

## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

## Abstract

Disaster Management Department – Identification of HVRA Cell as on the nodal agency and the Head (Project Scientist), HVRA as the nodal officer – Sanction accorded – Orders issued.

## DISASTER MANAGEMENT (REVENUE -K) DEPARTMENT G.O.(Rt) No.3250/2011/DMD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 29/07/2011

Read:- GO (Rt) No. 2267/2011/DMD dated 20-04-2011.

## ORDER

As per Government Order read above sanction has been accorded for the setting up of HVRA Cell and approval of project execution plan. In the first high level meeting of the HVRA Cell held at Centre for Earth Science Studies on 12 May 2011, it was inter alia decided to empower the HVRA Cell for collecting spatial (digital and hardcopy maps, vector and raster data in GIS environment) and aspatial (textual) data from various government-owned research and development laboratories, institutions and departments relevant for the Hazard, Vulnerability and Risk Assessment of the State on a complete nocost basis. Nodal officers for HVRA data sharing were also identified from the attendant departments and institutions for the purpose.

Government have examined the matter and are pleased to identify the HVRA Cell as the nodal agency (the Head, Project Scientist, HVRA Cell as the nodal officer empowered) to collect, collate, archive, analyse and reproduce any spatial and aspatial data relevant for hazard vulnerability and risk assessment of the State. They are also pleased to empower the Head HVRA as the nodal officer entrusted to collect the data on a non-payment basis. He is also entrusted to prepare research reports based on this data on behalf of the Government subject to the condition that the data is to be published only with the prior approval of the supervisory committee of the HVRA Cell and Government as the case may be.

The Departments in Government and Research Development institutions laborataries under the State Government are hereby instructed to provide effective assistance in providing the data as ordered. The Head, HVRA Cell will place the first set of data duly analysed before the State Executive Committee on Disaster Management.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

Dr.Nivedita.P.Haran Addl. Chief Secretary.

To

All the Head of Departments

The Ex-officio Principal Secretary, Kerala State Council for Science and

Technology, Thiruvananthapuram The Director, CESS, Thiruvananthapuram

The Commissioner of Land Revenue, Revenue Complex, Thiruvananthapuram

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