



## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

### Abstract

Labour & Skills Department - Industrial Dispute between the Management of Asianet News (P) LTD and its workers-Referred for adjudication-Orders Issued

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### **LABOUR & SKILLS (A)DEPARTMENT**

G.O.(Rt)No.786/2024/LBR Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 22-07-2024

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Read 1 Letter No.LCO/5655/2023-IR(4) dated, 28.05.2024 from the Labour Commissioner.

### ORDER

Whereas,the Government are of opinion that an industrial dispute exists between 1)Sri.Frank Pettekkattu Thomas, Director, Asianet News (P) LTD., Housing Board Junction Santhinagar, Thiruvananthapuram-01 2)Sri.Neeraj Koli, Director, Asianet News (P) LTD., Housing Board Junction, Santhinagar, Thiruvananthapuram-01 3)Vice President (H.R &Administration), Asianet News (P) LTD. Housing Board Junction, Santhinagar, Thiruvananthapuram-01. and it's workers 1)Sri.Sreekumar, Sreerajeswari House, Sarkkara, Chirayinkeezhu, P.O,Thiruvananthapuram-695304, 2)Sri.Anilkumar V, Lekshmiprabha, EVRA19A, NSS Lane, Valiyavila, Thirumala P.O, Thiruvananthapuram-695006 3) Sri.JoseAugustin, Narikulam, Newlane, Thottakkattukara P.O, Aluva-683108 4) Sri.Sasikumar B, Akhiam, TC 8/646(6), Kakkattukonam, Thirumala, Thiruvananathapuram 5) Sri.Indulal P, Sasi Mandiram, Maithara Market P.O, Cherthala, Alappuzha 6)Sri.Ramesh K P, Triveni House, Kuruvattoor P.O, Kakkodi P.O, Kozhikkode-673611 in respect of matters mentioned in the annexure to this order;

(2) And whereas, in the opinion of Government it is necessary to refer the said industrial dispute for adjudication;

(3) Now therefore,in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 10(1) (c) of the Industrial Dispute Act of 1947 (Central Act XIV of 1947) the Government here by direct that the said industrial dispute be referred for adjudication to the Labour Court, Kollam.The Labour Court will pass the award within a period of three months.

(By order of the Governor)  
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UNDER SECRETARY

To:

1. The Director of Printing for publication in the Gazette and for supplying the usual number of copies to the Labour Commissioner and the Labour & Skills (A) Department, Government, Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram.
2. The Labour Commissioner, Thiruvananthapuram.
3. The Labour Court, Kollam (With Charter of Demands).
4. The Parties Concerned.
5. The District Labour Officer, Thiruvananthapuram.
6. The Regional Joint Labour Commissioner, Kollam.
7. The Director, Information and Public Relations Department (for publishing in Government Web Site).
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Signed by

Prasanth K S

Section Officer  
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ANNEXURE

" Whether the denial of employment to Sri.Sreekumar, Assistant Video Editor, Sri.Sasikumar B, Cameramen, Sri.Indulal P, Assistant Cameramen, Sri.Ramesh K.P, Deputy Chief Cameramen, Sri.Anilkumar V, Deputy Chief Graphic Assistant, Sri.Jose Augustin, Cameramen by the Asianet News(P) LTD., Housing Board Junction, Santhi Nagar, Thiruvananthapuram -01 is justifiable? If not what reliefs they are entitled to ? "