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Sub: Water Resources Department - Actions by officials of Irrigation Department on 08th December, 2016 regarding ground launch of Haritha Keralam Mission.

Ref: 1) G.O (P) No. 41/2016/P&EAD. dated 28-09-2016.
2) G.O (Ms) No. 66/2016/WRD dated 07-11-2016.
3) G.O (Ms) No. 72/2016/WRD dated 05-12-2016.

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Government have launched the Harith Keralam Mission aimed at sustainable development and scientific natural resources management in Kerala. The Haritha Keralam Mission was launched on 10th November, 2016 by the Hon'ble Governor in the presence of Hon'ble Chief Minister, Ministers, Presidents of LSGIs and officials of concerned line departments. The Mission requires active participation of all stakeholders primary among whom is the local population who understand the local terrain, the issues therein and whose participation is important to ensure successful natural resources management. The public participation component of the Haritha Keralam Mission will be inaugurated by Hon'ble Chief Minister of Kerala on 08th December, 2016 at Thiruvananthapuram District by sowing 15 Ha of paddy fields of Kollayil Grama Panchayath.

It may be noted that the Water Resources Rejuvenation and Management component of the Haritha Keralam Mission needs concerted attention more so in light of the present drought situation prevailing in Kerala and the rampant encroachments and intrusive human activity into water bodies and their buffer zones. In this regard, directions have already been issued during the workshop held on 30th November, 2016 at Thiruvananthapuram that officials of Irrigation Department shall

participate and render all necessary assistance in grounding the Haritha Keralam Mission.

All concerned Executive Engineers of the Department are required to attend meetings convened by the District Collectors regarding the Haritha Keralam Mission. Accordingly, the initiatives/actions undertaken by the officials of the Irrigation Department during the Statewide ground launch of the Haritha Keralam Mission along with photographs shall be reported to the Office of the Chief Engineer, Irrigation & Administration who shall submit a consolidated report in this regard to Government.

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Secretary to Government


To

The Persons concerned. (through the Chief Engineer (I&A),
Thiruvananthapuram.
The Chief Engineer, Irrigation & Administration, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Chief Engineer, Projects-II, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Chief Engineer, IDRB, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Director, Agriculture Department, Thiruvananthapuram
The Executive Director, CWRDM, Kozhikode.
The Accountant General (A&E/Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Planning & Economic Affairs Department.
The Local Self Government Department.
The Agriculture Department.
The Information & Public Relations (Web and New Media) Dept.
The Finance Department
The Water Resources (OS) Department.
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