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Office of the Principal District Court, Tiruvallur.

Date: <u>.</u> .02.2024.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

Sub: Computerisation of Subordinate Courts - Video Conferencing facility provided to all the Courts throughout the State of Tamil Nadu and U.T of Puducherry – Implementation of Hybrid mode Video Conferencing – Trial run carried out successfully in the Principal District Court, Tiruvallur – Hybrid mode Video Conferencing to be implemented in all the Courts in the State of Tamil Nadu and U.T. of Puducherry with effect from 05.02.2024 – Communicated – Regarding.

Ref: Hon'ble High Court's, Madras, Official Memorandum in R.O.CNo.1166A/2024/Comp4/VC,dated: 02.02.2024.

It is hereby informed that, as per the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India and the Hon'ble Computer Committee High Court of Madras, Court proceedings in Tiruvallur District were conducted through Video Conferencing during Covid 19 Pandemic, for uninterrupted judicial function.

As per the directions of the High Court of Madras in the reference cited, facility of hearing cases through Hybrid Video conferencing mode has been mandated for the District Judiciary with effect from 05.02.2024.

Hence, All the Courts in Tiruvallur District are hereby instructed to follow the following directions with effect from 05.02.2024:

(i) not to insist Advocate/Litigant to appear physically unless and until it is required;

(ii) take necessary steps towards sensitizing the Advocates through respective Bar

Associations;

(iii) VC link for Hybrid mode Video Conference for hearing the cases hosted in

District Court Website (<u>https://tiruvallur.dcourts.gov.</u>in)

Principal District Judge, Tiruvallur.

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To

• All the Judicial Officers of Tiruvallur district.

- All the Public Prosecutors and Government Pleaders in Tiruvallur District.
- All the Presidents of all the Bar Associations in Tiruvallur District.

(Through

- 1. II Additional District & Sessions Court, Poonamallee
- 2. The IV Additional District & Sessions Court, Poonamallee
- 3. The Subordinate Judge, Tiruttani.
- 4. The Subordinate Judge, Tiruvottiyur.
- 5. The District Munsif, Ambattur.
- 6. The District Munsif Cum Judicial Magistrate, Uthukottai.
- 7. The District Munsif Cum Judicial Magistrate, Pallipattu
- 8. The District Munsif Cum Judicial Magistrate, Gummidipoodi.
- 9. The District Munsif Cum Judicial Magistrate, Madhavaram.)

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The Chief Administrative Officer, Court Manager, Sherishtadars, Head Clerks and Bench Clerks of this Court.