



**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

**Abstract**

Disaster Management Department- Legacy solid waste accumulated and remaining untreated in the Local Self Government Institutions in the State until 24<sup>th</sup> August 2023 declared as a State Specific Disaster - Orders issued.

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**Disaster Management (A)Department**

G.O.(P)No.1/2023/DMD

Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 21-09-2023

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Read 1)Lr. No.A30/P/CKCL/2023/SDMA/02 dated 17-08-2023 from Clean  
Kerala Company limited.  
2)Lr.No.MTOVII/1549/2023/SDMA-KSDMA dated 23.08.2023 from the  
Member Secretary, KSDMA  
3)Minutes of the meeting of the State Executive Committee of KSDMA  
held on 24.08.2023

**ORDER**

As per letter read as 1<sup>st</sup> paper, Clean Kerala Company Limited has requested possible intervention of Disaster Management Department to augment legacy waste collection in the State and streamline operations to avoid disaster-like situations in the wake of the Brahmapuram waste dump fire incident.

2) As per letter read as 2<sup>nd</sup> paper, the Member Secretary, Kerala State Disaster Management Authority has reported that there are no explicit provisions in SDRF guidelines to finance the removal of legacy waste. However, the State Executive Committee has the authority to notify state specific disasters and utilize up to 10% of SDRMF for response and mitigation of such disasters.

3) Accordingly, as decided in the meeting of the State Executive Committee of Kerala State Disaster Management Authority held on 24.08.2023, Government are pleased to declare the legacy solid waste accumulated and remaining untreated in the State until 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 as a State Specific Disaster.

(By order of the Governor)

TINKU BISWAL

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY

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The Additional Chief Secretary, Home Department

The Additional Chief Secretary, Finance Department  
The Additional Chief Secretary, Local Self Government Department  
The Additional Chief Secretary, Planning and Economic Affairs Department  
The Principal Secretary Health and Family Welfare Department  
Secretary, Public Works Department  
The Commissioner Land Revenue, Thiruvananthapuram  
Principal Director, Local Self Government  
All District Collectors  
Principal Accountant General(Audit), Kerala Thiruvananthapuram  
The Accountant General(A&E), Kerala Thiruvananthapuram  
The Member Secretary, Kerala State Disaster Management Authority,  
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