



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Water Resources Department - Existing rate of water user charges - notified as floor rate for all categories as part of implementing State level reforms for Strengthening Local Bodies to make the State eligible for additional borrowing of 2% of Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) - Orders issued.

WATER RESOURCES (WATER SUPPLY-B) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.9/2021/WRD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 10/02/2021

Read 1 G.O (Ms)No.88/2014/WRD dated 25.09.2014

- 2 G.O (Ms)No.92/2014/WRD dated 30.09.2014
- 3 Letter F.No.40/(06)/PF-S/2017-18/Vol.V dated 17.05.2020 from Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure (Public finance- State Division)
- 4 Minutes of the review meeting held on 22.06.2020 by the Hon'ble Chief Minister.

ORDER

In the wake of negative impact on resources of Central & State Governments due to COVID -19 pandemic, Ministry of Finance, Government of India had allowed additional borrowing of 2% (including 1% unconditional borrowing) of GSDP to the States for the financial year 2020-21 subject to the implementation of following four State level reforms as per letter read above.

- a. Implementation of One Nation One Ration Card System;
- b. Ease of doing business reform;
- c. Urban Local body/ utility reforms (reforms for Strengthening Local Bodies); and
- d. Power Sector Reforms.

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- 2. As per the reforms for Strengthening Local Bodies, the State will have to notify floor rates of user charges in respect of the provision of water-supply, drainage and sewerage which reflect current costs/ past inflation.
- 3. Accordingly, Government hereby notify the existing water charges including Sewerage charges, as ordered vide the G.Os read above and appended to this Order, as floor rates with 5% annual increase from next financial year onwards for all categories as part of implementing reforms in this sector.

(By order of the Governor)
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ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY

To:

- 1. The Managing Director, Kerala Water Authority, TVPM
- 2. The Principal Accountant General (Audit/A&E), Kerala Thiruvananthapuram
- 3. Finance(Planning-A) Department
- 4. I&PR(Web&New Media)Department
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Water Resources Department—Kerala Water Authority—Revision of Water Charges—Sanction Accorded—Orders Issued

WATER RESOURCES (WATER SUPPLY-B) DEPARTMENT

G O. (Ms.) No. 88/2014/WRD.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 25th September 2014.

Read:-1. G. O. (Ms.) No. 44/2008/WRD dated 25-9-2008.

2. Letter No. KWA/RMC/941/2011 of the Managing Director, Kerala Water Authority.

ORDER

Government are pleased to accord sanction to Kerala Water Authority to revise water charges as follows w.e.f. 1-10-2014.

Category and		Tariff	
consumption level per month	Fixed	Variable	
1.		Domestic	
Upto 5000 litres	Nil	^ 4.00 /KL with Minimum ~ 20.00	
5000 to 10000 litres	Nil	^ 20.00 plus ~ 4.00 /KL	
10000 to 15000 litres	Nil	40.00 plus 5.00 per every 1000 litres in excess of 10000 litres	

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Category and consumption level per month	Tariff		
	Fixed	Variable	
15000 to 20000 litres	Nil	6.00 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption	
20000 to 25000 litres	Nil	^ 7.00 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption	
25000 to 30000 litres	Nil	9.00 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption	
30000 to 40000 litres	Nil	12.00 per every 1000 litre for the entire consumption	
40000 to 50000 litres	Nil	14.00 per every 1000 litre for the entire consumption	
Above 50000 litres	Nil	700.00 plus 40.00 per every 1000 litres in excess of 50000 litres	

- (a) No water charges will be collected from BPL families who consume up to 15000 litres per month.
- 2. For flats fixed charges will be @ ` 50 per dwelling unit.

3.		Non Domestic
For consumption in a month		
Upto 15000 litres		15/KL with Minimum 150
15000 to 30000 litres	⁻ 50	225 plus 21.00 per every 1000 litres in excess of 15000 litres
30000 to 50000 litres		540 plus 28.00 per every 1000 litres in excess of 30000 litres
above 50000 litres	,	1100 plus 40.00 per every 1000 litres in excess of 50000 litres

Category and consumption level per month		Tariff
	Fixed	Variable
4.		Industrial
For consumption in a month	` 150	^ 40/KL with Minimum ^ 250

- 5. Sewerage Charges will be applicable @ 10% of water charges payable by those consumers who have availed sewerage connections.
- 6. The rate per tap per year for Rural and Urban Public Hydrants will be as follows:

Municipal Taps

~ 7,884 per year

Panchayat Taps

5,250 per year

7. The bulk water supply (Excluding Tanker Lorry) to Local Self Government bodies/communities will be charged @ `6/KL. For Tanker Lorry supply the rate is `60/KL.

By order of the Governor,

V. J. Kurian,

Additional Chief Secretary to Government.

To

The Managing Director, Kerala Water Authority, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Prl. Accountant General (A&E), (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Finance Department (Vide U.O. No. 93028/PUC1/13/Fin dated 31-10-2013).

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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Water Resources Department—Kerala Water Authority—Water Charges
Revised Tariff in respect of Domestic Connections—Details
Elaborated—Modified-Orders Issued

WATER RESOURCES (WATER SUPPLY-B) DEPARTMENT

G. O. (Ms.) No. 92/2014/WRD.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 30th September 2014.

Read:—1. G. O. (Ms.) No. 88/2014/WRD dated 25-9-2014.

2. Letter No. KWA/RMC/941/2011, dated 29-9-2014 of the Managing Director, Kerala Water Authority.

ORDER

1. As per the Government Order read above, Government have accorded sanction to Kerala Water Authority to revise water charges w.e.f. 1-10-2014. With regard to the tariff in respect of domestic connections ordered in the G. O., Managing Director, Kerala Water Authority, as per the letter read above has proposed elaboration of the category, consumption level and tariff with a view to making it more unambiguous.

2. Government have examined the proposal in detail and are pleased to elaborate tariff in respect of domestic connections ordered in the Government Order read above as follows:

Category and	Tariff	
consumption level	Fixed	Variable
1		Domestic
Upto 5000 litres	Nil	[^] 4.00 per 1000 litres with Minimum [^] 20.00
Above 5000 to 10000 litres	Nil	20.00 plus 4.00 per 1000 litres in excess o 5000 litres
Above 10000 to 15000 litres	Nil	40.00 plus 5.00 per 1000 litres in excess of 10000 litres
Above 15000 to 20000 litres	Nil	6.00 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption (0 to 20000 litres)
Above 20000 to 25000 litres	Nil	7.00 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption (0 to 25000 litres)
Above 25000 to 30000 litres	Nil	9.00 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption (0 to 30000 litres)
Above 30000 to 40000 litres	Nil	12.00 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption (0 to 40000 litres)
Above 40000 to 50000 litres	Nil	14.00 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption (0 to 50000 litres)
Above 50000 litres	Nil	700.00 plus 40.00 per every 1000 litres in excess of 50000 litres
(a) No water charges will be co	ollected	from BPL families who consume

up to 15000 litres per month.

3. The Government Order read above stands modified to the above extent.

By order of the Governor,

V. J. Kurian,

Additional Chief Secretary to Government.

To

The Managing Director, Kerala Water Authority, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Prl. Accountant General (A&E), (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Finance Department (Vide U.O. No. 93028/PUC1/13/Fin dated 31-10-2013).

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PS to Hon. Minister, Water Resources.

Disposal leading to G. O. (Ms.) No. 88/2014/WRD dated 25-9-2014.

General Administration (SC) Dept.