



## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

### Abstract

Local Self Government Department – General Election to Kerala Legislative Assembly 2016- Providing Basic Minimum Facilities(BMFs) in polling Station construction of ramps in polling stations housed in Government buildings in municipalities and corporations– Orders issued.

### LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (EPA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.1362/2016/LSGD

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 30 /03/2016.

- Read:-
1. Letter No. 464/KL-LA/2016(wmr) dated 09.03.2016 from Election Commission of India, addressed to the Chief Secretary, Government of Kerala.
  2. Meeting convened by the Director, General Election Commission of India on 18.03.2016 at Kochi to review the poll preparedness of the State.
  3. Letter No. 149/EL1/2016 /Ele dated 21.03.2016 from the Chief Electoral Officer, Kerala.
  4. G.O(RT)No.1345/2016/LSGD dated 29-03-2016

### ORDER

The Election Commission of India has instructed to provide basic facilities in the polling stations in the State housed in Government buildings vide letter read as 1<sup>st</sup> paper above. Construction of Ramp is the main component to be facilitated in the polling station considering the ensuing Election in May 2016. In the GO read as 4th paper above direction has issued to the Director of Panchayats in this regard to the Panchayat areas.

Government are pleased to order that the Director of Urban Affairs to take necessary action to construct Ramps and other basic facilities in Government Buildings in their jurisdiction where ever it is not available.

It is also ordered that Secretaries of Corporations and Municipalities can utilize the plan fund available with them for this purpose before 31<sup>st</sup> March 2016 and to submit a report on action taken before 5<sup>th</sup> April 2016 through the Director of Urban Affairs with copy to the Government.

(By order of the Government)

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JOINT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Director of Urban Affairs, Thiruvananthapuram  
The Director of Panchayats, Thiruvananthapuram.  
The Chief Electoral Officer, Kerala.  
All District Collectors.  
All Secretaries of Corporations and Municipalities (through Director of Urban Affairs)