due to the State Board or in the account, and also all cases of loss or waste of money together with the names of persons directly or indirectly responsible for the loss or waste.

(6) An auditor shall append to his report—

(a) a statement of receipt and charges under the budget lands ;

(b) a statement of income and expenditure;

(c) a consolidated statement of assets and liabilities;

(d) a statement of debentures, share certificates, Government bonds and other securities; and

(e) a consolidated statement of demand ; collections and balance of all items of revenue including contributions, decree amounts, etc., both arrears and current outstanding whether in cash or in kind.

(7) The auditor shall prepare an abstract of the audited accounts (receipts charges and balance sheet) and submit to Government two copies thereof along with the audit report.

27. *Payments of allowances.*—For purposes of travelling and other allowances, the Chairman and the Members of the State Board shall be considered as members of First Class Committees appointed by the Government and the Chairman and Members of the Local Committee as Members of the Second Class Committees appointed by the Government.

APPENDIX.

FORM No. 1.

See clause (a) of sub-section (1) of section 16 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna, Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958) and sub-rule (1) of rule (8).

Bhoodan Yagna Declaration Form.

I/We Son(s) of
 resident of being the
 hamlet of owner(s) of the land(s) the tenant (s) of Jenmi(s) or Land lord (s) of
 the land(s) described below hereby donate the said land(s), transfer
 all my/our right, title and interest in the said land(s) to the Bhoo-
 dan Yagna initiated by Shri Acharya Vinoba Bhave this
 day 19

I/We declare that either myself/ourselves or my heirs/our heirs shall have no title or ownership over the land(s), right, title and interest in the land(s) and that the Madras State Bhoodan Yagna Board may grant the land(s), right, title and interest in the land(s) to any person as it thinks fit.

Name of.			Particulars of lands donated.				Full or part, if part— to the extent and bound- aries to be noted.	Remarks.
District.	Taluk.	Village.	Survey number.	Government.	Wet or Dry.	Extent.	Assessment.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
								(10)

I/We declare that—

(i) I/We have paid in full all the public charges due to the Government in respect of the land(s) and repaid in full the loan or loans obtained from the Government together with the interest thereon, before making the donation for the Bhoodan Yagna.

(ii) The land(s) is/are free from encumbrances and belong(s) to me/us exclusively/jointly with.....

(iii) I/We have brought the land(s) under cultivation within three years from the date of assignment of the land(s) to me/us as a political sufferer(s).

Note.—Clause (iii) is to be struck off when the donor(s) is/are not a political sufferer(s).

Witnesses—

No. 1.

No. 2.

Dated :

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Signature of the donor (s)

FORM No. II.

[See clause (a) of sub-section (1) of section 16 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958) and sub-rule (1) of rule 8.]

GRAMDAN DECLARATION FORM.

I/We
residing in
son(s) of
village,
district,
taluk

on behalf of myself/ourselves and as guardians of my/our minor heirs through this gift deed donate all the lands owned by me/us and in my our possession—all my/our rights, title and interest in the land(s) mentioned below to the Sarvodaya Panchayat of the village.

I/We donate the lands—right, title and interest in the land(s) after being convinced about the ideals of Gramdan Movement initiated by Shri Acharya Vinobha Bhave and after being fully satisfied that the village as a whole including myself/ourselves and my/our heirs and my/our family will be benefitted by this gift. The lands—right, title and interest in the lands, shall vest with the Sarvodaya Panchayat from this day and neither myself/ourselves nor my/our heirs shall have any right, title or interest over the lands

or right, title and interest in the lands which shall be the undisputed property of the Sarvodaya Panchayat. The title, right and interest in the lands may be transferred in the name of the Sarvodaya Panchayat. I/We also declare that there are no encumbrances or liabilities except the following on these lands—right, title and interest in the lands.

Encumbrances or liabilities.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Date.	Name of the creditor.	Nature of debt.	Amount.	Number and date of document.	Remarks.

I/We shall have no powers to revoke cancel or modify this gift deed.

Particulars of properties.

