

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

Water Resources Department- Mullaperiyar dam- O.S. No. 3 of 2006 filed by State of Tamil Nadu- Discussion with Senior Advocates- Participation of officials- Ex post facto sanction accorded -Orders issued

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**WATER RESOURCES (ISWC) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.(Rt)No.460/2025/WRD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 13-05-2025

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Read 1 Letter No. ISW-CE/3/2025-AD2 dated 09/04/2025 from the Chief Engineer, Inter State Waters, Thiruvananthapuram

**ORDER**

In the circumstances reported by the Chief Engineer, Inter State Waters as per the letter read above, ex post facto sanction is accorded for the air journey performed by Sri. Priyesh R, Chief Engineer, Inter State Waters, Sri. Joshy Thomas, Additional Secretary, Law Department and Assistant Private Secretary to Minister for Water Resources and Sri. James Wilson, Deputy Chief Engineer, KSEBL & Subject expert for Inter State Water issues, as detailed below, for attending the meeting with the Senior Advocates and the Technical Team of Mullaperiyar on 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> March 2025 at New Delhi in connection with the preparation of the draft Affidavit to the reply filed by State of Tamil Nadu in O.S. No. 3 of 2006, meeting the expenses from the head of account "2701-80-800-94-34-03-Other Charges" controlled by the Chief Engineer, IDRB.

1. Sri. Priyesh R, Chief Engineer, Inter State Waters for the return journey from New Delhi to Kochi on 07.03.2025.
2. Sri. Joshy Thomas, Additional Secretary, Law Department and Assistant Private Secretary to the Minister for Water Resources from Thiruvananthapuram to New Delhi on 05.03.2025 and return to Thiruvananthapuram on 07.03.2025.
3. Sri. James Wilson, Deputy Chief Engineer, KSEBL & subject

expert for Inter State Water issues from Kozhikode to New Delhi on 04.03.2025 and return to Thiruvananthapuram on 07.03.2025

(By order of the Governor)  
HAZEENA P S  
JOINT SECRETARY

To:

1. Sri. Priyesh R, Chief Engineer, Inter State Waters, Thiruvananthapuram
2. Sri. Joshy Thomas, Additional Secretary, Law Department and Assistant Private Secretary to Minister for Water Resources
3. Sri. James Wilson, Deputy Chief Engineer, KSEBL & subject expert for Inter State Water issues (through CE ISW)
4. The Chief Engineer, IDRB, Thiruvananthapuram
5. The Principal Accountant General (Audit /A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
6. The Director, I&PRD (Web & New Media)
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