

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

AYUSH Department - National AYUSH Mission - Affiliation with M/s.IMAGE for Bio-Medical Waste management of 700 AYUSH Health & Wellness Centres - Approved - Orders issued.

AYUSH (C) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.379/2024/AYUSH Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 05-10-2024

Read : Letter No. NAM/821/2024-CONS NAM dated 30.09.2024 from the State Mission Director, National AYUSH Mission, Thiruvananthapuram.

ORDER

The State Mission Director, National AYUSH Mission, Thiruvananthapuram as per the letter read above has informed that AYUSH Health & Wellness Centres are currently undergoing assessment for NABH ELC accreditation and it is crucial to implement proper biomedical waste management affiliation to adhere with the Biomedical Waste Management Rules and NABH ELC guidelines. It is also informed that a consultative meeting was conducted with the CBWTF agencies KEIL and IMAGE regarding potential affiliations for biomedical waste management and M/s.IMAGE has confirmed their readiness to provide solutions for the management of biomedical waste at Government approved rates i.e., Rs.825 + GST per institution for all 700 AYUSH Health & Wellness Centres in the State and it has been decided to move forward with the affiliation with M/s.IMAGE for biomedical waste management of 700 AYUSH Health & Wellness Centres so as to achieve compliance and maintain regulatory standards within the time frame.

(2) Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord sanction to the National AYUSH Mission for the affiliation with M/s. IMAGE in connection with the biomedical waste management of 700 AYUSH Health & Wellness Centres at Government approved rates, i.e., Rs.825 + GST per institution, so as to achieve compliance and maintain regulatory standards within the time frame.

(By order of the Governor)
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JOINT SECRETARY

To

1. The State Mission Director, National AYUSH Mission, Thiruvananthapuram.
2. The Secretary, IMAGE, IMA State Headquarters, Anayara P.O., Thiruvananthapuram.
3. The Principal Accountant General (A&E/Audit), Thiruvananthapuram.
4. Health & Family Welfare Department.
5. Information & Public Relations (Web & New Media) Department (for publication)
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Forwarded /By order,

Section Officer.

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