



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Information Technology Department – Decisions of APEX Committee for e-Governance on KSWAN (Kerala State Wide Area Network) & NOFN (National Optical Fibre Network) - Approved - Orders issued

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (B) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.49/2015/ITD.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 17.10.2015

Read: 1) G.O(Ms) No.20/2014/ITD dated 28.5.2014

2) Minutes of the meeting of APEX Committee for eGovernance held on 16.7.2015.

ORDER

As per Government Order read above an APEX Committee for e-Governance initiatives with Chief Secretary as Chairman had been constituted. The Committee in its meeting held on 16.07.2015 had inter alia taken following decisions pertaining to the e-Governance initiatives.

KSWAN (Kerala State Wide Area Network)

- a) All Government Department shall facilitate necessary space & power with UPS backup to the network equipments of KSWAN, being the the common Infrastructure maintained by Government.
- b) All Departments shall make use of Helpdesk facility of KSWAN (Toll free $1800\,425\,6171$) for reporting their complaint.

NOFN (National Optical Fibre Network)

- a) LSGD shall take action for providing FTTH (Fibre to the Home) services at Grama/Block Panchayat level using NOFN, which shall be used instead of existing BSNL broadband
- b) Public Wi-Fi Hotspots shall be provided in rural areas leveraging NOFN.
- c) All Departments shall extend OFC from the NOFN point to the last mile Government institutions through KSEB, BSNL or any other agencies only with the prior approval of IT Department / KSITM.

The Government are pleased to accept and approve the above decisions of APEX Committee on e-Governance held on 16.7.2015

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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