



**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

**Abstract**

Kerala Water Authority - Amending the Kerala Water Authority (Sewerage Connection) Regulations, 2000 - permission accorded - orders issued.

**WATER RESOURCE (WATER SUPPLY C) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.(P)No.28/2022/WRD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 21-11-2022

Read 1 G.O(P)No.81/2000/Ird dated 01.12.2000.

2 Letter No.5226/AE II(OP)/2018/KWA dated 17.09.2021 of the Managing Director, Kerala Water Authority.

**ORDER**

As per GO read as 1<sup>st</sup> paper above, Government have issued orders for making Kerala Water Authority (Sewerage Connections) Regulations 2000 under Kerala Water Supply and Sewerage Act 1986 ( 14 of 1986).

2) As per the letter read as 2<sup>nd</sup> paper above, Managing Director, Kerala Water Authority has furnished a proposal for according permission by amending Kerala Water Authority (Sewerage Connection) Regulation, 2000 as per Item No. IX(3) of the 420<sup>th</sup> Board meeting of the Kerala Water Authority dated 23.07.2021.

3) Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord sanction to amend the Kerala Water Authority (Sewerage Connection) Regulation, 2000, without prejudicial to the generality of the said Act, as follows:-

Existing Clause		Revised Clause	
(Kerala Water Authority (Sewer Connections) Regulations, 2000			
4	(5) The connection fee shall be 10% (ten percent only) of the estimate / revised estimate subject to a minimum of Rs.500/- (Rupees five hundred only) in case of domestic sewer	4	(5) The connection fee shall be of Rs. 1,500/- (Rupees one thousand and five hundred only) per unit in case of domestic sewer connections(including flat) and Rs. 2,500/- (Rupees two thousand and five hundred only) per unit in the case of non-domestic sewer connection and casual sewer

		connections and Rs.1000/- Rupees one thousand only) in the case of non- domestic sewer connections and casual sewer connections and Rs.2500/- (Rupees two thousand and five hundred only) in case of industrial sewer connection)		connections and Rs. 5,000/- (Rupees five thousand only) per unit in case of industrial sewer connections.
4	(6)	In addition to the connection fee, the applicant shall remit an amount of Rs.500/- (Rupees five hundred only) in the case of domestic sewer connections, Rs.1,000/- (Rupees one thousand only) in the case of non domestic sewer connections, Rs.2,500/- (Rupees Two thousand five hundred only) in the case of casual sewer connections and Rs.3000/- (Rupees three thousand only) in the case of industrial sewer connections as security deposit.	(6)	In addition to the connection fee, the applicant shall remit an amount of Rs. 1,500/- (Rupees one thousand and five hundred only) per unit in case of domestic (including flat) sewer connections and Rs. 2,500/- (Rupees two thousand and five hundred only) per unit in the case of non-domestic sewer connection and casual sewer connections and Rs. 5,000/- (Rupees five thousand only) per unit in case of industrial sewer connections as security deposit.
		<i>Insertion of new clause</i>		
2	u	"Unit" means the total number of building numbers or total number of water connection within the premises, whichever is maximum for Domestic and the total number of building numbers or total number of water connection within the premises or total number of toilets or closed urinal units within the premises whichever is maximum for Non Domestic, Casual and Industrial connections.		
14		<p><b>Providing sewerage connection to building which doesn't have water connection</b></p> <p>Sewer connection can be provided to buildings which doesn't have water</p>		

	<p>connection. The sewerage charge shall be of Rs. 200/- (Rupees two hundred only) per unit per month in case of domestic sewer connections and Rs. 1000/- (Rupees one thousand only) per unit per month in case of non-domestic/industrial/Special sewer connections.</p>
15.	<p><b>Introduction of fixed charge and sewer cess according to water consumption</b></p> <p>In addition to percentage of water charge, a fixed charge shall also be collected as sewer collection cess for maintenance of the system. A three slab system (water consumption upto 25kl, 25kl to 50kl and greater than 50 kl) for sewer cess based on the consumption to be collected as follows: -</p> <p>(a) Water consumption upto 25 kl -- Sewer cess is 11.02% of water charge for all categories (Domestic, Non-Domestic, Special and Industrial Connections) with fixed charge of Rs.50/- (Rupees fifty only) in case of Non-Domestic and Special (casual) connection and Rs.150/- (Rupees one hundred and fifty only) in case of industrial connection. There is no fixed charge for Domestic connections</p> <p>(b) Water consumption from 25 to 50 kl -- Sewer cess is 25% of water charge for all categories (Domestic, Non Domestic, Special and industrial connections) with fixed charge of Rs.50/- (Rupees fifty only) in case of Domestic connection, Rs.100/- (Rupees one hundred only) in case of Non Domestic and Special (Casual) connection and Rs.200/- (Rupees two hundred only) in case of industrial connection.</p> <p>(c) Water consumption above 50 kl -- Sewer cess is 50% of water charge for all categories (Domestic, Non Domestic, Special and Industrial connections) with fixed charge of Rs.100/- (Rupees one hundred only) in case of Domestic connection, Rs.200/- (Rupees two hundred only) in case of Non-domestic and Special (Casual) connection and Rs.300/- (Rupees three hundred only) in case of industrial connection).</p>

(By order of the Governor)  
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