



#### **GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

### **Abstract**

LSGD-The City Beauty Competition conceived by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs – Engaging Department of Architecture, College of Engineering, Thiruvananthapuram as the Third Party Agency for on ground verification and data validation - Sanction accorded - Orders issued

# LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (DC) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.2505/2023/LSGD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 15-12-2023

- 1 Letter No. A-46020/59/2022/EA Part(1) 9158849 dated Read 05.07.2023 of MoHUA
  - 2 Letter No. SMMU/AMRUT 2. O/ 110 /CBC dated 12.10.2023 of the Mission Director, AMRUT
  - 3 Letter No. LSGD/PD/57562/2023-TCPB3 dated 01.12.2023 of the Principal Director, LSGD

## **ORDER**

The City Beauty Competition conceived by Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs aims to open up opportunities for wards and cities to showcase their interventions towards creating beautiful public spaces. The competition is a platform to celebrate and promote the efforts of wards and cities across India in developing and revitalizing public spaces including Green Spaces, Waterfronts, tourist/heritage sites, and market/commercial spaces. Participation in the competition is voluntary. State has to engage a Third Party Agency for on ground verification and validation of the data and information submitted by the ward and cities during online application. As per the letter read as 1<sup>st</sup> paper above Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs has informed that the expenses incurred towards the Third Party Agency can be met from the A&OE funds of AMRUT 2.O.

2. As per the letter read as 2<sup>nd</sup> paper above, Mission Director, AMRUT has reported that the College of Engineering (CET), Thiruvananthapuram, has submitted Expression of Interest to act as Third Party Agency and submitted an estimate of Rs. Rs.800000/-(Eight Lakhs only) as their cost of services including site visits.

(excluding 18% GST). The Principal Director, LSGD has recommended to approve the said proposal forwarded by the Mission Director, AMRUT.

4.Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord sanction to engage Department of Architecture, College of Engineering, Thiruvananthapuram as the Third Party Agency for on ground verification and validation of the data and information submitted for City Beauty Competition, with a service cost of Rs.800000/-(Eight Lakhs only) + 18% GST. The expenses incurred towards engaging the Third Party Agency shall be met from the A&OE funds of AMRUT 2.O.

(By order of the Governor) SHEEJA.R.S. JOINT SECRETARY

To:

The Mission Director, AMRUT

The Principal Director, LSGD

The Principal Accountant General (A&E) Kerala Thiruvananthapuram

The Accountant General (Audit I/ Audit II), Kerala Thiruvananthapuram

The Information Officer, I&PRD (Web & New Media)

The Executive Director, Information Kerala Mission.

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