

**(TO BE PUBLISHED IN PART II SECTION 3 -SUB-SECTION (ii)
OF THE GAZETTE OF INDIA EXTRAORDINARY)**

MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
(Department of Commerce)

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 13th July, 2005

S.O. 1001 (E).- In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (3) of section 4 of the Tea Act, 1953 (29 of 1953), read with rules 4 and 5 of the Tea Rules, 1954, the Central Government hereby appoints the following persons as Members of the Tea Board, with effect from the date of publication of this notification, upto 31st March, 2008 and makes the following further amendments in the notification of the Government of India, in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry (Tea Control), number S.R.O. 944, dated the 17th March, 1954, namely :-

In the said notification, for serial numbers 11 to 31 and the entries relating thereto, the following serial numbers and entries shall be substituted, namely:-

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| “11. Chairman, Indian Tea Association, Kolkata, West Bengal. | Member | Representing owners of tea estates and gardens and growers of tea under rule 4(1) (c). |
| 12. Chairman, UPASI Tea Committee, UPASI, Coonoor. | Member | Representing owners of tea estates and gardens and growers of tea under rule 4(1) (c). |
| 13. Shri Dipankar Chatterji, Managing Director, The Luxmi Tea Company, Ltd. 17, R.N. Mukherjee Road, Kolkata-700001. | Member | Representing owners of tea estates and gardens and growers of tea under rule 4(1) (c). |
| 14. Shri J.L. Butail, Kangra Valley Small Tea Growers Association, Kangra, Himachal Pradesh. | Member | Representing owners of tea estates and gardens and growers of tea under rule 4(1) (c). |
| 15. Shri J.K. Thomas, Managing Director, Malankara | Member | Representing owners of tea estates and gardens |

	Plantations Ltd. Kodimatha, Kottayam-686039.		and growers of tea under rule 4(1) (c).
16. Vacant		Member	Representing owners of tea estates and gardens and growers of tea under rule 4(1) (c).
17. Vacant		Member	Representing owners of tea estates and gardens and growers of tea under rule 4(1) (c).
18. Vacant		Member	Representing owners of tea estates and gardens and growers of tea under rule 4(1) (c).
19. Shri V. Soundararajan, Vice President, INTUC, Valasavakkam, Chennai- 600087.		Member	Representing persons employed in tea estates and gardens under rule 4(1) (d).
20. Shri Shankar Malakar, Babupara, Siliguri, West Bengal.		Member	Representing persons employed in tea estates and gardens under rule 4(1) (d).
21. Vacant		Member	Representing persons employed in tea estates and gardens under rule 4(1) (d).
22. Vacant		Member	Representing persons employed in tea estates and gardens under rule 4(1) (d).
23. Vacant		Member	Representing persons employed in tea estates and gardens under rule 4(1) (d).
24. Shri Vijay Jagannath, J. Thomas & Company, 11, R.N. Mukherjee Road, Kolkata-700001.		Member	Representing dealers including both exporters and internal traders of tea under rule 4(1) (e).
25. Vacant		Member	Representing dealers including both exporters and internal traders of tea under rule 4(1) (e).

26. Vacant	Member	Representing manufacturers of tea under rule 4(1) (f).
27. Vacant	Member	Representing manufacturers of tea under rule 4(1) (f).
28. Ms. Babita Sharma, Sangeeta Advertising, Anuradha Complex, Damuni Maidan, Guwahati-781021.	Member	Representing consumers of tea under rule 4(1) (g).
29. Vacant	Member	Representing consumers of tea under rule 4(1) (g).
30. Shri K. Kapoor, 6, Alipore Avenue, Kolkata-700027.	Member	Representing other interest under rule 4(1) (h).
31. Vacant	Member	Representing other interest under rule 4(1) (h)".

(F.No.T-49019/1/2004-Plant(A))

(**ABHIJIT SENGUPTA**)
ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

Note : Principal Notification was issued vide S.R.O. No. 944 dated 17.3.1954 and subsequently amended vide :

1. S.O. 297(E) dated 1st April,1990
2. S.O. 438 (E) dated 30th May,1990
3. S.O. 246 (E) dated 8th April,1991
4. S.O. 247 (E) dated 8th April,1991
5. S.O. 727 (E) dated 24th October,1991
6. S.O. 105 (E) dated 3rd February,1992
7. S.O. 356 (E) dated 25th May,1992
8. S.O. 220 (E) dated 31st March,1993
9. S.O. 364 (E) dated 8th June,1993
10. S.O. 997 (E) dated 21st December,1993
11. S.O. 252 (E) dated 26th March,1996
12. S.O. 743 (E) dated 25th October,1996
13. S.O. 805 (E) dated 20th November,1996
14. S.O. 878 (E) dated 17th December,1996
15. S.O. 17 (E) dated 7th January,1997
16. S.O. 500 (E) dated 16th July,1997
17. S.O. 715 (E) dated 21st August, 1998

18. S.O 236(E) dated 8th April,1999
19. S.O. 83 (E) dated 28th January,2000
20. S.O. 7 (E) dated 10th January,2001
21. S.O. 325 (E) dated 11th April, 2001
22. S.O 676(E) dated 17th July, 2001
23. S.O. 1147 (E) dated 21st November, 2001
24. S.O. 1281 (E) dated 31st December, 2001
25. S.O. 399(E) dated 9th April, 2002
26. S.O. 1346(E) dated 24th November, 2003
27. S.O. 960(E) dated 30th August, 2004
28. S.O. 43(E) dated 11th January, 2005
29. S.O. 487(E) dated 1st April, 2005

Explanatory Memorandum:

The names of the other members (serial numbers 16 to 18, 21 to 23, 25 to 27, 29 and 31) will be published subsequently.