Name of.			Particulars of lands, donated.					(9)	(10)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)		
District.	Taluk.	Village.	Survey number.	Government or inam.	Wet or dry.	Extent.	Assessment.	Full or part; if part, the extent and boundaries to be noted.	Remarks.

I/We declare that—

(i) I/we have paid in full, all the public charges due to the Government in respect of the land(s) and repaid in full the loan or loans obtained from the Government together with the interest thereon, before making the donation for the Gramdan ;

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(ii) the land(s) is/are free from encumbrances and belong(s) to me/us exclusively/jointly with.....

(iii) I/we brought the land(s) under cultivation within three years from the date of assignment of the land(s) to me/us—as a political sufferer(s).

NOTE: -Clause (iii) is to be struck off when the donor(s) is/are not a political sufferer(s).

Witnesses—

No. 1.

No. 2.

Dated : 19

Signature of the donor(s).

FORM No. II A.

[See sub-rule (1) of Rule 8.]

GRAMDHAN DECLARATION FORM.

I/We, _____ son(s) of _____ taluk,
residing in _____ village
_____ district on behalf of myself/ourselves
and as guardians of my/our minor heirs through this gift deed
donate all the lands owned by me/us and in my/our possession
all my/our rights, title and interest in the land(s) mentioned
below to the Sarvodaya Panchayat of the village.

I/We donate the lands—rights, title and interest in the land(s)
after being convinced about the ideals of Gramdan Movement
initiated by Thiru Acharya Vinobha Bhave and after being fully
satisfied that the village as a whole including myself/ourselves and
my/our heirs and my/our family will be benefitted by this gift.
The lands—right, title and interest in the lands, shall vest with
the Sarvodaya Panchayat from this day and neither myself/our-
selves nor my/our heirs shall have any right, title or interest over
the lands or right, title and interest in the lands which shall be
the undisputed property of the Sarvodaya Panchayat. The title,
right and interest in the lands may be transferred in the name of
the Sarvodaya Panchayat. I/We also declare that there are no
encumbrances or liabilities except the following on these lands—
right, title and interest in the lands.

Encumbrances or Liabilities.

(1) Date.	(2) Name of the donor or donors.	(3) Nature of debts 1. Private 2. Public charges.	(4) Amount noted against each cate- gory.	(5) Number and date of document or order.	(6) Remarks.
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I/We shall have no power to revoke, cancel or modify this gift deed.

Particulars of properties.
Particulars of land donated.

Name of.									
District.	Taluk.	Village.	Survey number.	Government of land.	Wet or dry.	Extent.	Assessment.	Full or part; if part, extent and bound- aries to be noted.	Remarks.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)

(i) I/We declare that all the public charges due to the Government in respect of the land or lands and loan or loans obtained from the Government together with interest thereon and also private debts will be paid in full by me/us even after making the donation for Gramdan.

Witnesses—

No. 1.

No. 2.

Dated :

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Signature of the donor(s).

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FORM No. III.

[See section 16 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958) and sub-rule (2) of rule 8.]

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Serial number.	Date.	Name of donor.	Name of village.	Name of hamlet.	Survey number.	Dry or Wet.	Extent.
(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
Extent donated.	Boundaries if part donated.	Assessment.	Date of objection.	Date of publication in the Gazette.	Date of hearing.	Date of orders.	Nature of orders.

FORM No. IV.

(See rule 9.)

Notice under section 17 (1) of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958).

Whereas Sri/Srimathi _____ son/daughter of _____ wife of _____ resident of _____ taluk, _____ district, _____ village, _____ has filed the declaration mentioned in the schedule below. It is hereby published that any objection to the said declaration will be received, by _____ and shall be taken into consideration if filed within two months from the date of publication of the declaration.

Given under my hand, this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Signed
Revenue Officer.

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SCHEDULE

BHOODAN YAGNA DECLARATION FORM

I/We (son(s) of resident of hamlet being the owner(s) of the land(s), the tenant(s) of janmi or landlord(s) of the land(s) described below hereby donate the said land (s) transfer all my/our right, title and interest in the said land (s) to the Bhoodan Yagna initiated by Shri Acharya Vinoba Bhave this day 19

I/We declare that either myself/ourselves or my heirs shall have no title or ownership over the land(s) right, title and interest in the land(s) and that the Tamil Nadu State Bhoodan Yagna Board may grant the land(s) right title and interest in land(s) to any person as it thinks fit.

