

## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

## Abstract

Information Technology Department - A common Single Apex Committee for e-Governance -Constituted- Orders issued.

## INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (B) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.20/2014/ITD.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 28-05-14.

- Read: (1) GO(Rt) No. 42/02/ITD, dated 03-05-02.
  - (2) GO(Rt) No. 95/09/ITD, dated 06-05-09.
  - (3) GO(Ms) No. 14/13/ITD, dated 18-05-13.
  - (4) Minutes of the Empowered Committee on e-Governance/Apex Committee on SSDG held on 26-12-13.

## ORDER

As per G.O read as 1st paper above an Empowered Committee was constituted with Chief Secretary as Chairman to ensure time bound implementation and for sorting out issues pertaining to e-Governance. As per G.O read as 2<sup>nd</sup> paper above an Apex Committee was also constituted as envisaged in the guidelines for implementation of SSDG as part of NeGP, under DeitY, Government of India.

- 2. Various e-Governance projects are being planned and implemented by state Government departments. State of Kerala have already made significant advancement in implementing a number of e-Governance initiatives such as SSDG, Service Plus, e-District, e-Office, e-Procurement, m-Governance etc. At present each e-Governance project is monitored and guided by a committee setup exclusively for individual projects and majority of the committees are chaired by Chief Secretary. Now it is felt that a common single Apex Committee headed by Chief Secretary with Secretaries of actively participating departments in e-Governance as members would be ideal for overall guidance, monitoring and sorting out issues pertaining to all e-Governance initiatives.
- 3. The Apex Committee on SSDG / Empowered Committee on e-Governance that met on 26-12-13 decided interalia to constitute a single Apex Committee chaired by Chief Secretary and consisting of Secretaries/Head of Departments that make significant advancement in e-Governance initiatives by replacing all other existing Apex Committees/Empowered Committees/State Project Committees constituted for various e-Governance initiatives.
  - 4. In the circumstances, Government are pleased to constitute an Apex Committee for e-Governance initiatives with Chief Secretary as chairman for overall guidance and monitoring. This committee shall ensure time bound implementation and also sort out issues pertaining to all e-Governance initiatives of the state. This apex committee shall replace all other higher level committees which had been constituted for various e-Governance initiatives, at state level.

5. The structure of the committee shall be as follows:

1	Chief Secretary	Chairman
2	Additional Chief Secretary(Fin &IT)	Vice-Chairman
3	Secretary/Principal Secretary (IT)	Convenor
4	Secretary/Principal Secretary (Finance)	Member
5	Secretary/Principal Secretary (Revenue)	Member
6	Secretary/Principal Secretary (Home)	Member
7	Secretary/Principal Secretary (LSGD)	Member
8	Secretary/Principal Secretary (Labour)	Member
9	Secretary/Principal Secretary (Civil Supplies)	Member
10	Secretary/Principal Secretary (Taxes)	Member
11	Secretary/Principal Secretary (Industries)	Member
12	Secretary/Principal Secretary (General Admn.)	Member
13	Secretary/Principal Secretary (General Edn.)	Member
14	Director, KSITM	Member
15	Transport Commissioner, Thiruvananthapuram	Member
16	Director of Public Instruction, Thiruvananthapuram	Member
17	Commissioner/Director-Civil Supplies, Thiruvananthapuram	Member
18	Inspector General(Registration), Thiruvananthapuram	Member
19	State Informatics Officer, NIC, Thiruvananthapuram	Member

6. The committee shall refer/recommend proposals relating to e-Governance which require policy clearance and approval at the level of Minister or Cabinet to the Steering Committee headed by Hon'ble Chief Minister constituted as per GO read as 3<sup>rd</sup> paper above.

BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR
K.S Srinivas I.A.S
Secretary to Government

To

All Secretaries/Principal Secretaries/ACS/Members of the Committee The Secretary, Legislature Secretariat(with C/L) The Director, Kerala State IT Mission, Thiruvananthapuram The Principal Accountant General (Audit) Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram. The Head, SeMT, Thiruvananthapuram State Informatics Centre, National Informatics Centre, Thiruvananthapuram Web& New Media, I&PRD (for uploading in the website) Stock File / Office Copy.

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