



**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

**Abstract**

AMRUT - Kerala Water Authority works in Thiruvananthapuram Corporation - Approval of Tender Excess and Revised Administrative Sanction accorded - Orders Issued

**LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (DC) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.(Rt)No.803/2021/LSGD** Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 30/03/2021

- Read 1 GO (Rt) No. 3530/ 2017/ LSGD dated 02/11/2017  
2 GO (Rt) No. 1672/ 2020/ LSGD dated 16/09/2020  
3 Minutes of the 27th SHPSC of AMRUT dated 20/02/2021  
4 Letter No. UIE/1374/2019/AMRUT/General/2 dated 23/02/2021 from Mission Director, AMRUT

**ORDER**

As per the order read as 1st paper above, Administrative Sanction (AS) was accorded for the work providing sewer trunk from Kazhakkootam area to pumping station of I Block through the bank of Thettiyar Thodu - Collection & Conveyance system and pumping station, pumps & electrical installation, pumping mains (Block I) under Sewerage & Septage sector, being implemented by Kerala Water Authority (KWA) in Thiruvananthapuram Corporation.

2. As per the order read as 2nd paper above, revised AS was accorded for the work for Rs.10.56 Cr. due to tender excess of 2 sub-works. Later 2 sub-works mentioned below were clubbed together & tendered:

Sub-Work-1: Well at Kulathoor.

Sub-Work-2: Supplying and erection of pump sets, transformer and electrical accessories in the Kulathur Pumping Station.

3. The sub-works were clubbed and tendered 8 times totally but

no quotes were received in the first 5 tenders. High quotes were received in the 6th tender. Single offer was received in the 7th tender. The 40% above tendered PAC [Excess Amount – Rs.1.79 Cr. including GST] quote with tender excess was received in the 8th tender.

4. Reasons for Excess amount : The excess amount was required due to more depth involved in excavation, high water table in the area as it is near Thettiyar Thodu, piping & quick sand condition expected in the area which may cause damage to nearby existing structures and expected abrupt change in soil strata which may cause differential settlement or tilting of well during construction.

5. As per the letter read as 4th paper above, the Mission Director, AMRUT has informed that 50% of the additional fund requirement of Rs.1.79 Cr. will be met by the Corporation from their own fund and balance 50% will be met by the State Government.

6. The decision (No.4.2) of the 27th SHPSC was as follows:

“The Committee noted that our State faces an acute shortage of experienced Contractors in Sewerage & Septage sector and high risk is involved in executing sewerage work. Moreover, laying sewer network is a difficult task and cost of materials have shot up due to COVID pandemic. Considering these facts, though the tender excess was high, the Committee decided to approve the tender excess of 2 sub works (clubbed – 40% above Tendered PAC) & revision of AS for an amount of Rs.12.35 Cr. due to necessity of the project on condition that half of the cost due to tender excess shall be borne by the Corporation. The Committee directed the Secretary to get the Council resolution regarding the same.”.

7. Government have examined the matter in detail and based on the decision of the 27th SHPSC, are pleased to approve the tender excess of 40% for the Sub-Work-1 of well at Kulathoor and Sub-Work-2 of supplying and erection of pump sets, transformer and electrical accessories in the Kulathur Pumping Station, clubbed and revision of AS of the main work to Rs.12.35 Cr. subject to the conditions that half of the cost due to tender excess shall be borne by the Thiruvananthapuram Corporation and Council resolution regarding the same shall be obtained by Thiruvananthapuram Corporation Secretary.

(By order of the Governor)  
**BISHWANATH SINHA IAS**  
**PRINCIPAL SECRETARY**

To:

The Mission Director, AMRUT

The Director of Urban Affairs, Thiruvananthapuram

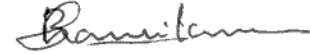
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