

MAHABALIUPURAM LIGHTHOUSE



PROFORMA

Name of Lighthouse: Mahabaliupram
Location: Distt.-Kanchipuram /State – Tamilnadu
Staff Profile: Attended

S.No.	Factor to be evaluated	Lighthouse Specific Lat : 12°36.8'N Long: 80°11.5'E
1.	Size of the Lighthouse (area)	0.328 Hec
2.	Status of land freehold/lease etc.	Freehold
3.	Ownership of land	President of India under DLL Chennai.
4.	Climatic condition- Temp. & rainfall	During Summer:28°C to 40°C Winder: 17°C to 30°C Rainfall: Oct to Dec
5.	Tidal range	0.2 to 0.7 m
6.	History of Natural Disasters	Nil
7.	Distance from nearest port/harbour (if located on an island)	Not applicable
8.	Distance from nearest airport/railhead	Chennai airport -59Km, Puducherry airport-95Km, Chennai Egmore Railway Station- 56Km

9.	Distance from main city located nearby	Chennai Egmore- 56Km
10.	Availability of roads /access to Lighthouse	Motorable road going along with lighthouse.
11.	Availability and facility of public transport	Frequent bus service to lighthouse is there.
12.	Existence of natural harbours/berthing facility / landing arrangement (if located on islands)	Nil
13.	Telecom coverage and availability of electricity	Telecome coverage & TNEB Electricity available
14.	Availability of potable water	Corporation water supply available
15.	Housing infrastructure	Lighthouse Tower, Powerhouse, Inspection Quarters-1Nos., Staff Quarters-2nos., Heritage Museum, Maritime Museum, Cement Concrete path way, Compound wall, Public Toilet
16.	Presence of unique flora and fauna	Nil
17.	Presence of natural features- waterfalls, streams, mountains, etc.	Nil
18.	Potential for adventure and water sports	Nil
19.	Presence of local/tribal/folk art	Nil
20.	Nearest tourist destination and distance	Mahabalipuram itself tourism destination tour, Muttukadu Boat House-23Km, Pazhavanthangal bird Sanctuary-48Km
21.	In case, tourism has to be developed on PP mode , then the statutory permissions that would be required and from which agencies	CRZ Clearance, Tamilnadu Government and Tamilnadu Tourism Development Corporation