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Notifications or Orders of interest to a section of the public issued by Secretariat Departments.

NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT (Buildings)

BUILDINGS-CHENNAI CITY CONSTRUCTION OF NEW SECRETARIAT COMPLEX AT OMANDURAR GOVERNMENT ESTATE, CHENNAI-2 - ALLEGATION OF IRREGULARITIES LIKE EXCESS EXPENDITURE CAUSING LOSS TO THE EXCHEQUER AND DEFICIENCY IN STANDARDS OF CONSTRUCTION ETC., - APPOINTMENT OF HON'BLE JUSTICE THIRU R. REGUPATHI, COMMISSION OF INQUIRY, UNDER THE COMMISSIONS OF INQUIRY ACT, 1952 (CENTRAL ACT LX OF 1952) IN THE PLACE OF HON'BLE JUSTICE THIRU S. THANGARAJ WHO HAS RESIGNED-ORDERED.

[G.O. Ms. No. 1143, Public (Buildings), 2nd December 2011.]

No. II(2)/PUBG/473(c)/2011.

Whereas, a Commission of Inquiry was appointed by the Government in G.O. Ms.No.530, Public (Buildings) Department, dated 22nd June 2011 with Hon'ble Justice Thiru S. Thangaraj (Retd.,), High Court Judge, to inquire into the causes and circumstances leading to the alleged irregularities like excess expenditure, irregularities causing loss to the exchequer, whether all statutory approvals and clearances were obtained, inordinate delay and deficiency in standards of construction in the construction of New Secretariat Complex in Omandurar Government Estate, Chennai-2;

And, Whereas, Hon'ble Justice Thiru S.Thangaraj has resigned on 22nd November 2011 and the same has been accepted *w.e.f.* 22nd November 2011;

And, Whereas, the Government of Tamil Nadu have now decided to appoint Hon'ble Justice Thiru R.Regupathi, as Commission of Inquiry in the place of Hon'ble Justice Thiru S.Thangaraj for the purpose of making an inquiry into a definite matter of public importance hereinafter specified;

Now, Therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1), read with sub-section (3) of Section 3 of the Commissions of Inquiry Act, 1952 (Central Act LX of 1952), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby appoints a Commission of Inquiry consisting of a single member, namely, Hon'ble Justice Thiru R.Regupathi as Commission of Inquiry in the place of Hon'ble Justice Thiru S. Thangaraj, Retired Judge of Madras High Court, with the same terms of reference and other provisions as specified in G.O. Ms.No.530, Public (Buildings) Department, dated 22nd June 2011 and G.O. Ms.No.870, Public (Buildings) Department, dated, 21st September 2011.

DEBENDRANATH SARANGI, Chief Secretary.