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**MOST URGENT****OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM**

Sub: Courts and Judges - uninterrupted power supply in the Subordinate Courts at District Head Quarters and Taluk Centers - Steps taken by the Government - Letter received from the Government - communicated - further instructions issued.

Ref:1) High Court's Official Memorandum in R.O.C.No.47/2008/D4 dated 06.07.2009

2) Government's D.O.letter No.33094/Courts-III, dated 31.07.2009 with enclosure received from the Principal Secretary to Government, Home and P & E Department, Secretariat, Chennai.

A copy of the Government's letter with enclosure under reference second cited is forwarded herewith.

The Principal District Judges / Head of Units and Chief Judicial Magistrates concerned are required to communicate the Government's letter with enclosure annexed herewith to all the Judicial Officers functioning in their respective Districts / Units immediately without fail.

They are also required to communicate the copy of the Government letter with enclosure annexed herewith to the concerned Electricity Board Authorities immediately for information and compliance. Any incident of interruption of power supply to the courts during the

R.No. 6000/2009/B2, dt. 5.8.2009.

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Copy communicated to all the Judicial Officers in Civil unit of Thanjavur District for strict compliance and requested to monitor the uninterrupted power supply to the respective courts during the court hours and submit a report fortnightly as to the power supply in their respective courts to this court without fail.

/By order/

Chief Administrative Officer.

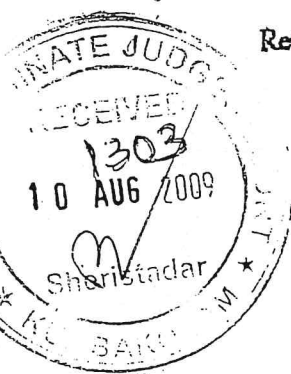
Principal Subordinate Judge

The Engineer, (Operation & Maintenance) T.L.E.B
Kumbakonam to furnish
particulars and submit to this
court immediately

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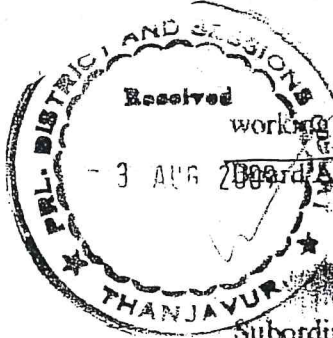
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working days should be brought to the notice of the concerned Electricity Board Authorities immediately for rectifying the defects forthwith.

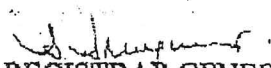
They are further instructed to issue appropriate directions to the Subordinate Judicial Officers functioning in their respective Districts to monitor the uninterrupted power supply during the court hours on all the working days and also to produce copy of the Government's letter with enclosure under reference second cited before the concerned Electricity Board Authorities in their respective stations.

They are also required to monitor the uninterrupted power supply to the courts during the court hours and submit a report fortnightly as to the power supply in their respective Districts, to the Registry without fail.

They are also directed to follow the instructions scrupulously and any deviation in this regard will be viewed seriously.

The receipt of this O.M. is required to be acknowledged at once.

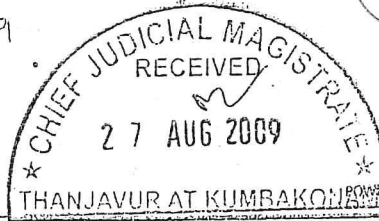
HIGH COURT, MADRAS.
DATED: 01-08-2009.

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REGISTRAR GENERAL.

To.

1. The Principal District Judges / Head of Units concerned.
2. The Chief Judicial Magistrates concerned.

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D. SINGH, I.A.S.,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY /
CHIEF MAN,
TAMIL NADU ELECTRICITY BOARD.



D.O.Lt.No./SE/LD&GO/EE/LD/F. UPS/D. ⁴⁶³ /2009, Dt: 19.08.09.

Dear Tamil Vijayan.

Sub: Electricity – Subordinate Courts – Uninterrupted Power supply to
the Subordinate Courts - Reg.

