



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Local Self Government Department – Mahatma Gandhi NREGA Social Audit Society Kerala-Selection of Social Audit Resource persons at State/District level - Selection Committee Reconstituted – Orders issued.

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (DD) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.1429/2020/LSGD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 31/07/2020

Read 1 GO (Rt) No.3906/2015/LSGD dated 30.12.2015

2 GO (Rt) No.1610/2018/LSGD dated 13.06.2018

3 Letter No.10/MGNSASK/Estt/18 dated 31.08.2019 from Director, MGNREGA Social Audit Society Kerala.

ORDER

As per the Government Order read as 1st paper above, sanction was accorded for setting up an independent Social Audit Unit in the State for conducting Social Audit under MGNREGA in accordance with the provisions in the Mahatma Gandhi NREGA Audit of Schemes Rules 2011. The Guidelines issued along with the Government Order, envisage to appoint one District Social Audit Resource Person (DRP) for every Rs.30 Crore expenditure incurred in 2014-15, at District level and one Block Resource Person (BRP) for every three Grama Panchayats. A Committee was also constituted, as per the Government Order read as 2nd paper above, for selection of resource persons at State, District and Block levels.

2. As per the letter read as 3rd paper above, the Director, MGNREGA Social Audit Society Kerala (MGNSASK) has reported that 2 District Resource Persons and 99 Block Resource Persons are to be selected for appointing in 2 Districts and 99 Block offices across the State. As the Chief Secretary's nominee in the Committee Smt. Sumana N. Menon IAS retired from service, the Director MGNSASK has requested to reconstitute the Committee.

3. Government have examined the matter in detail. As recently amended by the Government of India, the Annual Master Circular 2019-20 of MGNREGA envisages that the selection committee for recruitment of resource persons at State and District level shall have the following composition:

- 1.Chief Secretary or her/his nominee
- 2.Principal Secretary of the Department implementing MGNREGA
- 3.Director, Social Audit Unit (Member-Convenor)
- 4.Representative of the NIRD-PR from the Centre for Social Audit, Representative of a Civil Society Organisation by the State or representative from Department of Social Justice/WCD/Law.

4. In the above circumstances, Government are pleased to reconstitute the Committee with the following composition for selection of Social Audit Resource Persons at the State and District levels from the short list of eligible candidates prepared by the Social Audit Unit;

1. Sri.T.K. Jose IAS, Additional Chief Secretary (Nominee of the Chief Secretary)
2. Principal Secretary, Local Self Government Department
3. Director/Director-in-charge, MGNREGA Social Audit Society (Member-Convenor)
4. Representative of NIRD-PR
5. Representative from Law Department

(By order of the Governor)
SARADA MURALEEDHARAN IAS
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY

To:Sri.T.K. Jose IAS, Additional Chief Secretary

The Principal Secretary, LSGD

The Director, NIRD & PR,Hyderabad (with c/l)

The Secretary, Law Department (with c/l)

The Director-in-charge (MGNREGA Social Audit Society)

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✓ The Director, Information Kerala Mission, Thiruvananthapuram.

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