## BALAN, A.K. [CPI(M)-COYALMANNAM (SC]

Minister for Welfare of Scheduled Communities and Electricity

Son of Shri. Kelappan and Smt. Kunhi; Born at Nadapuram on 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1948; BA, LLB; Advocate; Social and Political worker.

Entered politics through students movement; Was the President and Secretary of SFI State Committee (1979-82); First President, Palakkad District Council; Chairman, KSFE; Member, Estimates Committee, Lok Sabha (1980-84), Calicut University Senate, General Council of Kerala Agricultural University; Secretary, CITU Palakkad District.

Elected to Lok Sabha from Ottappalam constituency (1980-84).

Now, Member CPI(M) State Secretariat; State Vice President and Member National Working Committee, CITU.

Previously elected to KLA in 2001 from the same constituency.

Languages Known

: Malayalam and English

Wife

: Dr. P. K. Jameela

Children

: 2 Sons

Travels abroad

: South Korea, Singapore

Hobbies

: Magic and Palmistry

Permanent Address

: Janani,

Parakunnam,

Palakkad - 678 001.

## Voting Results

Electorate : 157508
Votes Polled : 113913
Shri A.K. Balan [CPI(M)] : 59239
Shri C. Prakash[INC] : 45369
Shri P.M. Krishnaswamy[BJP] : 5902