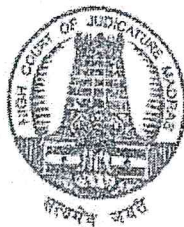


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OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

Sub: Courts – W.P.No.31879 of 2015 filed by the Tamil Nadu Process Server (Junior Bailiff) Association, having its registered Office at Sub Court, Ponneri, rep. by its President T.Dhanapal – Order passed by the Hon'ble Division Bench of High Court, Madras in the said W.P.No.31879 of 2015 dated 14.11.2016 – Directions regarding not to entrust the duty of watchman or other menial household work etc., to the Junior Bailiffs – Issued.

Ref: Order of the Hon'ble Division Bench of the High Court, Madras, dated 14.11.2016, in W.P.No.31879 of 2015.

(1) The Tamil Nadu Process Server (Junior Bailiff) Association, having its registered office at Sub Court, Ponneri rep. by its President, T.Dhanapal, have filed a Writ Petition No.31879 of 2015 before the Hon'ble High Court, Madras, praying for a Writ of Mandamus, directing the 2nd respondent (Principal Secretary to Government of Tamil Nadu, Home (Courts-V) Department, Fort St. George, Madras) to sanction posts of Night Watchman to all the courts throughout Tamil Nadu by considering resolution no.1 in respect of petitioners' representation dated 07.01.2015, 11.03.2015 and resolution no.2 in respect of representation dated 18.08.2015.

(2) The Hon'ble Division Bench of the High Court, Madras, while disposing of the said Writ Petition by the Order in the reference cited, has been pleased to direct the 1st respondent therein viz., the Registrar General, High Court, Madras, to circulate necessary instructions to the subordinate courts concerned and the Judicial Officers, not to entrust the duty of watchman or other menial household work to the Junior Bailiffs. Further, directing to issue a circular

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to the Judicial Officers pointing out they are not supposed to exploit the services of the Junior Bailiffs.

(3) Accordingly, All the Judicial Officers are hereby directed, not to entrust the duty of Watchman or other menial household work to the Junior Bailiffs and that they are not supposed to exploit the services of the Junior Bailiffs.

(4) Any deviation in this regard would be viewed seriously.

The receipt of this Official Memorandum is required to be acknowledged at once.

HIGH COURT, MADRAS.

DATED: 24.04.2017.

[Signature]
REGISTRAR GENERAL

To

1. All the Registrars, High Court, Madras, and Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai.
2. The Principal Judge, City Civil Court, Chennai.
(with a request to communicate a copy of this circular to all the subordinate courts and Judicial Officers under his control)
3. All the Principal District Judges / District Judges,
(with a request to communicate a copy of this circular to all the subordinate courts and Judicial Officers under his control)
4. The District Judge-cum-Chief Judicial Magistrate,
Nilgiris at Udhagamandalam.
(with a request to communicate a copy of this circular to all the subordinate courts and Judicial Officers under his control)
5. The Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Egmore, Chennai.
(with a request to communicate a copy of this circular to all the subordinate courts and Judicial Officers under his control)
6. All the Chief Judicial Magistrates,
(with a request to communicate a copy of this circular to all the subordinate courts and Judicial Officers under his control)

Copy to :-

1. The Chief Judge, Puducherry.
(with a request to communicate a copy of this circular to all the subordinate courts and Judicial Officers under his control)
2. The Chief Judicial Magistrate, Puducherry.
(with a request to communicate a copy of this circular to all the subordinate courts and Judicial Officers under his control)
3. The Section Officers,
"B", "C" and "F" Section, High Court, Madras.

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Copy communicated to all the Judicial Officers,
U.T.Of Puducherry, and all the Head Of Office, U.T.Of
Puducherry.


CHIEF JUDGE
PUDUCHERRY