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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Local Self Government Department - KIIFB - Construction of STPs-Replacement of the word 'septage' with 'sewage/septage' in GO(Rt) No. 470/2019/LSGD dated 1.3.2019 – Orders Issued.

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT(PP) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.1842/2025/LSGD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 26-07-2025

Read 1 G.O.(Rt) No. 470/2019/LSGD dated 01.03.2019

² Letter No.IMPACT/111/2023-ADMIN Dated 10.03.2025 and 19.07.2025 from the Managing Director, IMPACT Kerala Ltd

ORDER

While having issued the Government Order read as first paper above, it was stated such that, 'Government are pleased to accord administrative sanction for the setting up of Septage Treatment Plants in various Local Self Government Institutions in the State for an amount of Rs. 150 crore, utilizing the financial assistance from KIIFB.'

- 2. But, as per the letter read as the second paper above, IMPACT Kerala Ltd. has observed that
 - Above GO was issued when no funds were available for treatment of either sewage or septage
 - Use of the term septage is very restrictive which prohibits in extending financial assistance to Sewage Treatment Plants (STPs)
 - Requirement of LSGIs are for STPs (with/without network) along with co-treatment facility
 - STPs can have co-treatment facilities for septage also , thereby

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saving space and resource

KIIFB has expressed that broadening the term to include 'sewage' would allow for a more flexible and impactful approach to funding. In these circumstances, IMPACT Kerala has requested that the term 'septage' in the GO be replaced with "sewage/septage" to encompass both and enable KIIFB to extend financial support more effectively.

- 3. Government have examined this matter in detail and are pleased to order that the word "septage" wherever mentioned in the Government Order read first above is corrected to as "sewage/septage"
- 4. The GO read as first paper above stands modified to this extent only.

(By order of the Governor)
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