

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Local Self Government Department - Setting up of Compressed Bio Gas (CBG) Plant at Kureeppuzha, Kollam by M/s Bharath Petroleum Corporation Ltd. (BPCL) - In principle Sanction Accorded - Orders Issued.

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (WM) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.216/2025/LSGD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 09-11-2025

- Read:- (1) Council decision No. 35 dated, 09.04.2025 of the Kollam Municipal Corporation.
 - (2) Minutes of the meeting held on 16.05.2025 under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister, Local Self Government Department
 - (3) Minutes of the meeting chaired jointly by Hon'ble Minister for Finance and Hon'ble Minister for LSGD on 07.08.2025.
 - E-mail Dated, 08.11.2025 from Bharat Petroleum
 (4)
 Corporation Limited

ORDER

The Council of Kollam Municipal Corporation as per the Resolution, read as 1st paper above, decided to prepare Survey Plan for establishing CNG / Bio-gas Plant at Kureepuzha, Kollam by Bharath Petroleum

Corporation Ltd. (BPCL) and also to source 120 KLD Bio Waste from the nearby Panchayats and Municipalities in Kollam District, as raw material for the running of the Plant. It was also decided to set apart 7 acres of land to BPCL for establishing CBG Plant.

- (2) In the meeting, read as 2nd paper above, it was decided that BPCL shall prepare Detailed Feasibilty Report (DFR) for the proposed CBG Plant at Kureepuzha, Kollam. It was also decided that the slurry from the proposed CBG Plant may be processed in the existing STP Plant at Kureepuzha.
- (3) In the meeting, read as 3rd paper above, it was decided to examine the feasibility of making the capacity of the CBG Plant as 120 TPD instead of 150 TPD, with the condition that the slurry from the proposed CBG Plant may be processed in the existing STP Plant at Kureepuzha. It was also decided that the Kollam Municipal Corporation shall make available 120-150 TPD waste to the proposed CBG Plant with the assistance of other Local Bodies.
- Local Bodies including, Chavara, Neendakara, Thrikkaruva, Thrikkovilvattom, Mayyanad, Chathannoor, Perinad, Panayam, Thodiyoor Kottankara, Nedumpana, Grama Panchayats and Karunagappally, Paravoor, Kottarakkara Municipalities have passed resolutions expressing their willingness to join the Project. A separate agreement has to be executed by the Kollam Corporation with these local bodies to ensure uninterrupted supply of bio-waste to the Plant. As per the reference, read as 4th paper above, Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited has furnished the Detailed Feasibilty Report (DFR) for the purpose.

(5) Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord in principle sanction for setting up the Compressed Bio Gas (CBG) Plant at Kureeppuzha, Kollam by M/s Bharath Petroleum Corporation Ltd. (BPCL), subject to the execution of the tripartite agreement among the State Government, the BPCL and the Kollam Municipal Corporation, after finalizing the terms with reference to the Detailed Feasibilty Report(DFR).

(By order of the Governor)

ANUPAMA T V I A S

SPECIAL SECRETARY

The Principal Director, Local Self Government Department.

The Executive Director, Bharath Petroleum Corporation Ltd.

The Principal Accountant General (A&E)/(Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Executive Director, Suchitwa Mission.

The Secretary, Kollam Municipal Corporation.

The Secretaries of Participating Local Bodies (through PD, LSGD)

The I&PR (Web & New Media) Department.

The Executive Director, Information Kerala Mission.

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