

Tamil Nadu Manual workers (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Work) Act, 1982-Inclusion of Employment in Scavenging work (Unclean Occupation) to schedule under Section 29 of the said Act-Notification-Issued.

## <u>Labour and Employment (I1) Department,</u>

G.O.Ms.No.189 Dated:19.09.2007

Read:-

From the Commissioner of Labour, Letter No.Z3/42059/06 dated 21.07.06.

### ORDER

The Commissioner of Labour, in his letter read above, has stated that it was informed by the Adi-Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department that 80,000 people are engaged in scavenging not only in Corporation but also in other private sectors like small companies, Officer Bungalows, cleaning septic tank on contract basis etc., There is no safety and security for this people who are engaged in the scavenging work who may die due to asphyxiation and others who survive may suffer from diseases for life. The condition of the family of such victims is very pathetic as they struggle for their survival. These problems are quite serious and complex. Considering the problems faced by the Scavengers, the Commissioner of Labour has requested the Government to include the employment in Scavenging work (Unclean Occupation) in the schedule to the Tamil Nadu Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Work) Act 1982.

- 2. After careful examination, the Government accept the above proposal of Commissioner of Labour. Accordingly, the notification appended to this order will be published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette both in English and Tamil.
- 3. The Tamil Development Religious Endowments and information (Translation) Department, Chennai-9 is requested to supply Tamil version of the Notification to the Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai-79.

4. The Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai-79 is requested to send 10 copies of the Notification as published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette to the Government for record. He is also directed to send 10 copies to Commissioner of Labour.

# (BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

### G.SAROJA, ADDITIONAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To
The Works Manager, Government Central Press,
Chennai-600 079
The Tamil Development Religious Endowments and information
(Translation) Department, Chennai-9
The Commissioner of Labour, Chennai-600 006
The Secretary to Government, Adi-Dravidar and Tribal Welfare
Department, Chennai-600 009
The Law Department, Chennai-600 009

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Special P.A.to Hon'ble Min. of Labour, Chennai-89
Special P.A.to Hon'ble Minister for Adi-Dravidar
and Tribal Welfare, Chennai-9
The Private Secretary to Secy.to Govt. L & E Deptt.
Chennai-600 009

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER.

# APPENDIX. NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 29 of the Tamil Nadu Manual Workers (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Work) Act, 1982 (Tamil Nadu Act 33 of 1982), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following amendment to the Schedule to the said Act.

### AMENDMENT.

In the said Schedule, after item 67, the following item shall be added, namely:-

"68. Employment in scavenging work (Unclean Occupation)".

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