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PREFACE

This booklet contains extracts from the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Kerala Legislative Assembly relating to the Committee on Public Undertakings and the Internal Working Rules. The Internal Working Rules framed by the Committee were approved by the Hon'ble Speaker on 11th December, 1968. Later in order to incorporate the amendments made in to Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Kerala Legislative Assembly, revised editions of the Rules of Procedure of Committee were published on September 1972, and December 1985. Next edition of the Rules of Procedure was published on 9th May, 2012 by integrating all the amendments made to the Rules till 8-4-2010 and the List of Public Undertakings notified upto 4-12-2008.

Rules 20 and 21 were approved to be omitted from the Rules of Procedure of the Committee on Public Undertakings by Hon'ble Speaker on 9-1-2015 and this edition is published to exclude the above rules.

This publication is intended for official use only.

Thiruvananthapuram, 5th May, 2015.

P. D. SARANGADHARAN, Secretary.

II. RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC UNDERTAKINGS

(INTERNAL WORKING)

(Made under Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Kerala Legislative Assembly)

The following rules are supplemental to the provisions contained in Rules 180 to 211 and Rules 247 and 248 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Kerala Legislative Assembly:

- 1. (1) Selection of Subjects for Examination.—The Committee shall select from time to time for examination such Public Undertakings or such subjects as they may deem fit and as fall within their terms of reference.
- (2) The programme of work for the examination of subjects may be determined by the Committee from time to time.
- 2. If the Committee is divided into Sub Committees, the procedure of each Sub Committee shall be the same as that of the whole Committee.
- 3. Notice of sitting.—When the date and time of sitting of the Committee have been fixed by the Chairman, notice thereof shall be circulated to the members of the Committee.
- 4. Material to be furnished to the Committee.—The Department/ Undertaking concerned with the subjects to be examined by the Committee shall be asked in writing by the Legislature Secretariat to furnish twenty-five sets of the necessary material for the use of the members of the Committee. The preliminary material to be furnished to the Committee in respect of an Undertaking shall generally be on the lines set out in Annexure I.
- *4A. When the Committee take up consideration of the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India relating to the Government of Kerala, so far as they relate to the Public Undertakings mentioned in the Fourth Schedule of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Kerala Legislative Assembly, usually thirty copies of each of the notes, memoranda, etc., shall be furnished by the Departments of the Government either in pursuance of action taken on the recommendations of the Committee or in reference to the point or points on which the information may be called for by the Committee or a member thereof. On receipt, copies shall be circulated to members and three copies of each paper, memorandum, document etc., shall be forwarded to the Accountant General.

^{*} Rules incorporated as approved by the Hon'ble Speaker on August 26, 1972.

- *4B. The Notes and other details furnished by the Departments as a result of the examination of the departmental witnesses in connection with the consideration of the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India relating to the Government of Kerala so far as they relate to the Public Undertakings mentioned in the Fourth Schedule of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Kerala Legislative Assembly may be submitted to the Committee after verification by the Audit Department.
- 5. Circulation of Material to Members.—The material shall be circulated to the members with a covering memorandum as soon as possible after its receipt in the Secretariat.
- 6. Papers circulated to the Committee to be treated as confidential.—The papers circulated to the Committee shall be treated as confidential and the contents thereof shall not be divulged to any one nor shall any reference be made to such information outside the Committee at any time before the report on the subject has been presented to the House. Thereafter, reference may be made only to such information as is available in the documents or records laid on the Table.
- 7. (1) Questions by members.—The members may after going through the papers, frame questions or points on which further information is required by them.
- (2) These questions or points shall be sent by members to the Legislature Secretariat by a date to be specified by the Chairman.
- 8. (1) Questionnaire for the Department/Undertaking.—The questions and points suggested by members, together with other relevant points concerning the subject under examination, shall be consolidated in the form of a questionnaire. The questionnaire shall be circulated to all members of the Committee with explanatory notes wherever necessary.
- (2) The questionnaire and the suggestions received from the members shall be considered by the Committee. After its approval by the Chairman it shall be sent to the Undertaking/Department which shall furnish to the Secretariat twenty-five sets of replies thereto by a date to be specified by the Chairman.

