



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

LSGD - Order of Hon'ble High Court dated 18.10.2019 in WP(C) No. 23911/2018 filed by Smt. Treasa K.J. and another - Prohibition of dumping of waste and draining of sewage into the Thevara-Perandoor Canal - Orders issued

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (DC) DEPARTMENT

GO(Rt) No. 2466/2019/LSGD

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 06.11.2019

Read:- Order of Hon'ble High Court dated 18.10.2019 in WP(C) No. 23911/2018.

ORDER

As per the order read above the Hon'ble High Court has directed Government to issue an appropriate order prohibiting the dumping of waste and draining of sewage into the Thevara-Perandoor Canal making such action liable for prosecution under the applicable laws, statutes and regulations and publish the same in news papers having wide circulation in the city of Kochi.

- (2) Government have examined the matter in detail. The dumping of waste and draining of sewage into the Thevara-Perandoor Canal is prohibited in compliance with the order of Hon'ble High Court read above. Such actions are liable for prosecution and punishment including fine under the relevant sections of Kerala Panchayat Raj Act, 1994, Kerala Municipality Act, 1994, Kerala Irrigation and Water Conservation (Amendment) Act, 2018 and such other applicable Statutes and Regulations. The citizens shall not indulge in the dumping of garbage and filth into the Thevara-Perandoor canal and also that no sewage or human waste is drained into it so as to endanger the lives of fellow citizens.
- (3) The Secretary, Kochi Municipal Corporation shall publish this order in News Papers having wide circulation in the city of Kochi. The District Collector, Ernakulam is authorised to issue detailed instructions to citizens not to indulge in the dumping of garbage and filth and draining of sewage,

human waste etc into Thevara-Perandoor canal quoting the relevant provisions of applicable laws, statutes and regulations.

(By order of the Governor) T.K.Jose, Additional Chief Secretary to Government

To

The Mayor, Kochi Corporation.

The Advocate General, Kerala, Ernakulam (with covering letter)

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

The Chairman and Members of High Level Committee (through District Collector, Ernakulam)

District Collector, Ernakulam.

Member Secretary, Kerala State Disaster Management Authority.

Member Secretary, Kerala State Pollution Control Board.

The Chairman, Kochin Port Trust.

Disaster Management Department.

Managing Director, Kerala Water Authority.

Managing Director, Kochi Metro Rail Ltd.

Chief Executive Officer, Cochin Smart Mission Ltd.

Secretary, Kochi Municipal Corporation.

Forwarded /By order

Section Officer