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### NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

#### MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND WATER SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

*Secretariat, 30th April 2015*

*[G.O. Ms. No. 73, Municipal Administration and Water Supply (MA-1), 30th April 2015, Chithirai 17,  
Manmadha, Thiruvalluvar Aandu-2046.]*

#### **No. II(2)/MAWS/208(c)/2015.**

[The Chennai Metropolitan Area Groundwater (Regulation) Act, 1987 – Authorisation of Revenue Divisional Officer as Competent Authority in respect of Revenue Villages of Kancheepuram and Thiruvallur Districts - Orders – Issued.]

The following Government Order is published:—

READ:

1. Act amendment issued in *Tamil Nadu Government Gazette* Extraordinary, No.156, dated 11-8-2014.
2. From the Managing Director, Chennai Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage Board, Letter No.CMWSSB/O&M/JG/048/2014, dated 28-8-2014.

#### **Order: No. 73, Municipal Administration and Water Supply (MA-1) Department , 30th April 2015.**

In the reference 1st cited, as per the orders of the High Court of Madras, dated 27-08-2014, in W.P. No.27912/2013 the Chennai Metropolitan Area Groundwater (Regulation) Act, 1987 was amended and enacted in the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly on 11-8-2014.

2. According to clause (b) of sub-section (1) of Section 8 of the Chennai Metropolitan Area Groundwater (Regulation) Act, 1987, in relation to the villages specified in the schedule thereto, the Collector of Chengalpattu or any officer not below the rank of Tahsildar, authorized by the Government in this behalf shall be the Competent Authority for the purposes of the said Act. The Government has now decided to authorize the Revenue Divisional Officer, Kancheepuram and Thiruvallur Districts as competent authority in relation to the villages specified in the Schedule to the said Act for administrative reasons.

3. Accordingly, the Government hereby authorise the concerned Revenue Divisional Officer of Kancheepuram and Thiruvallur Districts, as the case may be, as the Competent Authority for the purpose of the said Act in relation to revenue villages in Kancheepuram and Thiruvallur Districts specified in the schedule to the said Act.

(By Order of the Governor)

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