



ABSTRACT

Road Safety – “Innuyir Kappom Thittam” - Announcement made by the Hon’ble Chief Minister during the Meeting on Road Safety – Constitution of Special Task Force on Road Safety (STF-RS) for implementation of “Innuyir Kappom Thittam” - Orders - Issued.

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Read:

From the Transport Commissioner / Road Safety Commissioner, Chennai-5 letter No.29829/C1/2021, dated 01.10.2021, 26.10.2021 and 11.01.2022.

ORDER:-

The Hon’ble Chief Minister during the Meeting on Road safety held on 18th November 2021 has made the Announcement “Innuyir Kappom Thittam”, which includes creation of Road Safety Authority, Nammai Kakkum 48, Enactment of Emergency Medical Services Act, Uthavi Sei Thittam, Seerana Salaikal and wider IEC campaigns.

2. In the above meeting one of the critical decisions taken was to constitute a Special Task Force on Road Safety, who shall draft short-term and long-term plans to improve road safety and implement the same through the District Collectors/Commissioner, Greater Chennai Corporation.

3. Based on the above decision, the Transport Commissioner has sent the proposal to Government to constitute a Special Task Force on Road Safety for implementing the “Innuyir Kappom Thittam”.

4. The Government after examination have decided to accept the proposal of the Transport Commissioner. Accordingly, the Government constitute the Special Task Force on Road Safety (STF-SF) comprising of following members:-

(a).	Thiru.Vinit Dev Wankhede, IPS, Additional Director General of Police, State Crime Records Bureau.	Chairman
(b).	Dr.Darez Ahmad, IAS, Director, National Health Mission	Member
(c).	Thiru.Arun Roy, I.A.S., Secretary (Expenditure)Finance Department	Member

(d).	Thiru.Sathya Narayanan, Joint Transport Commissioner (Road Safety)	Member Secretary
(e).	Thiru.R.Chandra Sekar, Chief Engineer, Highways	Member

5. The Special Task Force on Road Safety (STF-RS) constituted at para 4 above is entrusted with the following responsibilities:-

- (a). Identification of short-term and long-term solutions for reducing road accidents and fatalities.
- (b). Monitoring and reporting on implementation of short-term solutions by the District Collectors and road owning agencies.
- (c). Completing all the relevant preparatory tasks for formation of the Tamil Nadu Road Safety Authority so as facilitate smooth operational initiation for the proposed Authority.

6. The Government also ordered that, the Special Task Force is empowered to:-

- (a). Utilize the services of experts from reputed academic institutions like IIT and Anna University at state level for analytical and related works.
- (b). Utilize the services of relevant departments from reputed colleges/universities in the various districts/cities for conduct of field surveys/studies.
- (c). Utilize the services of Tamil Nadu e-Governance Agency for development of requisite software applications including hiring exclusive software developers.
- (d). Hiring project management consultants (2) for period of the tenure of Special Task Force.
- (e). Adequate funds will be provided for above activities from the Road Safety Fund based on separate proposals.

7. The Government also direct as follows:-

- i. All District Collectors, Superintendents of Police / Commissioners of Police, Regional Transport Officers, Road-Owning Departments such as Highways, Corporations/ Municipalities/ Rural Development & Panchayat Raj Department shall extend necessary Co-operation to the Special Task Force on Road Safety (STF-RS) in furnishing data in expedient manner and for the timely Implementation of short-term solutions.
- ii. The causation analysis and solutions delineation in scientific and accurate manner will be the core to the operation of the Special Task Force on Road Safety (STF-RS).

- iii. Adequate funds will be provided for above activities from the Road Safety Fund based on separate proposals.
- iv. The Transport Commissioner will ensure that appropriate funds are available at disposal of District Collectors and other road owning agencies for implementation of short-term solutions on war footing.
- v. All concerned Secretaries to Government may be requested to extend full support to the Special Task Force on Road Safety (STF-RS)

8. The Special Task Force on Road Safety (STF-RS) is also directed to include professionals/experts from civil society as Special invitees to Special Task Force on Road Safety.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

S.K.PRABAKAR

ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

The Transport Commissioner, Chennai-5.
The Secretary to Government, (Expenditure)
Finance Department, Chennai-9.
The Inspector General of Police
(Traffic & Road Safety), Chennai-4.
The Director, National Health Mission, Chennai-6.
The Secretary to Government,
Health & Family Welfare Department, Chennai-9.
The Secretary to Government,
Municipal Administration &
Water Supply Department, Chennai-9.
The Secretary to Government,
Rural Development & Panchayat Raj
Department, Chennai-9.
The Commissioner of Municipal Administration,
Chennai-5.
The Director General of Police, Chennai-4.
The Commissioner of Police,
Greater Chennai Police, Chennai-7.
The Additional Director General of Police,
State Crime Records Bureau, Chennai.
The Secretary to Government,
Transport Department, Chennai-9.
The Secretary to Government,
Highways Department, Chennai-9.