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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Information Technology Department – e-District – Meeting of Empowered Committee on e-Governance - Decisions - Approved-Orders issued

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (B) DEPARTMENT

G.O (Rt)No 117/2014/ITD

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 28-05-14.

- Read. 1. G.O(Rt) No.42/2002/ITD dated 3.5.2002
2 Letter No KSITM/SSDG/2008/5425/9/2443 dated 9 12 2013 from the Director, KSITM, Thiruvananthapuram
3 Minutes of the Empowered Committee on e-Governance meeting held on 26.12.13

ORDER

As per G O read as first paper above Government have constituted an Empowered Committee with Chief Secretary as Chairman to ensure time bound implementation and for sorting out issues pertaining to e-Governance The Empowered Committee on e-Governance in its meeting held on 26 12 2013 had taken the following decisions for the smooth implementation of the various e-Governance projects.

I. e-District

- (a) To revise portfolio of e-district services attached as Annexure -1
- (b) To integrate Public Distribution System services of Food & Civil Supplies Department and Welfare related pension services with e-district and State Service Delivery Gateway state portal
- (c) To delegate the powers of Apex Committee to the technical committee of KSITM for the following.
 - For approving the operational documents created under e-district project by State Project Management Unit(SPMU) and NIC
 - For approving change management and capacity building plan report submitted by SPMU
 - For approving e-district related procurement decisions or for making changes as per requirements identified However the purchase of laptops need the approval of Government
- (d) To approve Operational guidelines for DeGS attached as Annexure -2
- (e) To appoint M/s. RailTel Corporation of India Limited as System Integrator(SI) for providing Virtual Private Network (VPN) connectivity to locations covered under e-district. M/s RailTel Corporation India Limited shall ensure 'Railwire' Optical Fibre Cable (OFC) connectivity

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to Village Offices in Kottayam, Thiruvananthapuram and Malappuram districts and to locations covered under e-district on need basis which is now being done by BSNL.

(f) It was decided to ratify the following action of Director, KSITM

- Purchase of 1258 laptops for e-district already made
- Appointment of KELTRON as IT hardware System Integrator and appointment of NIC state unit as application development agency.
- Re-allocation of project cost for the state wide rollout as attached as Annexure-3
- Appointment of handhold support engineers maximum of five per district on apprenticeship/contract and three master trainers on contract.
- Appointment of one District Project Manager under DeGS in all 14 districts
- The deployment of e-district pilot application software, FREES (FRIENDS Re-Engineered and Enterprise Enabled Software) software for e-District statewide rollout and deployment of 2 database servers and 2 application servers in State Data Centre-2

II. Management of Websites

a All Government Departments/ PSUs/ LSGs etc shall obtain STQC (Standardisation Testing and Quality Certification) certification for their websites immediately


b Website of Departments/PSUs/LSGs etc shall be hosted in SDC (State Data Centre) only Websites hosted elsewhere shall immediately be moved to SDC after security audit.

In the circumstances Government have accepted all the above decisions of the Empowered Committee on e-Governance held on 26.12.2013 The Department/Agency concerned shall take appropriate action for implementing the decisions.

BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR
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Secretary to Government

To

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All Head Of Departments
The Director, Kerala State IT Mission, Thiruvananthapuram
The Secretary, Kerala Legislature Secretariat (with C/L)
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