

**5.12 Constitution of State Level Water Supply and Sanitation (WATSAN) Committee to interact with 4 districts selected under IEC**

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**ORDER**

Rajiv Gandhi National Drinking Water Mission, Ministry of Rural Areas and Employment, Government of India have proposed to implement the Information, Education and Communication strategy (IEC) in the first phase in four districts of Tamil Nadu viz., Dharmapuri, Erode, Dindigul and Ramanathapuram Districts. The Government of India have suggested to form a State Level Water Supply and Sanitation (WATSAN) Committee.

As suggested, the State Level WATSAN Committee is formed with following members.

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| 1 Secretary, Rural Development Department                         | Chairman                       |
| 2 Secretary, Municipal Administration & Water Supplies Department | Member                         |
| 3 Director of Rural Development                                   | Member                         |
| 4 Director of Public Health                                       | Member                         |
| 5 Director of Information and Public Relations                    | Member                         |
| 6 Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Water Supply & Drainage Board     | Member                         |
| 7 Deputy Secretary (Programme)                                    | Member Secretary /<br>Convenor |
| 8 Project Co-ordinator, Tamil Nadu Women Development Corporation  | Member                         |
| 9 Representative from Arivoli Group                               | Member                         |
| 10 Representative from Exonora - Chennai                          | Member                         |
| 11 Representative from Myrada, Dharmapuri                         | Member                         |

The State Level WATSAN Committee will interact with Collector from districts selected for the intensive awareness campaign and render necessary help for the implementation of Information Education and Communication Project and will interact with Information, Education and Communication Cell Rajiv Gandhi National Drinking Water Mission, Government of India for the necessary help needed for launching and running the campaign.

The Committee will meet as and when there is necessary.

(By order of the Governor)

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