



## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

### Abstract

Cancellation of Sewerage Works of Kozhikode Municipal Corporation and new Water Supply Work under AMRUT – Sanction accorded-orders issued

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### LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (DC) DEPARTMENT

**G.O.(Rt)No.523/2023/LSGD** Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, **02-03-2023**

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Read 1 G.O. (Rt) No. 1297/ 2021/ LSGD dated 09.07.2021

2 Minutes of 31<sup>st</sup> SHPSC of AMRUT held on 27.10.2022 (decision No.6.4)

3 Minutes of 32<sup>nd</sup> SHPSC of AMRUT held on 23.01.2023 (additional agenda item No.3)

4 Minutes of Council meeting of Kozhikkode Municipal Corporation held on 08.02.2023 (decision No.131)

5 Letter No.SMMU/166/2022-UP2/8 dated 13.02.2023 of the Mission director, AMRUT

### ORDER

As per G.O read as 1<sup>st</sup> paper above revised Administrative Sanction for an amount of Rs.Rs.140 Cr had been accorded for the implementation of “Decentralized sewage treatment plant and associated sewerage network for Zone-A” (Package-A & B) of Kozhikode Corporation. In order to avoid the loss of fund under AMRUT, regarding the said project, as per the minutes read as 2<sup>nd</sup> paper above, the 31<sup>st</sup> SHPSC had decided as follows

i. A time frame of 1.5 months (up to 11.12.2022) shall be given to the ULB to make a final effort to start the works related to the 6 MLD & 7 MLD STPs. The sewer pipe laying works shall not be started unless the STP works are started.

ii. If the ULB is able to start the STP works within the time frame the STP works shall be maintained under AMRUT-1.0. The possibility of maintaining the sewer network works under AMRUT-1.0 or the possibility of cancelling the sewer network work and

shifting the same to AMRUT-2.0 shall be checked and the suitable option shall be adopted.

iii.If the ULB is unable to start the STP works within the time frame the STP works and sewer network works shall be cancelled and the available fund may be transferred to feasible projects in the same ULB or other ULBs that can be started soon and at least 10% physical progress can be achieved by Mar-2023.

2. Accordingly, based on proposals submitted by Secretary, Kozhikode Corporation the 32<sup>nd</sup> State Level High Powered Steering Committee (SHPS) of AMRUT-1.0 has considered cancellation of the Sewerage Sector works, “Decentralized sewage treatment plant and associated sewerage network for Zone-A” (Package-A & B) from AMRUT-1.0 and transfer to AMRUT-2.0. and issuance of Administrative Sanction for a new Water Supply Sector work under AMRUT-1.0, worth Rs.111.33 Cr. for utilizing the fund available due to the cancellation of the Sewerage works.

3. As per the minutes read as 3<sup>rd</sup> paper above, The 32<sup>nd</sup> SHPS has;

i. Approved the cancellation of the Sewerage works, “Decentralized sewage treatment plant and associated sewerage network for Zone-A (Package-A & B)” and its transfer to AMRUT-2.0.

ii. Approved the cancellation of the Rs.111.33 Cr., WS work from AMRUT-2.0 and its transfer to AMRUT-1.0.

iii.Accorded sanction for the issuance of Administrative Sanction of Rs.111.33 Cr. for the WS work under AMRUT-1.0 subject to the following conditions:

- The required amount shall be met from the savings due to the cancellation of the works, “Decentralized sewage treatment plant and associated sewerage network for Zone-A” (Package-A &B).
- Any financial implication due to non-completion of the works by 31.03.2023 shall be borne by the ULB.
- Approval of the Council shall be obtained for the proposals.

4. As per the minutes read as 4<sup>th</sup> paper above, the council of Kozhikode Municipal Corporation has approved the above proposal. As per the letter read as 5<sup>th</sup> paper above, the Mission Director, AMRUT

has requested to accord sanction based on the decisions of 32<sup>nd</sup> SHPSC.

5. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to cancel the Sewerage works, “Decentralized sewage treatment plant and associated sewerage network for Zone-A (Package-A & B)” and its transfer to AMRUT-2.0. Sanction is also accorded for the cancellation of the Rs.111.33 Cr., Water Supply work from AMRUT-2.0 and its transfer to AMRUT-1.0. Administrative Sanction is also accorded for an amount of Rs.111.33 Cr. for the Water Supply work under AMRUT-1.0 subject to the following conditions:

- The required amount shall be met from the savings due to the cancellation of the works, “Decentralized sewage treatment plant and associated sewerage network for Zone-A” (Package-A &B).
- Any financial implication due to non-completion of the works by 31.03.2023 shall be borne by the ULB.

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

To:

The Mission Director, AMRUT  
The Principal Director, LSGD  
The Director (Urban), LSGD  
The Secretary, Kozhikkode Municipal Corporation  
The Managing director, Kerala Water Authority  
The Principal Accountant General (A&E) Kerala Thiruvananthapuram  
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