



## **GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

## **Abstract**

Local Self Government Department - GOBARdhan - Nominating Executive Director, Suchitwa Mission as Nodal Officer / authority to co-ordinate with the LOI holders in the State to facilitate and resolve their issues - Orders issued.

## LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (WM) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.2334/2023/LSGD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 25-11-2023

Read:- DO No. S-18/1/2022-SBM-DDWS-Part(1) dated 18.05.2023 from the Secretary, Department of Drinking Waster and Sanitation, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Government of India

## **ORDER**

As per letter read above, Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation informed that setting up of CBG/Bio CNG Plants in a State / District will improve the sanitation (solid waste management) level as well as boost the circular economy of the State/District and hence it is imperative to extend all possible assistance by the concerned State authorities to the entrepreneurs/applicants and facilitate the setting up of CBG plants. It is requested to nominate State SBM(G) Department/Mission Director (SBM-G)/GOBARDhan as the nodal officer/authority in this matter to co-ordinate with the LOI holders, OGMC's and other relevant state departments.

(2) In the above circumstances, Government are pleased to nominate the Executive Director, Suchitwa Mission as nodal officer / authority for GOBARdhan to coordinate with the LoI holders in the State to facilitate and resolve their issues. The duties and

responsibilities of the Nodal Officer are detailed below.

- a. Hold regular interactions with LoI holders / OGMCs and other relevant stakeholder state Government departments to understand and resolve issues pertaining to financial closure, feed stock aggregation, bio slurry off take, ROW / clearance issues with state PWD / NH / Rural road / Forest departments, land allotment and any other issues which could be resolved with state intervention.
- b. Send monthly progress report of the progress of setting up CBG plants to the Mission Director GOBARdhan at GOI level.
- c. Assist the state in devising appropriate interventions and informing GOI of various issues from time to time.
- d. Co-ordinate with the state Agriculture department, KVKs and other Agriculture Universities / institutions in the state to promote GOBARdhan projects and disseminate the importance of use of bioslurry among farmers in the command area of the CBG plants and in the nearby hinterland.
- e. Facilitate the aggregation of the input agricultural feedstock as well as marketing of Fermented Organic Manure (FOM) and Liquid FOM.

(By order of the Governor)
PREETHA K S
ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:

The Secretary, Department of Drinking Waster and Sanitation, Government of India, New Delhi.

The Principal Director, Local Self Government Department.

The Executive Director, Suchitwa Mission.

The Principal Accountant General (A&E) / (Audit I) / (Audit II), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Executive Director, IKM.

The I&PR (Web & New Media) Department. Stock File / Office Copy

Forwarded /By order

Section Officer

Copy to :- PS to Minister LSGD PA to ACS, LSGD