

NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS DEPARTMENT

Prohibition of burning of Cashewnut shells as fuel in the State of Tamil Nadu under Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act.

[G.O.Ms. No. 135, Environment and Forests (EC2),
21st November 2008.]

No.II(2)/EF/581/2008.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (5) of Section 19 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 (Central Act 14 of 1981), the Governor of Tamil Nadu after consultation with the Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board, is of the opinion that the burning of Cashewnut shells causes air pollution and hereby prohibits the burning of the said material in the State of Tamil Nadu without observing the following measures while burning the said material:—

(1) Wet scrubber with suction arrangement and a stack of height of chimneys at least three metres above the building shall be provided.

(2) The particulate matter emission from the stack shall not exceed 150 mg/Nm³.

(3) The waste water from the wet scrubber shall be recycled.

(4) The ovens shall be designed with protective covers so that there shall not be any direct heat radiation towards persons working near by.

(5) Cashewnut shells shall be stored in a closed shed so as to avoid carry over due to wind and to avoid spillages.

(6) The burnt carbon (ash) shall be collected in a container and disposed of.

(7) All hotels, bakeries and other institutions that burn cashewnut shells shall get the consent of the Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board under relevant Act and Rules.

N. SUNDARDEVAN,
Principal Secretary to Government.

HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Declaration of Melmaruvathur Adiparasakthi Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Melmaruvathur as Teaching Medical Institution under Tamil Nadu Anatomy Act.

[G.O. (3D) No. 147, Health and Family Welfare (Z1),
18th November 2008, Karthigai-3, Thiruvalluvar Aandu-2039.]

No.II(2)/HF/582/2008.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (e) of Section 2 of the Tamil Nadu Anatomy Act, 1951 (Tamil Nadu Act XVIII of 1951), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby declares Melmaruvathur Adiparasakthi Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Melmaruvathur to be a teaching medical institution for the purpose of the said Act.

V.K. SUBBURAJ,
Principal Secretary to Government.

HOME DEPARTMENT

Specification of officers of certain Departments to compound and offence punishable in respect of Motor Vehicles under Motor Vehicles Act.

[G.O.Ms. No. 1579, Home (Transport-V), 24th November
2008, கார்த்திகை 9, திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு-2039.]

No. II(2)/HO/583/2008.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 200 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act 59 of 1988) and in supersession of the Home Department Notification No. II/HO/1335/97, dated the 29th May 1997 published at page 407 of Part II—Section 2 of the *Tamil Nadu Government Gazette*, date the 18th June 1997, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby specifies the officers of the Transport Department not below the rank of Motor Vehicle Inspector, Grade-II and the officers of the Police Department not below the rank of Sub-Inspector of Police in uniform to compound and offence punishable under sub-section (2) of Section 190 of the said Act in respect of the motor vehicles and for the amount specified below:—

(1) Four Wheelers	Rs. 500/- (Rupees five hundred only)
(2) Two Wheelers and Three Wheelers	Rs. 250/- (Rupees two hundred and fifty only)

S. MALATHI,
Principal Secretary to Government.

HOME, PROHIBITION AND EXCISE DEPARTMENT

Exemption from operation of certain provision to produce Indian-made Foreign Spirits by Thiruvalargal Southern Agrifurane Industries Limited for certain period under Tamil Nadu Indian-made Foreign Spirits (Manufactures) Rules.

[G.O. Ms. No. 98, Home, Prohibition and Excise (III),
24th November 2008.]

No. II(2)/HOPE/584/2008.—In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 35 of the Tamil Nadu Indian-made Foreign Spirits (Manufacture) Rules, 1981, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby exempts Thiruvalargal Southern Agrifurane Industries Limited, Indian-made Foreign Spirits unit, from the operation of the provisions of sub-rule (3-A) of rule 25 of the said Rules, so as to enable the said Company to produce 4,13,100 cases of Indian-made Foreign Spirits per month and 49,57,200 cases per annum from 1st December 2008 onwards.

S. MALATHI,
Principal Secretary to Government.