



## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

### Abstract

Water Resources Department- Judgment dated 08.04.2022 in WP(C) No.880/2020 and other part heard matters before the Hon'ble Supreme Court- Nomination of Shri Priyesh R., Chief Engineer, I&D, IDR, Thiruvananthapuram as a Technical Expert in the Supervisory Committee on Mullaperiyar dam-Sanction accorded- Orders issued.

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### WATER RESOURCES (ISWC) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.19/2024/WRD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 05-04-2024

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- Read: 1. Judgment dated 08.04.2022 in WP(C) No.880/2020 filed by Dr. Joe Joseph and Others Vs State of Tamil Nadu and Others.
2. Office Memorandum No.F.No.22011/3/2022-Pen Riv Section - MoWR dated 09/05/2022 from Ministry of Jal Shakti, Government of India.

### ORDER

As per the judgment read as 1<sup>st</sup> paper above, it was inter alia ordered by the Hon'ble Supreme Court that for the purpose of strengthening the Supervisory Committee on Mullaperiyar dam, two technical experts be made part of the Supervisory Committee, one each from the State of Kerala and State of Tamil Nadu.

In compliance with the judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court, the five member Supervisory Committee was reconstituted by Ministry of Jal Shakti, as per Office memorandum read above as 2<sup>nd</sup> paper, in the composition as follows:

- i. Chief Engineer, Dam Safety Organization, Central Water Commission, Chairman, Ex-officio;
- ii. Additional Chief Secretary, Water Resources Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Member, Ex-officio;
- iii. Additional Chief Secretary, Water Resources Department, Government of Kerala, Member, Ex-officio;

- iv. Shri. Subramanian, Chairman, Cauvery Technical Cell-Cum-Inter State Waters Wing, Government of Tamil Nadu, Member, Ex-officio and
- v. Shri. Alex Varghese, (then Chief Engineer (I&A), Irrigation Department, Government of Kerala, Member), Ex-officio.

Now, Government are pleased to nominate Shri. Priyesh R, Chief Engineer, I&D, IDRIB, Irrigation Department, substituting Shri. Alex Varghese, as the Technical Expert, representing the State of Kerala in the Supervisory Committee on Mullaperiyar Dam.

(By order of the Governor)  
ASHOK KUMAR SINGH I A S  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY

To

1. The Chairman, Supervisory Committee on Mullaperiyar dam, Dam Safety Monitoring Directorate, CWC, New Delhi-110066.
2. The Principal Accountant General (Audit/A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
3. Shri.Priyesh R., Chief Engineer, I&D, IDRIB, Thiruvananthapuram.
4. The Chief Engineer (I&A), Thiruvananthapuram.
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Section Officer

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2. The PS to Minister for Water Resources.
3. The PA to Principal Secretary(Water Resources Department)
4. The Nodal Officer, Law Wing, Irrigation Department, Kerala House, New Delhi-110 001.