Ref: 1. Your D.O.Letter.No.47/2008/D4, dt: 11.08.2009.
2. Principal Secretary, Home and P&E Department, Lr. No.
33094/Courts-III/2009, dt.31.07.09 addressed to Thiru. A. Arumughaswamy,
Registrar, High Court of Madras.

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In response to your D.O. letter, it is informed that necessary
arrangements have already been made to maintain uninterrupted power
supply to the Subordinate Courts during Court Functioning hours on all
working days with effect from 3rd August 2009 as intimated in the letter
2nd cited.

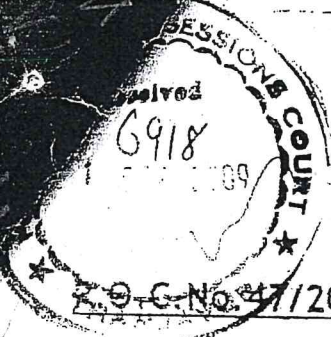
2.0 Tamil Nadu Electricity Board will ensure uninterrupted power
supply to the Subordinate Courts during Court Functioning hours on all
working days in future.

Yours sincerely,

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To
Thiru.V. Vijayan, B.A., M.L.,
Registrar (Management),
High Court,
Chennai – 600 104.



S.O. No. 47/2008/D4

Dated: 28.08.2009

From

Thiru. V. Vijayan, B.A., M.L.,
Registrar (Management)
High Court, Madras - 600 104.

To

Sir,

Sub: Buildings - Subordinate Courts - Power Cut - Uninterrupted supply of power to the Subordinate Courts - Request - Assurance of the Government and Chairman, Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, for uninterrupted power supply to the Subordinate Courts during Court functioning hours on all days in future - Regarding.

Ref: 1. Government's letter No. 33094/Courts-III/2009-2, dated 05.05.2009.

2. Government's D.O. Letter No. 33094/Courts-III dated 31.07.2009 with enclosure received from the Principal Secretary to government Home and P & E Department Secretariat, Chennai.

3. D.O. Letter No. SE/LD&GO/EE/LD/F.UPS/D.463/2009, dated 19.08.2009, from the Chairman, Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, Chennai.

I am directed to state that, based on the reports received from Subordinate Courts, regarding frequent power cuts during Court hours, both in the District and Taluk level, the Government was requested to make necessary arrangements for uninterrupted supply of power during Court hours on all working days. The Court wise details relating to interruption of supply of power continuously for an hour or more was forwarded for ready reference of the Government and the copy of the details was also forwarded to the Chairman, Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, Anna Salai.

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The Government held a meeting on 30.07.2009, with the Chairman, Tamil Electricity Board, who agreed to modify the hours of load shedding in respect of certain Subordinate Courts in order to ensure that load shedding take place prior to Court hours or to exempt the feeder line supplying power to the Court Buildings.

The Chairman, Tamil Nadu Electricity Board, has informed the High Court by ref.No.3 cited that arrangements have already been made to maintain uninterrupted power supply to the Subordinate Courts during Court functioning hours on all working days with effect from 3rd August 2009 and that the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board will ensure uninterrupted power supply to the Subordinate Courts during Court functioning hours on all working days in future.

In the above circumstances, you are requested to interact with the Electricity Department Officials, if need be, to ensure that there is no power cut during Court working hours not only in the District but also in the Taluk level, so that Court work is not hampered at all.

I am to request you to state the present stage / situation prevailing with regard to the Power supply to all Courts in your jurisdiction by return of fax and henceforth submit a weekly report as to the position in your District to the High Court, to enable the High Court to take necessary remedial steps, if necessary, in the matter.

HIGH COURT, MADRAS
DATED: 28.08.2009

Sd/- V. VIJAYAN,
REGISTRAR (MANAGEMENT)

//true copy/forwarded/by order//
SUB ASSISTANT REGISTRAR (AD-I)

To

All the Principal District Judges / Chief Judicial Magistrates.