



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Local Self Government Department - MGNREGS-Ombudsman for Kottayam District under the MGNREG Act 2005 - Appointed - Orders issued

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (DD)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.88/2025/LSGD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 24-05-2025

Read: 1. G .O.(MS) No.20/2024/LSGD dated 02.02.2024

2. Judgment of the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala in W.P(C)

No 7976 and 2868 of 2024 dated 17.03.2025

3. G.O.(P)No.22/2025/LSGD 16.04.2025 (EOG no.1546 dated 23.04.2025)

4. Representation dated 25.04.2025 submitted by Sri.Sadique Hussain M.H,Ollukkara,Thrissur

ORDER

As per Section 27 of the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA), 2005, Government of India had issued detailed instructions to the State Governments to establish the Office of the Ombudspersons for redressal of Grievances and disposal of complaints relating to implementation of the MGNREGS. As per the Government order read as 1st paper above, Government re-constituted the Selection Committee for preparing and recommending to Government, the ranked panel of persons found suitable for appointment as Ombudspersons for Mahatma Gandhi NREGS in accordance with the instructions issued by GoI. After due process, the Selection Committee prepared district-wise panel of suitable persons in all the fourteen districts of Kerala.

2.The Selection Committee had considered the objections received within the prescribed time limit and the district-wise ranked panel was finally notified as per the Government order read as 3rd paper above. As

per the notification,the appointment from the ranklist will be in compliance with the judgment read as (2) above.The post of Ombudsman in Kottayam district fell vacant due to the resignation of the Ombudsman appointed from the previous ranklist and the said position continued as such during notification of the present ranked panel as per G.O read as (3) above.The 1st rank holder in the ranked panel for appointment to the post of Ombudsman in the Kottayam and Pathanamthitta Districts,Sri.SadiqueHussain M.H has submitted representation read as 4th paper above for considering his appointment to the post of Ombudsman for Kottayam district which is lying vacant since 15/2/23.

3. In the above circumstances, Government of Kerala, in exercising the powers conferred under Section 27 of MGNREG Act 2005 and in accordance with the instructions issued by Government of India from time to time, hereby appoint Sri. Sadique Hussain M.H,Ollookkara,Thrissur the 1st rank holder in Kottayam district, as Ombudsperson under MGNREGS of Kottayam district, for redressal of grievances and disposal of complaints relating to implementation of MGNREG Act 2005 and the Scheme formulated by the State under the said Act .

4. The District Programme Officer /District Collector, Kottayam shall arrange the office facility, administrative facilities/secretarial assistance and logistics of the appointed Ombudsperson. The tenure and other terms and conditions of the appointed Ombudsperson including compensation for duties discharged would strictly be adhered to the relevant clauses of the “Instructions on Ombudsman” issued by Government of India.

5. The Ombudsman appointed shall commence his work immediately on receipt of this order and shall send a work commencement report to the Government in due course.

(By order of the Governor)

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JOINT SECRETARY

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The District Collector/ District Programme Coordinator, Kottayam
The President/Secretaries, District Panchayath and all Block & Grama
Panchayaths in Kottayam District (Through the Principal Director,
LSGD)
The Secretary, Ministry of Rural Development, Gol (with C/L)
Principal Accountant General(Audit), Thiruvananthapuram
The Accountant General(A&E), Thiruvananthapuram
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