

**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA****Abstract**

Local Self Government Department- PMGSY Package No.KR.07-15 (A) widening and effecting improvements to Njeezhoor Town- Parassery and Niravam- Parasserry Roads - Standing Empowered Committee constituted – Orders issued.

Local Self Government (DD)Department

G.O.(Rt)No.2171/2025/LSGD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 03-09-2025

Read:- 1.Judgement dated 25/11/2024 in WP(C) No.4572/2012 and WP(C) No.20218/2016 filed by Sri.K.C Antony.
2.Letter No. 3944/2007/KSRRDA dated 21.05.2025 and letter No. KSRRDA/167/2025-B dated 27.06.2025 from the Chief Engineer, KSRRDA

ORDER

The work of Package No.KR.07-15 (A), widening and effecting improvements to Njeezhoor Town- Parassery and Niravam- Parasserry Roads under PMGSY Scheme was awarded to Sri.K.C Antony. Agreement was executed on 05.05.2008. The contractor was terminated with risk and cost on 03/06/2011. Accordingly the work was rearranged based on the balance schedule prepared and an amount of Rs.17,45,386/- had been fixed by CE, KSRRDA as the net liability to the contractor. The Contractor filed WP(C) No.4572/2012 against the proceedings of KSRRDA and also filed WP(C) No.20218/2016 against the RR proceedings initiated by the Deputy Tahasildar, Kottayam and as per the combined judgement dated 25/11/2024 in the cases, the Court has set aside the termination order and RR notice and allowed the parties to approach the Standing Empowered Committee for the remedy.

2.In the circumstances, the Chief Engineer, KSRRDA, as per letter read as 2nd paper above, has requested to constitute a Standing Empowered Committee for taking final decision in the matter. The Chief Engineer, KSRRDA has also informed that the contractor selected Sri.K.D.Ajayaghosh, CE,KSRRDA(Rtd) as the Non-official Member in the Standing Empowered Committee.

3. Government have examined the matter and are pleased to constitute a Standing Empowered Committee, for the redressal of the aforesaid dispute, with the following composition:

- I) Principal Director, LSGD- Chairperson
- ii) Chief Engineer, LSGD - Official Member
- iii) Sri.K.D.Ajayaghosh, CE,KSRRDA(Rtd) – Non-official Member

4.The Chief Engineer, KSRRDA is directed to take necessary steps to present the details of the case before the Standing Empowered Committee for settling the dispute.

(By order of the Governor)

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DEPUTY SECRETARY

The Principal Director, LSGD, Thiruvananthapuram

The Chief Engineer, LSGD, Thiruvananthapuram

The Chief Engineer, KSRRDA, Thiruvananthapuram

Sri.K.D.Ajayaghosh, CE,KSRRDA(Rtd) (through the CE, KSRRDA)

Sri. KC Antony, Kaithackal House, Chemmamattom P.O, Erattupetta, Kottayam

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram

The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram

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