Name of			Particulars of lands donated.						
Distance	Taluk	Village	Survey number	Government or Inam	Wet or Dry	Extent	Assessment	Full or part the extent and boundaries to be noted	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)

I/We declare that, —

(i) I/We have paid in full all the public charges due to the Government in respect of the land(s) and repaid in full the loan or loans obtained from the Government together with the interest thereon, before making the donation for the Bhoodan Yagna.

(ii) The land(s) is/are free from encumbrances and belong(s) to me/us exclusively/jointly with.....

(iii) I/We have brought the land(s) under cultivation within three years from the date of assignment of the land(s) to me/us a political sufferer(s).

Note: — Clause (ii) is to be struck off when the donor(s) is/are not a political sufferer(s).

Witnesses:

No. 1.
No. 2.

Date 19

Signature of the donor(s).

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GRAMDAN DECLARATION FORM.

I/We _____ son(s) of _____ residing in _____
 village, Taluk _____ District, on behalf of myself,
 ourselves and as guardians of my/our minor heirs through this gift
 deed donate all the lands owned by me/us and in my/our possession
 [all my/our right title and interest in the land(s) mentioned below]
 to the Sarvodaya Panchayat of the village.

I/We donate the lands-right, title and interest in the land(s)
 after being convinced about the ideals of Gramdan Movement
 initiated by Shri Acharya Vinobha Bhave and after being fully
 satisfied that the village as a whole including myself/ourselves and
 my/our heirs and my/our family will be benefitted by this gift.
 The lands-right, title and interest in the lands, shall vest with
 the Sarvodaya Panchayat from this day and neither myself/ourselves
 of my/our heirs shall have any right title or interest over the lands
 or right, title and interest in the lands which shall be the undisputed
 property of the Sarvodaya Panchayat. The title, right and
 interest in the lands may be transferred in the name of the
 Sarvodaya Panchayat. I/We also declare that there are no
 encumbrances or liabilities except the following on these lands,
 right, title and interest in the lands.

Encumbrance of liabilities.

Date.	Name of the creditor.	Nature of debt.	Amount.	Number and date of document.	Remarks.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)

I/We shall have no power to revoke, cancel or modify this gift deed.

Partioulars of Properties.

District.	Taluk.	Village.	Survey Number.	Government or Incom.	Wet or dry.	Extent.	Assessment.	Full or part; if part the extent and boundaries to be noted.	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)

I/We declare that—

(i) I/We have paid in full, all the public charges due to the Government in respect of the land(s) and repaid in full the loan(s) obtained from the Government together with the interest thereon before making the donation for the Gramdan.

The land(s) are free from encumbrances and belong to me/us exclusively/jointly with

(iii) I/We brought the land(s) under cultivation within three years from the date of assignment of the land(s) to me/us—as a political sufferer(s).

Note.—Clause (iii) is to be struck off when the donor(s) is/are not a political sufferer(s).

Witnesses :

No. 1.

No. 2.

Date 19 .

Signature of donor(s).

FORM No. V.

[See sub-section (3) of section 17 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV 1958) and rule 10.]

FORM OF NOTICE.

Notice under rule 10 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Rules, 1959.

In the office of _____ at _____ district.
(Subject: Bhoodan _____ Taluk _____ Village—S.No.
Declaration of— _____ enquiry).

To

(Name, description and place of residence)

WHEREAS, _____ has presented an objection petition to this office regarding the declaration made by _____ for the donation of the land(s) mentioned in the schedule below to the Tamil Nadu State Bhoodan Yagna Board.

* TAKE NOTICE if you have any cause to show why the declaration should not be * declared as null and void, you should appear in person or by a counsel duly confirmed instructed with proofs in this office on the day of 19 , when the said objection will be heard and disposed of failing which the said declaration will be heard and disposed of ex-parte and it will be presumed that you consent to the * declaration of the donation as null and void.

Given under my hand and seal of the office this day of 19

SCHEDULE

Description of land.