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- (3) Copies of the questionnaire shall be circulated to the members of the Committee.
- (4) The replies received to the questionnaire from the Undertaking/ Department shall be circulated to the members in the manner prescribed in rule 5 of these rules.
- (5) Where further clarification is required on any point and or additional information is desired, it may be called for in the manner prescribed in sub-rule (2) of this rule.
- 9. (1) Points for oral examination.—The Legislature Secretariat shall prepare a list of points and/or questions for oral examination of the witnesses incorporating therein any suggestions that may be received from members in this regard, for approval by the Chairman.
- (2) Advance copies of the list of points or questions may be circulated to the members of the Committee.
- 10. Procedure when taking oral evidence.—The Chairman shall put questions one by one to the witness. If a member desires to put a question he shall do so with the permission of the Chairman. In case the witness is not in a position to elucidate any point immediately, he may be permitted by the Chairman to furnish a reply thereafter to the Secretariat in writing at the earliest.
- 11. Recall of witnesses.—The Committee may recall any witnesses to give further evidence on any point which is under consideration of the Committee.
- 12. Examination of witnesses.—The Committee may whenever necessary take the oral evidence of the representatives of the Undertaking under examination, separately from those of the Department concerned.
- 13. Points on which further information is required.—The Secretariat shall note down the points on which further information is required by the Committee and under the directions of the Chairman take such action in the matter as may be necessary.
- 14. Production of Documents.—(1) The Committee may send for persons, papers and records required in connection with the examination of the Undertakings/Department. In the case of secret documents required by the

Committee such papers may be made available by the Undertakings/Department confidentially to the Chairman in the first instance unless it is certified by Minister concerned that the document could not be made available on the ground that its disclosure would be prejudicial to the safety or interest of the State.

- (2) The Chairman may give due consideration to the wishes of the Undertaking/Department before making any secret documents available to the members of the Committee. Any difference of opinion between the Undertaking/Department and Chairman may be settled by discussions and if no satisfactory arrangement is arrived at the matter shall then be placed before the Speaker for his decision.
- 15. Verbatim Proceedings.—The Verbatim proceedings shall be for the use of the Committee only and only such papers as have been laid on the Table of the House will be made public.
- 16. Minutes of Sittings.—The Secretariat shall draft minutes of the sittings of the Committee for approval of Chairman or the member who presided at the sitting as the case may be.
- 17. Circulation of Minutes.—The minutes of each sitting of the Committee shall be circulated to the members of the Committee.
- 18. (1) Presentation of draft report.—When the examination of any subject has been completed the Committee shall frame their conclusions and recommendations.
- (2) On the basis of the conclusions and recommendations a draft of the report shall be prepared.
- (3) The draft report as prepared under (2) above shall be circulated to the members of the Committee after it has been approved by the Chairman and then considered at a sitting of the Committee. The report of the Committee shall embody the decisions of the majority of the members present and voting.
- .(4) In the case of equality of votes the Chairman shall decide the issue by a casting vote.

- (5) There shall be no minutes of dissent to the Reports of the Committee.
- 19. Presence of persons other than members of the Committee or Officers of the Secretariat.—When the Committee is considering the draft reports or formulating its views on any matter, no one who is not a member or an officer of the Secretariat of the Committee shall be present at such meeting.

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- 22. The report shall ordinarily be presented to the House by the Chairman, but if he is unable to do so, one of the members of the Committee who may be authorised by him may present the report on his behalf.
- 23. Signing of the Report of the Committee.—The Chairman will sign the report on behalf of the Committee.
- 24. Distribution of Report.—As soon as possible after presentation of the report to the House, copies thereof shall be made available to the Members of the Legislature and other persons, authorities etc., concerned.
- 25. Publicity to activities of the Committee.—The Secretariat shall, under the direction of the Chairman, arrange to give suitable publicity through the Bulletin and the Press to the sittings of the Committee for the information of the public.
- 26. Incorporation of points of procedure in the Rules.—Any addition or alteration to these Rules from time to time shall be incorporated in the rules after due approval.

