

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

Local Self Government Department - Extension of term of members of Appellate Authority (Ombudsperson) under MGNREGA - Sanctioned-Orders issued

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT(DD)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.234/2026/LSGD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 30-01-2026

Read 1 G.O.(Rt)No.2151/2022/LSGD dated 01.09.2022

2 G.O.(Rt)No. 113/2025/LSGD dated 10.01.2025

3 G.O.(Rt)No. 2212/2025/LSGD dated 16.09.2025

4 G.O.(Rt)No. 2822/2025/LSGD dated 15.11.2025

ORDER

The term of the members of the Appellate Authority (Ombudsperson) under MGNREGA, who were appointed as per the Government Order read as 1st paper above has been extended for a period of one year , and from 14.09.2025 to 31.12.2025 as per the Government order read as 2nd and third paper above respectively. The Performance Appraisal Committee constituted as per Government order read as 4th paper above, has recommended for a further extension of tenure of Appellate Authority members only for a period of 3 months from 01.01.2026, as the formation of the Appellate Authority is not envisaged under the VB G RAM G Act, which will come into force with effect from 01.04.2026, replacing MGNREGA.

2. In the above circumstances, Government are pleased to further extend the tenure of the members of the Appellate Authority (Ombudsperson) under MGNREGA, appointed as per the Government Order read as 1st paper above, for a period of 3 months from 01.01.2026.

(By order of the Governor)

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DEPUTY SECRETARY

To: The Chairman & Members, Appellate Authority (Ombudsperson) under MGNREGA, Thiruvananthapuram

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