1. Name of district.
2. Name of taluk.
3. Name of village.
4. Survey Number.
5. Government or Inam.
6. Classification.
7. Extent.
8. Boundaries, if portions of fields are concerned.

* Score out portion not applicable.

FORM NO. VI.

[See sub-section (1) of section 19 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958) and rule 13.]

Serial number.	Name and address of the grantee.	Particulars of lands granted.								
		Taluk.	Village.	Survey number.	Whether Government or Inam.	Classification.	Extent.	Assessment.	Name and address of donor.	Remarks.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)

FORM NO. VII.

[See sub-section (1) of section 20 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958) and rule 16.]

BHOODAN YAGNA.

Name of		Particulars of land donated.						
Full or part, if part, the extent and boundaries to be noted.	Name and address of donor.	District.	Taluk.	Village.	Survey number.	Government or Inam.	Wet or Dry.	Extent.
(9)	(10)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Date of donation.	Nature of interest of the donor in the land.	If already granted to any person, name and address of grantee.	Date of such grant.	Remarks.	Assessment.			
					(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)

FORM No. VIII.

[See sub-section (1) of section 20 read with sub-section (1) of section 25 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958) and rule 16.]

GRAMDAN.

Name of			Particulars of land donated.				
District.	Taluk.	Village.	Survey number.	Government or Inam.	Wet or Dry.	Extent.	Assessment.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Full or part if part, the extent and boundaries to be noted.			Name and address of donor.				
(9)			(10)				
Date of donation.			Nature of interest of the donor in the land.				
(11)			(12)				
Remarks.			(13)				

FORM No. IX.

See sub-clause (1) of sub-section 2 of section 28 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958) and rule 19.]

Budget Estimate of Income and Expenditure of the Tamil Nadu State Bhoodan Yagna Board for the year.

Account.	Budget. estimate.	Revised estimate for,	Income.	
			Head of income.	Budget estimate for.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
			1. Income under	
			‘Contribution’	
			from land.	
			2. Interest	
			on investments.	
			Deficit at the end	
			of the year.	
			Total ..	

Budget estimate for (6)	Expenditure Heads of expenditure. (7)	Accounts for (8)
Rs.		Rs.
	1. Deficit from previous year.	
	2. (i) Allowances to Chairman, Secretary and members of the Board.	
	(ii) Pay of establishment.	
	(iii) Travelling allowance and other allowance.	
	(iv) Contingencies.	
	(v) Law charges and after deducting recoveries.	
	(vi) Audit charges.	
	(vii) Interest on loans.	
	Total ..	

FORM No. X.

See clause (i) of sub-section (2) of section 28 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958) and rule 19.

Budget Estimate of Receipts Payments of the Madras State Bhoodan Yagna Board for

Account for Rs.	Budget estimate for Rs.	Revised estimate for Rs.	Receipts.
			Heads of Receipts.
			Cash balance from previous year.
			(i) Income
			(ii) Loans.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)

Budget estimate for	Revised estimate for	Payments Heads of Payments.	Revised estimate for Rs.	Budget estimate for Rs.	Accounts for Rs.
(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)

(i) Expenditure

(ii) Repayment of
loans*
†Cash balance at
the end of the
year.

*Form surplus of income over expenditure or from balance of loans, etc., when there is no surplus.

†Includes advance of pay, travelling allowance and lawyer's fees.

FORM No. XI.

(See clause (1) of sub-section (2) of section 28 of the Tamil Nadu Bhoodan Yagna Act, 1958 (Tamil Nadu Act XV of 1958) and rule 19).

Budget Estimate for Assets and liabilities of the Tamil Nadu State Bhoodan Board on.

		Assets.				
Account for	Budget estimate for	Revised estimate for	Heads of assets.	Budget estimate for		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)		
		Liabilities				
Budget estimate for	Heads of liabilities.	Revised estimate for	Budget estimate for	Accounts for		
(6)	(7)	Rs. (8)	Rs. (9)	Rs. (10)		
			Loans.			
	Cash balance*					
	Deficit at the end of the year.					
	Total					

*Includes advance of pay, travelling allowance and lawyer's fees.