



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Disaster Management Department -landslide occurred in Mundakkai, Attamala, Chooralmala in Wayanad District - Coordination of Rescue Operations -Orders issued

DISASTER MANAGEMENT (A)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.546/2024/DMD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 30-07-2024

Read- Review meeting of Chief Secretary held on 30/07/2024

ORDER

The following orders are issued for guiding search & rescue operations and coordination of law and order in view of the landslide at Mundakkai, Attamala, and Chooralmala in Wayanad district.

1. The Additional DGP will be based in Kalpetta and will be responsible for the following activities that involve close coordination and supervision:

a. Ensure that all main access roads leading to the district are open to smooth traffic management. Curtailing all non-essential traffic to the sites and neighbourhood. Coordination with agencies moving assets and resources to the incident site.

b. Management of all VIP movements, coordinating with District Collector and District Police, to ensure that relief operations are not disrupted.

c. Management of supply systems to Police personnel onsite and all matters related to Police Welfare.

d. Coordination of safety and security of Relief Camps in the district.

2. Mr. Sethu Raman IPS, IG will be the onsite Incident Commander, reporting directly to the Chief Secretary. All rescue operations will be headed by the onsite Incident Commander.

3. All Commanders of forces deployed will report to him.

4. The Onsite Incident Commander will report directly to the Chief Secretary.

5. A detailed plan for rescue operations shall be charted out by the

onsite Incident Commander for the coordinated operations to commence at daybreak tomorrow after due consultation with all forces including NDRF, Armed Forces, Fire and Rescue Services, and Forest officers.

6. NDRF has to plan the entire operations plan tonight along with the Onsite Incident Commander and present the plan tonight by 11 pm for the approval of the Chief Secretary.

8. The District Collector, Wayanad and the onsite Incident Commander alone shall be the local media contacts.

(By order of the Governor)
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