



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Water Resources Department-Processing fee for the issue of No Objection Certificate for ground water extraction projects-Revised orders-issued

WATER RESOURCES (GROUND WATER) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.648/2025/WRD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 21-07-2025

Read 1 G.O.(Rt)No.771/2019/WRD dated 28.10.2019

2 G.O.(Rt)No.52/2020/WRD dated 16.01.2020

3 Letter No.DGWD/1037/2024-WRD dated 04.06.2025

ORDER

As per Government Order read 1st above, Rs.5000/- was fixed as the fee for NOC for new Industrial and Infrastructure Projects and Rs.2500/- for its annual renewal and for Limited Groundwater Extraction projects(below 2500 Lpd), fee was fixed as Rs.2000/- and its annual renewal fee as Rs.1000/- As per Government Order read 2nd above the words 'annual renewal' was corrected as 'renewal'.

Director Ground Water Department has requested to revise the existing fee for the issuance of NOC and its renewal for ground water abstraction as per the recommendation of the 35th State Ground Water Authority Meeting and the proposal is detailed below.

NOC FOR GROUND WATER ABSTRACTION			
Category	Item	Existing Rate/ per Ground Water abstraction structure	Revised Rate proposed/ per Ground Water abstraction structure
Industrial and Infrastructural Projects	NOC	Rs. 5000/-	Rs.10000/-
	Renewal of NOC	Rs. 2500/-	Rs. 5000/-

Limited Groundwater Extraction (Ground Water abstraction below 2500lpd) Projects	NOC	Rs. 2000/-	Rs. 4000/-
	Renewal of NOC	Rs. 1000/-	Rs. 2000/-

Government examined the matter in detail and hereby permit the Director, Ground Water Department, to collect fee for the issue of NOC for Ground Water Abstraction in the Revised Rate as detailed in the table.

(By order of the Governor)
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JOINT SECRETARY

To:

- 1.The Director,Ground Water Department, Thiruvananthapuram
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