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**ABSTRACT**

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Tamil Nadu Local Authorities Entertainments Tax Act, 2017 (Tamil Nadu Act 20 of 2017) - Exemption to the new Tamil film 'Kakkan' (கக்கன்) from the liability of entertainment tax - Orders - Issued.

**Municipal Administration and Water Supply (Election) Department**

G.O.(D) No.498

Dated: 23 .08.2023

திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு 2054

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Read:

Thiru.Joseh Baby, Producer, Shankar Movies International,  
Letter dated 31.07.2023.

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**ORDER:**

In the letter read above, Thiru.Joseh Baby, Producer, Shankar Movies International has requested that the Tamil film titled, "Kakkan" (கக்கன்), captures the life story of Thiru.Kakkan, a great freedom fighter, who had served as, former Member of Parliament and former Minister in the State of Tamil Nadu, lived a simple life throughout his life. Hence, the said film may be granted exemption from entertainment tax liability. The Government, after careful examination of the representation, have decided to accept the same.

2. Accordingly, under sub-section (2) of section 11 of the Tamil Nadu Local Authorities Entertainments Tax Act, 2017 (Tamil Nadu Act 20 of 2017), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby grants exemption to the Tamil film titled, 'Kakkan' (கக்கன்), from the liability to the entertainment tax payable, under the said Act.

**(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)**

**D. KARTHIKEYAN**

**PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

**To:**

The Principal Secretary to Government, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Chennai-9.

The Secretary to Government, Commercial Taxes and Registration Department, Chennai-9.

The Additional Chief Secretary/Commissioner, Greater Chennai Corporation, Chennai-3.

The Director of Municipal Administration, Chennai-28.

The Director of Town Panchayats, Chennai-28.

The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai-15.

Thiru.Joseh Baby, Producer, Shankar Movies International, No.799, KK Block, R.G. Street, Coimbatore-641001.

**Copy to:**

- The Office of the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Chennai-9.
- The Office of the Hon'ble Minister for Municipal Administration, Chennai-9.
- The Tamil Development and Information Department, Chennai-9.
- The Law Department, Chennai-9.
- The Finance Department, Chennai-9.
- The Senior Private Secretary to the Principal Secretary to Government,  
Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department, Chennai-9.
- The Industries Department, Chennai-9.
- The Municipal Administration and Water Supply (OP.II) Department, Chennai-9.

**//FORWARDED BY ORDER//**

*Dr. Umashankar J. Prasad*  
23/8/23  
**SECTION OFFICER.**