



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Industries Department- expansion of Cashew Plantations in the State Agency to take urgent measures for the expansion of Cashew Cultivation - formed - orders issued

INDUSTRIES (K) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms) No. 55/2007/ID

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 26-4-08

Read: - Minutes of the High-level meeting held on 17-4-2007 in the Conference hall of Chief Minister.

ORDER

A High-level meeting was held at Government level on 17-4-2007 under the Chairmanship of Honorable Chief Minister in the presence of Principal Secretary/Secretaries Finance, Labour, Forests, Trade Union leaders etc to discuss the matter of diffusion and expansion of Cashew cultivation in the State. The High-level meeting discussed in detail the present picture of Cashew cultivation in the State and its diminishing tendency as far as the area of cultivation and production. It was informed in the meeting that earlier there exists a High-level agency to study the pros and cons of cashew cultivation in the state and the same agency does not exist now. It is pointed out that Cashew Special Officer has been appointed to help solve the problems related to the Cashew Industry and to make efforts to effective implementation of Cashew cultivation in the State. In the meeting it has been decided to constitute an Agency for the expansion of Cashew cultivation in the State under the leadership of the Cashew Special Officer, Kollam.

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In the circumstances Government are pleased to constitute an agency to make efforts for the expansion of the Cashew Cultivation in the State under the leadership of Cashew Special Officer, Kollam with following members.

- 1) Shri. X. Anil, Cashew Special Officer, Kollam
- 2) Shri. E. Kassim, Chairman, KSCDC, Kollam

Representatives of Trade Unions

- 3) Smt. J. Mercykuttyamma, Aswathy, Vellimon.P.O, Keralapuram, Kollam (CITU)
- 4) Adv. K. P. Venugopal, Kochumambpuzhavila Puthenveedu, Thekkan Mynagappalli P.O, Kollam (AITUC)
- 5) Shri. A.A. Azeez M.L.A, Kalilazhikathuveedu, Umayanellur P.O (UTUC)
- 6) Shri. Ezhukone Narayanan, Ex-M.L.A, Kunnuvilaveedu, Kolannur, Ezhukone P.O, Kollam (INTUC)

The representatives of Industries, Agriculture, Forest, Irrigation and Finance Departments will be nominated later.

By order of the Governor,
N. LETHA,

Additional Secretary to Government.

To

The Persons Concerned
The Managing Director, KSCDC, Kollam
The Managing Director, Capex, Kollam
The Agriculture/Forest/Irrigation/Finance Departments
SF/OC

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Section Officer.

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