



ABSTRACT

Consumer Protection – Appointment of separate Counsel to appear in Government cases before the State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission and District Consumer Disputes Redressal Forum, Chennai (North) and (South) - Orders – Issued.

Cooperation , Food and Consumer Protection (H1) Department

G.O (Ms) No.41

Dated: 14.03.2012

Read:

1. G.O. (Ms) No.182, Cooperation, Food and Consumer Protection department dated 14.9.98
2. G.O (Ms) No.157, Cooperation, Food and Consumer Protection department dated 9.4.2003
3. G.O. (Ms) No.204, Cooperation, Food and Consumer Protection department dated 6.6.03
4. G.O. (Ms) No.213, Cooperation, Food and Consumer Protection department dated 12.12.08
5. From the Advocate General of Tamil Nadu, High Court of Madras, Chennai-104, Lr.Roc.No 264/2012 dated 14.3.2012.

ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, orders were issued among other things that a separate Standing Counsel was appointed to appear in Government cases before the State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission, Chennai and the District Consumer Disputes Redressal Forum, Chennai (North) and (South) and he was paid fee on par with Government Pleader, High Court of Madras and also be eligible for the retainer fee of Rs.2500/- p.m as applicable to the Government Pleader, High Court of Madras.

2. In the Government Order third read above orders were issued appointing Tvl. K. Senthil Kumar and K.S Jayaganeshan, Advocate as Counsels to defend the State Government, in the State Consumer Disputes Redressal

Commission, Chennai and the District Consumer Disputes Redressal Forum, Chennai (North) and (South) respectively.

3. In the Government Order fourth read above orders were issued appointing Thiru K.Kumaran as Standing Counsel to defend the District Consumer Disputes Redressal Forum, Chennai (North) and (South), since Thiru K.S Jayaganeshan, Advocate has tendered his resignation as standing counsel.

4. Now, the Advocate General of Tamil Nadu has recommended the name of Thiru T. Ravikumar, Advocate for being appointed as standing counsel to defend the State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission and District Consumer Disputes Redressal Forum (North) and (South).

5. The Government after careful examination has decided to accept the recommendation of the Advocate General of Tamil Nadu for appointment of Thiru T. Ravikumar, Advocate as Standing Counsel in the State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission and District Consumer Disputes Redressal Forum, Chennai (North) and (South). Accordingly, the Government hereby appoint T. Ravikumar, as Standing Counsel in the State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission and District Consumer Disputes Redressal Forum, Chennai (South) and (North) to represent the State Government and the Government Departments.

6. The fee structure and the authorities competent to sanction fees for the Counsel mentioned in para 5 above will be as provided for in the Government Order second read above.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of the Public (Law Officers) Department.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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