

Dated 28.10.1968.

ENDORSEMENT.

Copy communicated to Municipal Engineer, Town Planning Officer, Assistant Town Planning Officer and Building Inspectors for information.

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FOR COMMISSIONER INCHARGE.

To
Municipal Engineer, Town Planning Officer and A.T.P.O.
Building Inspectors.
Copy to GI and Building Clerks for Stock File.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.ABSTRACT.

ELECTRICITY - Erection of Electric lines in and around Municipal Towns and Town Panchayats in Town Planned areas - Consultation with local bodies - ordered.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

G.O.Ms.No.2008.

Dated: Sep. 24, 1968.

Read:--

- From the Commissioner, Chingleput Municipality L.Dis.No.7143/65 Dated 27.9.65.
- From the Commissioner, Dharampuram Municipality L.Dis.6411/65 dt.9.10.65.
- From the Commissioner, Attur Municipality Roc.No.1765/65 D.dt. 15.10.65.
- From the Madras State Electricity Board letter No.5910 B/66-7 dt. 25.5.67.
- From the Joint Director of Town Planning Rec. No.41144/67-D4 dated 19.2.68.

ORDER:

The State Electricity Board make a arrangement for providing new electric lines according to its convenience. Certain Municipalities have therefore, represented that it creates difficulties to the Public while constructing residences in the built up area and to the local bodies while forming a new street within their limits at a later date. These Municipalities have, therefore, requested the government to issue directions to the State Electricity Board to provide H.T.Lines in the Town areas without affecting the Town Planning Schemes and to consult the Municipal Councils concerned before providing such lines.

2) The Government have examined the above request of the Municipalities in consultation with the Madras State Electricity Board and the Director of Town Planning. They consider that in the interest of rendering the Town Planned areas suitable for development for residential and other uses contemplated in the development schemes, the alignment of H.T. and L.P.transmission lines in and around the Municipal Towns and Town Panchayats should be decided by the Electricity Board in consultation with the respective local bodies. However, to avoid delay in the erection of transmission lines, the Government direct that the local bodies should offer their opinion to the Electricity Board within a period of 30 days from the date of receipt of the letter from the Electricity Board. If the local authority fails to give a final reply within the specified time limit of 30 days, it shall be presumed that the local authority has no objection to the proposal of the Electricity Board, which may go ahead with the work. A copy of the reference in which the local authority is consulted should invariably be marked to the Director of Town Planning who will ensure that a prompt reply is sent to the Electricity Board.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

I. Abdul Razack,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

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