CMRL installs drinking water plant near Central Metro

The plant, which has a capacity of 500 litres, was inaugurated on Saturday.

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Chennai: Chennai Metro Rail Limited (CMRL) has installed a reverse osmosis drinking water plant with a capacity of 500 litres in front of Central metro station. The plant was inaugurated on Saturday which was the first day of Agni Nakshatram or Khatri, the start of peak summer season in the Tamil calendar.

Commuters and passers-by can fill their bottles or drink glasses of water at the plant free of cost. The plant has been installed on the street level near one of the entrances of the transit hub, linking two corridors of phased. It is easily accessible to passengers from the suburban railway station, Central railway station, MTC bus stand and metro station.

"We chose the location for installation based on the movement of passengers. The plant will give purified drinking water," an official said. CMRL officials said similar plants will be installed at other metro stations soon.