



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Tourism Department - Swadesh Darshan 2.0 Scheme - "Kumarakom Bird Sanctuary Experience" in Kumarakom, Kerala - Administrative Sanction accorded - Orders issued.

TOURISM (A) DEPARTMENT

G.O(Rt)No.89/2025/TSM

Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 19-02-2025

Read 1 Letter No. SD-8/15/2020-Part(3) dated 05.03.2024 from Swadesh Darshan Division, Ministry of Tourism, Government of India.

2 Letter No. DOT/891/2024-P3 dated 07.02.2025 from The Director, Department of Tourism.

ORDER

As per letter read as 1st paper above, Ministry of Tourism, Government of India has accorded sanction for the Development of "Kumarakom Bird sanctuary Experience", in Kumarakom, Kerala under Swadesh Darshan 2.0 Scheme with the Central Financial Assistance of ₹1,392.59 Lakh (Rupees Thirteen Crores Ninety Two Lakhs and Fifty Nine Thousand only) as follows:

SL	COMPONENT	COST (Rs in Lakhs)
1.	Main Pathways & Pedestrian Bridges	389.32
2.	Upgradation & Extension of Interpretation Centre	62.61
3.	Public Space (Interactive Zone & Terminal deck)	182.46
4.	Wooden Jetty & Deck	59.70
5.	Board walkways	306.90
6.	Watch Towers	117.62
7.	Digital Kiosks Along the Trail	35.00
8.	Rejuvenation of Internal canal	84.22
9.	Signages & Street Furniture	26.71
10.	Softscapes	13.72

11.	Electrical Works	35.50
	Sub-Total (A)- Inclusive of 18% GST	1,313.76
	SIA Charges (3% of A)	39.41
	Contingency (2% of A)	26.28
	DMO Charges (1% of A)	13.14
	Total (B)	1,392.59

The Director of Tourism as per letter read as 2nd paper above has requested the Government to accord State level Administrative Sanction for the implementation of the aforementioned project at an estimated cost of **₹1,392.59 Lakhs**.

The Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord Administrative Sanction for the implementation of the project "Kumarakom Bird sanctuary Experience" in Kumarakom, Kerala under Swadesh Darshan 2.0 Scheme with the above mentioned components at an estimated cost of **₹1,392.59 Lakhs (Rupees Thirteen Crore Ninety Two Lakhs and Fifty Nine Thousand Only)** subject to the conditions stipulated in the letter of Government of India read as 1st paper above.

Director of Tourism shall comply with the guidelines of the scheme and other instructions including SOPs, Templates and Guidance notes issued by the Mission Directorate, Ministry of Tourism.

(By order of the Governor)

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To:

The Director, Directorate of Tourism, Thiruvananthapuram

The Accountant General (Audit I/II), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram

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

The Sub Treasury Officer, Vellayambalam, Thiruvananthapuram

The Planning & Economic Affairs Department

The Finance Department

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Section Officer

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