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The Rules for the Enforcement of Vaccination in the City of Chennai Published vide Notification G.O. MS. No. 290, Health, dated 27th January, 1956 In exercise of the powers conferred by section 344 and clause (a) of sub-section (2) of section 347 of the [Chennai] [Substituted for 'Madras' by the Tamil Nadu Act 28 of 1996.] City Municipal [Corporation] [Inserted by Tamil Nadu Act 56 of 1961.] Act, 1919 ([Tamil Nadu] [Substituted for the word 'Madras' by the Tamil Nadu Adaptation of Laws Order, 1969 as amended by Tamil Nadu Adaptation of Laws (Second Amendment) Order, 1969.] Act IV of 1919), the Governor of [Tamil Nadu] [Substituted for the word 'Madras' by the Tamil Nadu Adaptation of Laws Order, 1969 as amended by Tamil Nadu Adaptation of Laws (Second Amendment) Order, 1969.] hereby makes the following rules for the enforcement of vaccination in the city of [Chennai] [Substituted for the word 'Madras' by the City of Madras (Alteration of Name) Act, 1996 (Tamil Nadu Act 28 of 1996).]:-

1.

If any person who, or a child in whose care, is subject to be vaccinated in pursuance of section 344 of the [Chennai] [Substituted for the word 'Madras' by Tamil Nadu Act 28 of 1996.] City Municipal [Corporation] [Inserted by Tamil Nadu Act 56 of 1961.] Act, 1919 declares before a Magistrate specially empowered by the Government in this behalf that as a result of a careful enquiry in to the subject, he believes that such vaccination will be injurious to his health or the health of the child, as the case may be, the Magistrate may, after giving notice to the Health Officer and hearing any representations made by him or on his behalf, exempt such person or child from vaccination or re-vaccination, on condition of the person aforesaid undertaking to subject himself and the

members of his family to isolation of such description and for such period and to such further restrictions, if any, as may be directed by the Magistrate.

2.

Any person who commits a breach of any undertaking given on by him under rule 1, shall be punished with imprisonment which may extend to three-months or with fine or with both.

3.

Any exemption granted under rule 1 shall cease to have effect after conviction under rule 2 and no exemption shall be granted to any person who has been so convicted.