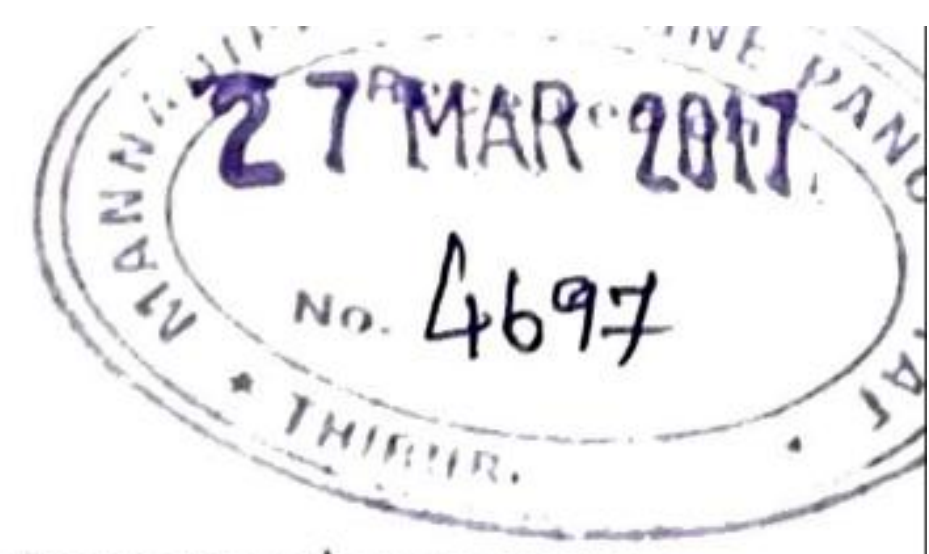


GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY  
ABSTRACT



Supply of water by Municipalities and Panchayats from their water supply systems to various categories of consumers – Upward revision of water charges, other charges and the amount of non-refundable one time security deposit for supply of water with effect from 01.04.2017 – Orders – Issued.

LOCAL ADMINISTRATION SECRETARIAT

G. O. Ms. No. 37/LAS/2017

Puducherry, dt: 22.03.2017

ORDER

- READ:**
1. Notification issued in G. O. Ms. No. 5, dated 13.02.2017 of the Chief Secretariat (Public Works), Puducherry.
  2. I.D. Note No. 2011/LAD/PPS/2017, dated 14.03.2017 from the Director, Local Administration Department, Puducherry.

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The Government has recently notified – (i) revised water tariff, (ii) other charges such as disconnection charge etc., and (iii) amount of non-refundable one time security deposit in respect of water supply by the Public Works Department from the water supply systems owned by it to various categories of consumers in Puducherry, Karaikal, Mahe and Yanam regions – *vide* Notification read above.

2. The Director, Local Administration Department in his I.D. Note read above has sent a proposal to the Government requesting that the Municipalities and Panchayats may also be directed to adopt the same water tariff, other charges and the amount of non-refundable one time security deposit as notified in the G.O. read above by the Municipalities and Panchayats for supply of water from their water supply systems to the consumers. The Director has justified the proposal with the relevant facts and figures.

3. The proposal of the Director, Local Administration Department has been carefully examined and it has been decided to adopt the same water tariff, other charges and the amount of non-refundable one time security deposit for by the Municipalities and Panchayats for supply of water from their water supply systems to the consumers.



4. The Government, therefore, hereby direct the Municipalities and Panchayats to adopt the same - (i) water tariff, (ii) other charges and (iii) the amount of non-refundable one time security deposit as notified in G.O. read above (copy enclosed) by the Municipalities and Panchayats for supply of water to various categories of consumers with effect from 01.04.2017.
5. The Designated Officers of the Municipalities and Panchayats shall pass a resolution in the form of proceedings for adoption of the revised rates as notified in the G.O. read above by the respective local body concerned. A model proceedings of the Designated Officer in this regard is appended herewith.
6. The revised rates shall be notified (both in English and regional language) in the gazette besides displaying a notice in this regard on the notice board of the office of the local body concerned for the information of the public. A press release shall also be given for wide publicity.

**// BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNMENT //**

  
**(K. SARANGAPANI)**

**UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (LA)**

**To:**

The Director, Local Administration Department, Puducherry.

**Copy to:**

1. The Deputy Director (Municipal Administration), Local Administration Department, Puducherry.
2. The Deputy Director (Rural Development), Local Administration Department, Puducherry.
3. The Deputy Director (Local Administration), Karaikal.
4. The Commissioners of all the Municipalities (Through the Designated Officer concerned).
5. The Commissioners of all the Commune Panchayats (Through the Designated Officer concerned). *Mannadipet*
6. The Executive Officers of all the Village Panchayats (Through the Designated Officer concerned).
7. The Central Records Branch, Chief Secretariat, Puducherry.
8. G.O. file / Spare.