

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

Health & Family Welfare Department- Congenital absence of Uterus as Disability- Government order Cancelled- Orders issued

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**HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (G) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.(Ms)No.152/2026/H&FWD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 25-06-2026

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Read : GO (Ms) No.165/2017/H&FWD , Dated 18.11.2017

**ORDER**

As per the Government Order read as 1st above, Government had declared 'congenital absence of uterus' as 50% disability for the purpose of disability assessment, in view of the recommendation of the State Human Rights Commission in HRMP/15/MPM/HRC.

Government have examined the matter in detail. As per Section 56 of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016, the specification and inclusion of disabilities fall within the purview of the Central Government and as such the Government Order issued vide reference cited is ultra vires the Act.

In the above circumstances, Government hereby order that the Government Order read as 1st above stands cancelled with immediate effect. All procedures issued in pursuance of the aforementioned order are hereby declared null and void.

(By order of the Governor)

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ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

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The Director of Health Services, Thiruvananthapuram  
The Director of Medical Education, Thiruvananthapuram  
The Director of Social Justice, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Regional Director, Kerala Social Security Mission.

The Social Justice Department.

Advocate General ,Kerala ( with covering letter)

All District Collectors

The Principals of all Medical Colleges. (through DME,  
Thiruvananthapuram)

All the District Medical Officer of Health (through DHS,  
Thiruvananthapuram)

The Superintendent of all District Hospitals.(through DHS,  
Thiruvananthapuram)

The Superintendent of all Taluk Head Quarters Hospitals. (through  
DHS, Thiruvananthapuram)

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