



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Industries Department - Administrative Sanction for the scheme "Development of Bamboo Sector through the Kerala State Bamboo Mission" - sanctioned - orders issued

INDUSTRIES(G) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.781/2026/ID Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 25-07-2026

Read 1 Letter No DIC/1895/2026-HC-H dated 29-06-2026 from the Director of Industries and Commerce, Thiruvananthapuram

2 Decision of First Departmental Working Group meeting held on 08.07.2026

3 e-Anumathi AS No AS/IND/26/51845

ORDER

The Director of Industries and Commerce, as per letter read above had forwarded a proposal for the scheme ***"Development of the Bamboo Sector through the Kerala State Bamboo Mission"*** for consideration and approval in the Departmental Working Group with an estimated cost of ***Rs. 100 Lakh under the H/a "2851-00-104-76"***.

2. The major objectives of the scheme are conducting skill Upgradation Training Programmes, Promotional Activities in the Bamboo Sector, Organizing Kerala Bamboo Fest, Handholding of Bamboo Innovation Centre and Registration (Empanelment) of Bamboo Artisans/Craftsmen. The expected outcomes of the scheme are to create market demand for bamboo products, promote bamboo-based entrepreneurship development, create awareness on the manufacture of value-added bamboo products, develop market linkages for innovative products and support the development of new designs and innovative

bamboo products.

3.The implementing agency of the project is Kerala State Bamboo Mission through Kerala Bureau of Industrial Promotion (KBIP). The anticipated date of completion of the project is March 2027. The major components envisage during the current year are as follows:

Sl.No	Activity	Amount (Rs. in Lakhs)
1	Conducting Skill Upgradation Training Programmes	4.50
2	Providing necessary tools and equipment to trained artisans	1.00
3	Promotional activities in Bamboo sector including participation in regional/national events, conduct of Seminars/Awareness Programme to Stakeholders/Printing of Promotional materials, etc	10.00
4	Organizing Annual Event 'Kerala Bamboo Fest'	63.00
5	Handholding of Bamboo Innovation Centre	8.00
6	Registration of Bamboo Artisans/Craftsmen from Kerala	1.00
7	Management & Co-ordination expenses, Website maintenance, Handholding activities etc.	12.50
	Total	100.00

4. The Departmental Working Group meeting held on 08.07.2026 considered and approved the proposal.

5. Government have examined the proposal with the recommendation of Departmental Working Group and are pleased to accord Administrative Sanction for the scheme ***"Development of the Bamboo Sector through the Kerala State Bamboo Mission"*** for an estimated cost of **Rs 100/- lakh** (Rupees One Hundred lakh only) under the Head of Account **'2851-00-104-76'** from the plan fund limiting the expenditure to this year's budget provision.

6. The Director of Industries and Commerce/ Additional Director shall draw and disburse the amount to Kerala Bureau of Industrial Promotion(K- Bip).

(By order of the Governor)
A P M MOHAMMED HANISH
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY

To:

The Director of Industries and Commerce, Thiruvananthapuram
The Chief Executive Officer, K-Bip, Thiruvananthapuram
The Principal Accountant General (Audit/ A&E) Kerala
Thiruvananthapuram
Planning and Economic Affairs Department
Finance(Planning B) Department
Industries (J) Department (*vide* U.O.Note No J2/122/2026/IND
dated 20.07.2026)
The Information and Public Relations Department (Web and New Media)
Stock File

Forwarded /By order

Section Officer