

**MATHAI CHACKO**  
*[CPI(M) – THIRUVAMBADI]*

Son of Shri A.M. Mathai and Smt. Treessia; born at Thiruvambadi on 12<sup>th</sup> May 1959; B.A, L.L.B; Advocate; Social and Political worker.

Entered politics through students movement; Was an active worker in S.F.I and D.Y.F.I; Was Secretary, S.F.I Devagiri College Unit, Mukkam and Kozhikode Area Committee, Kozhikode District Committee and the State Committee; Was President, D.Y.F.I Kozhikode District Committee; Joint Secretary and the Secretary, D.Y.F.I State Committee; Member, D.Y.F.I Central Committee; involved in various agitations led by S.F.I and D.Y.F.I; Led many agitations including Parallel College Students Fare Concession Struggle, Karmal School Strike, Agitation against privatisation of polytechnic etc; brutally assaulted by police at Koothuparamba incident; also lathicharged at puthiyappa while participating in the Road Block agitation against U.D.F Minister in 1986; imprisoned in 1986; Actively participated in “Ambayathode Surplus Land Agitation”; Was University Union Councillor in Devagiri College and Law College, Kozhikode; Was Students representative in Calicut University Senate; Served as the Private Secretary to the Minister for Co-operation and Fisheries (1987-91). Was Vice-Chairman, Kerala Co-operative Employees Welfare Board; Member, Calicut University Syndicate.

Now, Member, CPI(M) Kozhikode District Committee and State Committee.

Previously elected to KLA in 2001.

Languages Known	: Malayalam, English and Hindi
Wife	: Smt. Mercy
Children	: 1 Son and 1 Daughter
Travels abroad	: Russia and Cuba
Literary activities	: Writing articles in dailies and periodicals
Permanent Address	: House No.3/618 Nadakkavu. P.O., Calicut-11.

**Voting Results:**

Electorate	: 161002
Votes Polled	: 123043
Shri Mathai Chacko [CPI(M)]	: 61104
Shri M.C. Mayin Hajee (ML)	: 55625
Adv. Ajith Kumar (BJP)	: 4400