

**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA****Abstract**

Disaster Management Department - Journey of Shri Jayachandran A., Chief Manager, KSDMA for attending the Meeting on Firecracker-related Incidents held on 06.05.2026 at Tapovan Hall, NDMA - Ex post facto sanction accorded - Orders issued

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**DISASTER MANAGEMENT (A) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.(Rt)No.261/2026/DMD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 30-06-2026

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- Read 1. Letter No. 02/514/Major Incident/CR/119618/153 dated 23.04.2026 from National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA).  
2. Letter No. MTOVI/732/2026/Admin dated 27.04.2026 from the Member Secretary, KSDMA.

**ORDER**

The National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA), vide the letter read as 1st paper above, convened a meeting on firecracker-related incidents under the chairmanship of Shri Krishna S. Vatsa, Member & Head of Department, NDMA, on 06.05.2026 at New Delhi, to review the increasing number of such incidents and discuss measures for prevention, preparedness, and response.

2. Vide the letter read as 2nd paper above, the Member Secretary, KSDMA, informed that Shri Jayachandran A., Chief Manager, KSDMA, had been deputed to attend the meeting, and the expenditure towards travel and other incidental expenses would be met from the Plan Fund of KSDMA for the year 2026-27.

3. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord ex-post-facto sanction for the deputation of Shri Jayachandran A., Chief Manager, KSDMA, to attend the meeting held on 06.05.2026 at New Delhi. The expenditure in this regard shall be met from the Plan Fund of KSDMA for the year 2026-27.

(By order of the Governor)  
POOJA LAL K A S

UNDER SECRETARY

To:

The Commissioner, Disaster Management , Thiruvananthapuram

The Member Secretary, KSDMA, Thiruvananthapuram

The Incumbent (through the Member Secretary, KSDMA)

The Accountant General (Audit)(A&E) Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram

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