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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Department of Tourism-ODEPC- "International Study Abroad Expo"-(February 1-3,2025)-Sponsorship- Sanctioned – Orders issued.

TOURISM (B) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.154/2025/TSM Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 14-03-2025

- Read 1 Request dated 22.01.2025 submitted by the Chairman, Overseas Development and Employment Promotion Consultants Ltd(ODEPC)
 - 2 Letter No.DOT/456/2025-M1 dated 22.02.2025 from the Director of Tourism.

ORDER

The Chairman, Overseas Development and Employment Promotion Consultants Ltd (ODEPC) as per letter read as 1st paper above has submitted a proposal to Government, requesting for sponsorship for the International Study Abroad Expo organised from 01/02/2025 to 03/02/2025 at Calicut, Kochi, and Thrissur, respectively.

- 2. The Director, Tourism, as per letter read as 2nd paper above, has recommended the proposal for appropriate decision and has proposed to meet the expenditure in this regard from the Head of Account 3452-80-104-98-00-34-03 PV Marketing (Plan).
- 3. Government have examined the matter in detail. The Expo is an initiative aimed at providing aspiring students with global educational opportunities and would serve as a platform for students, parents, and educational institutions to explore international academic programs, scholarships, and career pathways. Taking into account the significance of this initiative in empowering the youth of Kerala with global education prospects, Government are pleased to accord sanction to the Director of Tourism to expend an amount of ₹2,50,000/- (Rupees Two lakh fifty thousand only) from the Head of Account 3452-80-104-98-00-34-03 PV Marketing (Plan) towards sponsorship for the

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"International Study Abroad Expo" organised by the Overseas Development and Employment Promotion Consultants Ltd(ODEPC) from 01.02.2025 to 03.02.2025, at Calicut, Kochi, and Thrissur, respectively

4. The Chairman, Overseas Development and Employment Promotion Consultants Ltd (ODEPC) shall furnish a Utilization Certificate to the Director of Tourism within three months of receiving the sanctioned amount and the Director of Tourism shall verify the authenticity of the Utilisation Certificate.

(By order of the Governor)

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ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:

The Director of Tourism, Tourism Directorate, Park View,

Thiruvananthapuram.

The Chairman, Overseas Development and Employment Promotion Consultants Ltd(ODEPC)(through the Director of Tourism)

The Principal Account General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Sub Treasury Officer, Sub Treasury, Vellayambalam, Thiruvananthapuram

The Information & Public Relations Department (for uploading in the website)

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