ABSTRACT

Environment – Constitution of Steering Committee under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary to Government for monitoring the implementation of ban on one-time use and throwaway plastics irrespective of thickness with effect from 01.01.2019 – Orders – Issued.

Environment and Forests (EC.2) Department

G.O. (Ms) No.92

Dated: 05.07.2018

G.O.(Ms)No.84, Environment and Forests (EC.2) Department, Dated. 25.6.2018.

ORDER:

Hon’ble Chief Minister has made an announcement under Rule 110 of Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Rules, on the floor of the Assembly on 05.06.2018 regarding ban on manufacture, sales, storage and usage of disposable plastic across State under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 with effect from 01.01.2019.

2. In the Government order read above, a notification has been issued for imposing ban on manufacture, storage, supply, sale and use of ‘use and throwaway plastics’ such as plastic sheets used for food wrapping, spreading on dining table etc., plastic plates, plastic coated tea cups / plastic tumbler, water pouches/ packets, plastic straw, plastic carry bag and plastic flags irrespective of thickness with effect from 01.01.2019.

3. The Government after careful examination have decided to constitute a Steering Committee under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary to Government with the following composition for monitoring the overall implementation of ban on one-time use and throwaway plastics irrespective of thickness with effect from 01.01.2019:-

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- The Steering Committee will monitor the overall implementation of ban on one-time use and throwaway plastics irrespective of thickness.
- The Committee will meet once in 2 months.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

Md. NASIMUDDIN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Special Personal Assistant to Hon’ble Minister (Environment), 
Chennai-9.
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