## Proceedings of the Chief Educational Officer, Vellore District Rc.No.2224/A2/2022 dated 06.07.2022

Sub: School Education - Matriculation schools - National Water Mission -Jal Shakti Abhivan - Construction of Harvesting Structures and Artificial Recharge on Matriculation / Matriculation Higher Secondary School building – instructed to take up programmes / events to make students aware about Water Conservation - Communicated - Reg.

Ref: Proceedings of the Director of Matriculation Schools,

Chennai's Rc.No.1343/A1/2021-1 dated 04.07.2021

With reference to the letter cited above, it was already instructed to take necessary actions in the following and to make the following direction as one of the condition for recognition of Matriculation / Matriculation Higher Secondary Schools.

- To make the condition of Rain Water harvesting mandatory for affiliation of schools.
- It is included that rain water harvesting as a condition of recognition of schools under section 18(2) of RTE Act.

In continuation to the above, it is instructed to take up necessary actions in the following activities.

- Water conservation and Rainwater harvesting
- Awareness generation
- ❖ To take up roof top rain water harvesting structures and other rain water harvesting structures in schools.
- To take up Constructive programmes / events to make aware the students above Water conservation and Rain water harvesting.

Therefore it is informed that hereafter when the proposals sent for renewal / recognition to this office, the steps taken for the above activities should also enclosed without fail. Make it as compulsory.

Hence, the Principals of the Matriculation and Matriculation Higher Secondary schools are instructed to follow the above activities and the action taken report should be sent fortnightly basis to this office.

> Chief Educational Officer, Vellore.

To

The Principals Matriculation / Matriculation Higher Secondary Schools Vellore District. The District Educational Officer, Vellore District

Copy submitted to

The Director of Matriculation Schools, Chennai.