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Abstract
Disaster Management Department – Flood 2018 – Safe disposal of flood debris collected from various flood affected areas in Ernakulam and dumped at Brahmapuram - fund release – sanction accorded – Orders issued.

DISASTER MANAGEMENT (A) DEPARTMENT
G.O.(Rt)No.40/2019/DMD  Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 17/01/2019

Read Letter no.700SBM/SLWM/2018 dated 12.12.2018 from District Collector, Ernakulam

ORDER

As per the letter read above, District Collector, Ernakulam has informed that large quantity of flood debris mostly consisting of non biodegradable materials like soiled bed, pillow, seat cushion, sofa etc. removed from the flood affected areas of Ernakulam District are accumulated in the premises of Brahmapuram Solid Waste Management Plant. The District Administration facilitated the collection and transportation of these wastes to Brahmapuram in order to prevent the outbreak of contagious diseases and other social issues. A team consisting of Executive Director, Suchitwa Mission and Environmental Engineer of Kochi corporation visited the site on 12.10.2018 and assessed the quantity and quality of dump and recommended that, Engineered Landfill managed by Kerala Enviro- Infrastructure Ltd (KEIL) at Ambalamedu is the best possible and cost efficient method for the disposal of these accumulated dry waste. The District Collector, Ernakulam has requested to sanction an amount of Rs. 58 lakh, to dispose off these accumulated flood waste from Brahmapuram and to facilitate engineered landfill at KEIL, Ambalamedu, to avoid further environmental issues.

2) Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to release an amount of Rs.58,00,000/- (Rupees Fifty eight lakhs only) to the District Collector, Ernakulam from the head of account ‘2245-02-101-94-F-Other items’, under SDRF for the above purpose. Local Self Government Department should furnish Utilisation certificate in this regard.

(By order of the Governor)
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UNDER SECRETARY

To:
The Commissioner, Land Revenue, Thiruvananthapuram.
The District Collector, Ernakulam
The Mayor, Kochi Municipal corporation, P.B.No.1016, Cochin-11
The Member Secretary, Kerala State Disaster Management Authority,
Observatory Hills, Vikas Bhavan P.O, Thiruvananthapuram-33
The Executive Director, Suchitwa Mission, Nanthancode Junction, Kowdiar, Thiruvananthapuram.
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