



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Disaster Management Department – Wayanad – Kalladi Phase 3 Tunnel - Face Debris Collapse – Expert Committee – Constituted – Orders issued.

DISASTER MANAGEMENT (B) DEPARTMENT

G. O. (Rt) No. 294/2026/DMD

Thiruvananthapuram, Dated, 11.07.2026

Read:- 1. G.O. (Ms) No.14/2026/DMD dated 10.07.2026

ORDER

Vide 1st paper, Government had ordered to constitute an Expert Committee to enquire into the reasons for the Kalladi Phase 3 Tunnel Face Debris Collapse, whether the Contractor has violated the contract conditions and also to enquire into the Environmental Clearance given by the State and the Centre and the Forest Clearance given by the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (MoEF&CC).

2) Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to constitute the Expert Committee with the following members:

1. Dr. C.P Rajendran, Geologist
2. Dr. Vishnudas, Ecologist
3. Dr. P. Pugazhendi IFoS, Chief Wildlife Warden, Kerala
4. Secretary, Public Works Department
5. Secretary, Revenue and Disaster Management Department – Convenor

(3) The Convenor may co-opt Experts as members if deemed necessary.

(4) Terms of Reference of the committee shall be as follows:

- Identify the causes of the accident.
- Examine whether the Contractor has violated the contract conditions.
- Examine the Environmental Clearance given by the State and the Centre.

- Examine the Forest Clearance given by the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (MoEF&CC).

(5) The Committee shall submit its report within one month.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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SPECIAL SECRETARY

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The District Collector, Wayanad

The Commissioner, Disaster Management

The Secretary, E&IT Department

The Accountant General (A&E) Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram

The Commissioner, Land Revenue, Thiruvananthapuram

The Special Officer, Wayanad Township Project

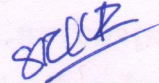
The Member Secretary, Kerala State Disaster Management Authority

The Chief Technical Examiner, Finance Department

The Chief Town Planner

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