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ABSTRACT

CHENNAI METRO RAIL PROJECT – Implementation of Chennai Metro Rail Project – In principle approval of the State Government accorded – Orders – Issued.

PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT & SPECIAL INITIATIVES (SI) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.180

Dated: 12.12.2007

READ:

1. G.O.Ms.No.4, Transport Department dated 6.1.2006.
2. G.O.Ms.No.36, Transport Department dated 5.7.2006.
3. G.O.Ms.No.10, Planning, Development & Special Initiatives (CSS) Department dated 18.1.2007.
4. G.O.Ms.No.156, Planning, Development & Special Initiatives (SI) Department dated 11.10.2007.

ORDER:

In the Government Order second read above, in modification of the Government Order first read above, orders were issued for implementation of a Metro Rail System in Chennai and for completion of the Detailed Project Report (DPR) by the Delhi Metro Rail Corporation Limited (DMRC).

2. The Managing Director, DMRC submitted the Detailed Project Report on 1st November 2007 and it was scrutinised by the Metro Rail Project Committee (constituted in the orders third cited above read with the orders fourth cited above). The Committee has recommended approval of the Chennai Metro Rail Project with two initial Corridors from Washermanpet to Chennai Airport (Corridor 1) and Chennai Fort to St.Thomas Mount (Corridor 2) with the modification that the stretch in the Shenoy Nagar and Anna Nagar areas may be underground if feasible, at an estimated cost of Rs.9,757 crores in March 2007 prices.

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3. The Government after careful consideration, issue the following orders.

- i. The Government approve in principle the two initial corridors of the Chennai Metro Rail Project from Washermanpet to Chennai Airport (Corridor 1) and Chennai Fort to St. Thomas Mount (corridor 2) as per the recommended option in the Detailed Project Report prepared by Delhi Metro Rail Corporation, with the modification that, if feasible the stretch between Shenoy Nagar and Anna Nagar areas shall be underground.
- ii. The Government approve the estimated cost of the project at Rs.9,757 crores in March 2007 prices, excluding taxes, duties, escalation, interest during construction, etc.
- iii. The Government recommend the same to the Government of India for Central Government funding and for loan assistance from domestic and international financial institutions.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**T.V. SOMANATHAN,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
(Special initiatives)**

To

The Chairman / Managing Director, Chennai Metro Rail Limited, Chennai.

The Secretary to Government, Transport Department, Chennai-9.

The Secretary to Government, Housing & Urban Development Department, Chennai-9.

The Secretary to Government, Municipal Administration & Water Supply Department, Chennai-9.

The Secretary to Government, Finance Department, Chennai-9.

The Secretary to Government, Highways Department, Chennai-9.

The Member-Secretary, Chennai Metropolitan Development Authority, Ch-8.

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Urban Development, New Delhi.

Copy to:

The Managing Director, Delhi Metro Rail Corporation, New Delhi.

The Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Urban Infrastructure Financial Services Ltd.,
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The Private Secretary to Chief Secretary, Chennai-9.

The Personal Assistant to Secretary to Government, Special Initiatives Department, Chennai-9.

// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

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