

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Cultural Affairs Department – State Archives Department – Constitution of Kerala State Archives Council – Orders issued.

CULTURAL AFFAIRS (C) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt) No.408/2004/CAD

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram 16.8.2004

Read: (1) G.O.(Rt) 185/2001/CAD dated: 23.04.2001
(2) Letter No.P&R 1901/2004/SA dated 13.05.2004 from the Director, State Archives Department.

ORDER

As per the Government Order read above, orders were issued to disband the advisory boards of State Archives Department and Archaeology Department and entrusted the Kerala Council for Historical Research to act as the advisory body of both the Archives and Archaeology Departments. As the Kerala Council for Historical Research is not discharging any advisory functions connected with the Advisory Council of Kerala State Archives Department and the Department has now entered into a new phase of its activities, Government decided to constitute the State Archives Council comprising the following members and they order accordingly.

1. Minister, Water Resources (Chairman)
2. K.Jayakumar, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Tourism & Culture, Government of India- Member
3. Secretary to Government, Cultural Affairs Department (In charge of Archives)- Member.
4. Dr.M.G.S.Narayanan, Former Chairman, ICHR, 'Maithry', Malaparambu, Kozhikode-Member.
5. Prof. Dr.Alexander Karakkal, Former Pro. Vice Chancellor, Kannur University (Karakkal, Thiruvalla-689 108) – Member
6. Dr.K.K.Kusumam, Former Professor & Head, Department of History, University of Kerala and General Secretary-South Indian History Congress, Trivandrum – Member
7. Dr.E.P.Antory, Secretary, Kerala History Association, Ernakulam-Member
8. Mr.Gopalakrishnan (Malayinkeezhu), News Editor, Mathrubhoomi, Trivandrum – Member
9. Director, Archaeology Department –Member
10. Director, Kerala State Information Technology Mission, Government of Kerala- Member
11. Nominee of the Department of Finance-Member
12. Nominee of the General Administration Department –Member
13. Nominee of the P&AR Department –Member

14. Nominee of the National Archives of India-Member
15. Prof. Oommen Mathew, Mamoottil House, Thalavady P.O, Alappuzha-Member
16. Shri.Thomas John, Koppazhayil House, SH Mount P.O, Kottayam-Member
17. Prof.Joseph Scariah, Convent Lane, Nalanchira, Thiruvananthapuram –Member
18. Director of Archives (Convenor)

The functions of the Council will be as follows

1. The Council will put forward suggestions and recommendations for the toning up of the Archives Department.
2. Tender technical advice on the various aspects in the functioning of the State Archives
3. Tender advice in adopting Archival development in other states and in the Centre on Record Management and Preservation in the State Archives.

The period of the Council will be for 3 (Three) years. The quorum of the meeting shall be one third of the total membership. It will be treated as Class I Committee for the purpose of TA/DA to members.

The expenditure connected with the meeting of the Council will be met from the head of account “2205-104-99-34-3 Other Charges-(Plan)”

(By Order of the Governor)

S.S.JAYACHANDRAN,
UNDER SECRETARY

To

The Director, State Archives Department, Thiruvananthapuram
Shri.K.Jayakumar, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Tourism & Culture, Govt. of Kerala
The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
Principal Accountant General (Audit) Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
District Treasury Officer, District Treasury, Thiruvananthapuram
All Members (Through Director, State Archives Department, Thiruvananthapuram)
Finance Department,
P&ARD
General Administration Department
Copy to: PS to Minister (Water Resources)
P.A to Secretary (Tourism & Culture)

Forwarded / By Order

Section Officer

