

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Information Technology Department - Establishment of the School for Information Technology and Management (SITMA) - Admission criteria, Fee Structure and Reservation Norms - Approved - Orders issued

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT

GO (MS) No 5/2000/ITD

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Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 14-3-2000

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Read: (1) G.O.(MS)No.84/99/ITD. Dated 29-5-1999.

(2) G.O.(MS)No.139/99/ITD. Dated 1-10-1999.

(3) G.O (Rt) No: 14/2000/ITD. Dated 16-2-2000.

ORDER

Government of Kerala have, vide order read as first paper above approved the establishment of the School for Information Technology and Management (SITMA) at Technopark Campus in Thiruvananthapuram in two phases. The first phase of the Institute is to become operational in the coming academic year. In this context, it was considered necessary to take a decision regarding the admission criteria, mode of selection, fee structure and norms for reservation to be followed by SITMA for its Post Graduate Diploma Program

- 2. The Government have examined the recommendations of the Empowered Committee constituted vide Government Order read as first paper above, in this regard. The Government are now pleased to order as follows:
 - a) The minimum educational qualification for the Post Graduate Program of SITMA shall be either Degree in any branch of engineering or Masters Degree in Computer Applications (i.e., MCA). The candidates should have a minimum score of 60% of marks in the qualifying Engineering Degree/ MCA exam
 - b) Admissions to the said program of SITMA shall be open to students from both within and outside Kerala However 50% of the seats shall be reserved for candidates from Kerala
 - c) SITMA shall adopt the pattern of communal reservations being followed for other similar professional courses in the State



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- d) The admissions to the Program shall be based on national level Entrance Examination
- e) SITMA shall charge a fee of Rs 25,000/- per semester for the Post Graduate Diploma Program to be commenced in the coming academic year

(By Order of the Governor)

ARUNA SUNDARARAJAN SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Chairman, Empowered Committee

The Members of the Empowered Committee.

The Managing Director, Ed-CiL

The Managing Director, KSIDC

The Principal Secretary, Higher Education

The Director of Public Relations

The Chief Executive Officer, Technopark

The Accountant General (Audit) (A&E), Thiruvananthapuram

The Private Secretaries to all Ministers

The Director, Technical Education

SF, OC.

Copy to Additional Secretary to Chief Secretary

General Administration(SC)Department(Vide item No 4017 dated 24-2-2000)

Forwarded / By Order

Section Officer