Metro Rail work tenders awarded

Chennai, June 28: The works on co-nstruction of huge pillars for the elevated stretch of Chennai Metro Rail bet-ween Koyambedu and St Thomas Mount is progressing fast and tenders have been awarded to construct 10 elevated stations at a cost of Rs 234.5 crore.

With 11 leading construction firms competing for the prestigious work, the Consolidated Construction Consortium Ltd bagged the tenders. The tender for the design and construction of elevated stations at Koyambedu, CMBT, Arumbakkam, Vadapalani and Ashok Nagar/K.K. Nagar was awarded to the firm at a cost of Rs 139.54 crore. Construction of stations at Little Mount, Guindy, Alandur, OTA and SIDCO will be taken up by the company at a cost of Rs 94.99 crore