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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

**Abstract**

Forest & Wild Life Department --The Kerala Rules for Compensation to victims of attack by Wild animals 1980 - Amended - Orders issued.

**FOREST & WILD LIFE (D) DEPARTMENT**

GO (Ms) No. 96/2014/F&WLD

Thiruvananthapuram, Dated 17-11-2014

- Read: 1) G.O. (Rt) No. 1062/1981/Forest dated 10.04.1981.  
2) G.O. (Rt) No. 542/1988/F&WLD dated 15.12.1988.  
3) G.O. (Rt) No. 430/1999/F&WLD dated 30.10.1999.  
4) G.O. (Rt) No. 41/2005/F&WLD dated 20.01.2005.  
5) G.O. (Rt) No. 283/2009/F&WLD dated 16.06.2009.  
6) G.O. (Rt) No. 297/2010/F&WLD dated 07.07.2010.

**ORDER**

Government are pleased to order that Rule 3(a)(1) of the Kerala Rules for payment of compensation to victims of attack by wild animals issued as per Government Orders read above be amended as follows:

Rule 3(a) (1) : Loss of Human Life : An amount of Rs 5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakhs only) shall be paid to the legal heirs of the deceased, if human life is lost on account of attack by wild animal. If the loss of human life is on account of snake bite, the compensation will be limited to Rs. 1 lakh, if the accident occurs outside forest areas.

This will take effect from the date of this order.

The orders issued in Government orders read above stand modified to the above extent.

(By order of the Governor)  
**Dr. V.M.GOPALAMENON**  
Secretary to Government.

To

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forest & Head of Forest Forces, Thiruvananthapuram
2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife), Thiruvananthapuram
3. All District Collectors.
4. The Accountant General (A&E/Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
5. The Director, I & PR Department. *(for uploading in Govt. website)*
6. The Stock File/ OC

Forwarded/by order

Section Officer