

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

Industries Department- - Conduct of the case at National Company Law Appellate Tribunal - Payment of Professional fee and expenses to the lawyer- Sanction Accorded - Orders issued.

INDUSTRIES(D)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.726/2025/ID Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 17-06-2025

- Read:- 1. Order dated 02/05/2024 in IA(IBC)(PLAN)/01/KOB/2024 IN CP(IBC)/48/KOB/2022
2. GO(Rt)No.376/2024/ID dated 25/05/2024
3. Government letter No.D2/104/2023/Ind dated 24/06/2024
4. Bill no. F157 from Joseph & Kurian Advocates
5. Letter No. SN2 CA(AT) (CH)(INS)No.183/2024 NCLAT, Chennai dated 11/06/2025 from the Advocate General, Ernakulam

ORDER

As per the Government order read as 2nd paper above Government had appointed Senior advocate Sri Joseph Kodyanthara of M/s Joseph & Kuriyan Advocates as Counsel to appear on behalf of SAIL SCL Kerala Ltd to appear before the National Company Law Appellate Tribunal (NCLAT), Chennai, against the order read as 1st paper above. Following this, as per the letter read as 3rd paper above, Government had permitted the Board for Public Sector Transformation to meet the expenses occurred in connection with the filing of appeal at the National Company Law Appellate Tribunal (NCLAT), Chennai against the order read as 1st paper above.

2. As per the Bill read as 4th paper above M/s Joseph & Kuriyan Advocates has requested for the payment of an amount of Rs.1,00,000/- as fees for attending discussions and appearing before NCLAT,Chennai on 13/06/2024 when the appeal was admitted and the interim order granted. An amount of Rs.7250/- also requested as expenses for stamp papers, notarisation

charges, photocopy charges, courier and other miscellaneous expenses for the conduct of the company appeal no.184 of 2024 -C Maheendranath Vs Anish Agarwal and others. As per the letter read as 5th paper above, the Advocate General has recommended the claim.

3. Government have examined the matter and are pleased to entrust the Board for Public Sector Transformation for making the payment of an amount of Rs. 1,07,250/- (Rupees One Lakh Seven Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Only) to M/s Joseph & Kuriyan Advocates for attending discussions and appearing before NCLAT, Chennai on 13/06/2024 and for the expenses for stamp papers, notorisation charges, photocopy charges, courier and other miscellaneous expenses for the conduct of the company appeal No.184 of 2024 -C Maheendranath Vs Anish Agarwal and others.

(By order of the Governor)
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UNDER SECRETARY

To:

The Member Secretary, Board for Public Sector Transformation,
Sasthamangalam, Vellayambalam

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The Advocate General, Ernakulam

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

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