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Sub: Science City, Chennai - Summer Science Camp 2008- Thiruvallur District Students - 25<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2008 - Request for wide Publicity - Reg.

Science City is an autonomous organization under the Department of Higher Education, Government of Tamil Nadu for the Promotion and Popularization of Sciences and Technology. Science city has been carrying out a wide range of activities such as Popular Science Lecturers, Awareness campaigns in frontier technologies such as Nanotechnology, Genetic Engineering, Communication Technology etc., summer training Programmes in basic sciences, EDP and EAP programmes, Science Exhibitions, web based science quiz and other Science related programmes for the benefit of students, Researchers, Faculty and the General public.

Science city has organized a "Summer Science Camp -2008" for the School Students for standards VIII, IX, X, XI & XII from 28<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2008, a Science Camp for the Physically Challenged Children and a camp exclusively for the benefit of North Chennai based Corporation School Children. More than 250 students benefitted from these programmes.

Now for the first time Science City has proposed to reach the rural students also and will be organizing a Summer Science Camp for the students of Thiruvallur District from 25<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2008 at the Shree R.M. Jain Vidhya Peeth, Behind Thiruvallur Head Post Office, Thiruvallur District. The programmes is being organized in coordination with the Thiruvallur District Collectorate.

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The camp will comprise of lectures and live demonstrations on a wide range of topics like Physics Demonstration, Environmental Science, Space Science, Media Science and Society, Career Guidance, Genetic Engineering, Medical Science, Mathematics, etc., All sessions would be interactive and comprise of live demonstrations presented by eminent scientists and academicians. Experts from institutes premier institutes like Anna University, University of Madras, IIT Madras, etc.,

Dr. Rajendra Kumar, I.A.S., District Collector, Thiruvallur District has kindly consented to inaugurate the programme and Dr. V. Varaprasada Rao, I.A.S., Vice Chairman, Science City will preside at 10.30 a.m.

We request you to kindly provide wide coverage for this programme for the benefit of the School Students in general and for the cause of Science.

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