Rathotsavam Festival at Sri Mahalingaswami Temple, Thiruvidaimaruthur



By the grace of the Almighty and with the blessings of the 23rd Guru Maha Sannidhanam of Thiruvavaduthurai Adheenam and also with the kind support of Pujya Sri Swami Dayananda Saraswati, the Rathotsavam was conducted on Wednesday the 19th of January 2011 – the ninth day of the Thai – Brahmotsavam Festival at Sri Mahalingaswami Temple, Thiruvidaimaruthur.

It is noteworthy that after a long gap of 77 years, Sri Brihat

Sundara Kuchamba sametha Sri Mahalingaswami could be taken around on the brand new, artistically sculptured and decorated Maha Ratha—the big wooden chariot.

The function started from 4 a.m. on that day with special pujas at the Main Ratha Mantapam at the East Car Street.

Sri Guru Maha Sannidhanam and Pujya Sri Swamiji were present during this festival.

Construction work on the remaining four chariots will be started after this festival.

