

### **ABSTRACT**

Information Technology Department – Governor's Address 2012 – Constitution of Expert Committee with representatives from Industry, to evaluate the potential and advise the Government on the way forward to attract more investments in Hardware Manufacturing – Orders – Issued.

## INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (B3) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (2D) No.6

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#### Read:

From the Managing Director, ELCOT letter No. ITPD/ HW/ 2012, dated 03.03.2012.

## ORDER:

In the Governor's Address 2012, among other things it has been stated that this Government is in the process of formulating a comprehensive new Industrial Policy and sector specific policies on the key and emerging sectors to promote industrial growth and will strengthen the infrastructure along the potential industrial corridors to promote the speedy growth of industrial clusters and achieve a balanced industrial development. In the fast growing Information Technology Enabled Services (ITES) sector also, Tamil Nadu needs to reinforce its dominant position in software exports by taking the lead as India's hardware hub. It has further been stated that Government will constitute an Expert Committee with representatives from Industry, to evaluate the potential and advise the Government on the way forward to attract more investments in hardware manufacturing.

- 2. Based on the above Governor's Address 2012, the Managing Director, ELCOT has sent a proposal to Government and suggested the members from the Information Technology Industry with the profile for inclusion in the committee along with the functions of the committee.
- 3. After careful examination, the Government accord the necessary Administrative approval for Constitution of Expert Committee with representatives from Industry, to evaluate the potential and advise the Government on the way forward to attract more investments in Hardware Manufacturing with the following members and to give recommendation to Government to attract more investments in Hardware Manufacturing.

1)	The Principal Secretary to Government, Industries Department		Chairman
2)	Secretary to Government, Information Technology Department		Member
3)	Principal Secretary to Government, Finance Department	-	Member
4)	Managing Director, ELCOT	-	Secretary cum Convener
5)	Executive Vice Chairman, Guidance Bureau, Chennai-8	-	Member
6)	The Convener, IT Panel Tamil Nadu State Council Confederation of Indian Industry	, -	Member
7)	Thiru K.Purushothaman, Regional Director, NASSCOM, Tamil Nadu		Member
8)	Thiru K.Premajith, Deputy Director, Manufacturer's Association of Information Technology (MAIT)	-	Member

#### 4. The functions of the Committee will be to make recommendations on

- a) The way forward to attract more investments in hardware manufacturing and to make Tamil Nadu as the foremost Information Communication Technology (ICT) & Electronic Hardware manufacturing destination in India.
- b) Expanding the existing manufacturing ecosystem of the State to its maximum potential and further developing cluster style manufacturing in the State.
- c) Plans to utilize the National Level policies as well as schemes to its fullest benefit for the State.
- d) Understanding the National as well as world climate on hardware manufacturing and creating a targeted approach in inviting World class companies to the State.

- e) The Committee could ideate creating a marketing brand for Tamil Nadu to propagate its strengths and offerings to the world over.
- 5. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.2920/FS/P/2012, dated 16.08.2012.

## (BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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To

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The Secretary to Government, Information Technology Department, Chennai-9.

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The Principal Secretary -II to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Chennai- 600 009.

The Hon'ble Chief Minister's Office, Chennai-600 009.

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Information Technology Department, Chennai-600 009.

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