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Abstract

Fisheries and Ports Department- State Level Expert Committee for appraisal and monitoring of coastal engineering works-Constituted -Orders issued

Fisheries and Ports (B) Department

G.O.(Rt) No.547/2020/F&P

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 05/10/2020

Read 1 Letter No. HECE/214/2020-D4 dated 30-7-2020 of the Chief Engineer, Harbour Engineering Department

ORDER

1. Various construction works such as construction of Harbours and Ports, Shore Protection works, dredging etc are now being executed by different agencies in Fisheries Department. There is lack of co-ordination among these agencies. Many projects are done without proper assessment of its impact on the adjacent coast line. The issues related to coastal erosion has become a never ending problem, due to the lack of a comprehensive approach in planning and execution. The study reports furnished by many agencies are widely varying from the actual proto type behaviour in many cases and this makes the issues more complex. In this context, Government are pleased to constitute a State Level Expert Committee with the following members for appraisal and monitoring of works.

Sl.No	Name	Committee
1	Smt. Tinku Biswal, Secretary to Government, Fisheries Department	Chairperson
2	Shri.B.T.V. Krishnan, Chief Engineer	Member
3	Dr. Balakrishna Nair, Director in charge, INCOIS, Hyderabad	Member
4	Dr. K.V. Thomas, Dean, KUFOS, Cochin	Member
5	Prof. Sajeev, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Physical Oceanography, CUSAT	Member
6	Dr. Dineshan Cheruvatt, Additional Director of Fisheries and member of CZMA,	Member

2. Persons from other departments/agencies including Irrigation, Kerala State Coastal Area Development Corporation etc shall be co-opted as and when desired. The committee will also assist Harbour Engineering Department in preparing a comprehensive master plan for development of the coastal zone.

(By order of the Governor)

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