Chapter – 3

Municipality and Corporation

Municipality And corporation

I. Fill in the blanks :

Question 1.
The oldest Corporation of Tamil Nadu is _____

Answer:
Chennai

Question 2.
The father of local self government is _____

Answer:
Lord Rippon

Question 3.
The 'Balwant Rai Mehta Committee' recommented a three tier Panchayat Raj system in the year _____

Answer:
1957

Question 4.
The Tenure of Municipality is _____ years.

Answer:
5

II. Match the following :

1. Rural local body   -   (a)   More than 5000 people
2. Rippon building   -   (b)   Township
3. Neyveli   -   (c)   Grama panchayat

4. Town Panchayat - (d) Corporation
5. Mayor - (e) Lord Rippon

Answer:

1. – (c)
2. – (e)
3. – (b)
4. – (a)
5. – (d)

III. Fill in the blanks:

Question 1.

S. No.		Municipality	Corporation
1	Head	Chairperson	
2	Number		15
3	Tenure		
4	Officer	Commissioner	
5	Revenue		Professional tax

Answer:

S.no		Municipality	Corporation
1.	Head	Chairiperson	Father of corporation
2.	Number	148	15
3.	Tenure	5	5
4.	Officer	Commissioner	Mayor, IAS officers
5.	Revenue	Water tax, Road tax, Drainage tax, House tax	Professional tax

IV. Answer in brief :

Question 1.
What are the duties of Corporation? (OR) Write two functions of municipality.
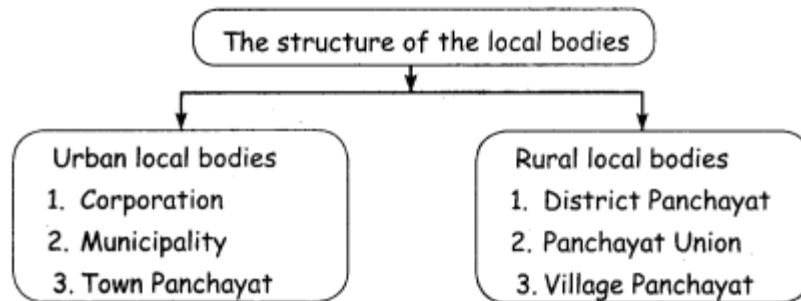
Answer:
(a) Providing street lamps.
(b) Maintaining birth and death.
(c) Constructing roads.
(d) Removing garbage dumps.

Question 2.
Write the structure of the local bodies?

Answer:

The structure of the local bodies

Urban local bodies
1. Corporation
2. Municipality
3. Town Panchayat

Rural local bodies
1. District Panchayat
2. Panchayat Union
3. Village Panchayat

Question 3.
What is the total number of Corporations in Tamil Nadu?

Answer:
There are 15 corporations in Tamil Nadu.

Question 4.
What are the sources of income of Municipality?

Answer:
House tax, Professional tax, Drinking water tax, Shop tax, Road tax and Drainage tax are the sources of income of Municipality.

InText activity

Activity

Question 1.
Find out the activities held in the parks and libraries of your ward and share the information in your class.

Answer:
Activity to be done by the students themselves

Question 2.
Visit your nearby Corporation with the help of your teacher and examine the Council Assembly.

Answer:
Activity to be done by the students themselves

Question 3.
What are the taxes paid by your parents?

Answer:
Activity to be done by the students themselves