^{*}Rules 20 & 21 as noted below omitted vide Bulletin Part II No. 686 dated 10-2-2015.

^{20.} Supply of advance copies of report to department for factual verification.—Advance copies of the report as finalised by the Committee shall be marked 'secret' and send to the concerned Department and also to the Finance Department for verification of factual details. It shall be enjoined on them to treat the contents of the report as secret until the report is presented to the House.

^{21.} On receipt of the comments of the Departments the Chairman may make suitable modification in the report to correct factual inaccuracies, if any, or may direct that the matter be placed before the Committee for consideration.

ANNEXURE I

(Vide Rule 4)

POINTS TO BE COVERED IN THE PRELIMINARY MATERIAL TO BE FURNISHED BY A DEPARTMENT/UNDERTAKING

- (i) Historical Background together with copies of Statutes/Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Corporation/Company, Rules, Regulations issued thereunder, if any.
- (ii) Note giving briefly the objects and present functions of the Corporation/Company together with copy of the Instrument of Instructions issued by Government, if any.
- (iii) (a) Organisational set-up of the Corporation/Company, including that of its various projects/offices. This information may be shown in the form of a chart supported by short explanatory notes.
- (b) Organisational set-up in the Administrative Department which co-ordinates/controls the work of the Corporation/Company.
- (iv) A detailed account of the working (the financial as well as physical) terms of the Corporation/Company year-wise, since its inception with reference to programme or plan, reasons for variation between the programme and the achievement, if any, may be furnished.
- (v) The original estimates, revised estimates and actual expenditure on the various projects for the three years together with a brief note indicating the reasons for variations, if any.
 - (vi) Current programme and future plans of the Corporation/Company.
- (vii) (a) Copies of the Annual Reports and Accounts for the last three years together with Administrative Reports and reviews of Government, if any.
- (b) Copies of monthly/quarterly reports submitted by the Chairman and the Financial Controller to Government during the last one year.
- (viii). Copies of report of any inquiry or investigation conducted into the working of the Corporation/Company.

- (ix) Notes giving main features of the Project Reports, if any, relating to each Project undertaken by the Corporation/Company i.e., their estimate cost, scheduled dates of commissioning of the various units in each project, annual rated capacity (both in terms of quantity and value) and the year of reaching that capacity, staff required (category-wise) etc., together with the latest position with reference to each aspect.
 - '(x) Copies of agreement, if any, entered into with Consultants/Collaborators.
 - (xi) Copies of directives, if any, issued by Government.
- (xii) A brief note indicating the position of similar undertakings in other States.
- (xiii) Any other information which the Department/Undertaking would like to place before the Committee.

III. EXTRACTS OF RULES 180 TO 211 AND RULES 247 AND 248 OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE AND CONDUCT OF BUSINESS IN THE KERALA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY RELATING TO THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC UNDERTAKINGS

CHAPTER XXIV

LEGISLATURE COMMITTEES

(a) General

- 180. Appointment of Legislature Committees.—(1) The members of a Legislature Committee shall be appointed or elected by the Assembly or nominated by the Speaker, as the case may be.
- (2) No member shall be appointed to a Committee if he is not willing to serve on it. The proposer shall ascertain whether the member whose name is proposed by him is willing to serve on the Committee.
- (3) Casual vacancies in a Committee shall be filled by appointment or election by the Assembly or nomination by the Speaker, as the case may be, and any member appointed, elected or nominated to fill such vacancy shall hold office for the unexpired portion of the term for which the member in whose place he is appointed, elected or nominated would have normally held office.
- 181. Objections to membership of Committee.—Where an objection is taken to the inclusion of a member in a Committee on the ground that the member has a personal, pecuniary or direct interest of such an intimate character that it may prejudicially affect the consideration of any matters to be considered by the Committee, the procedure shall be as follows:
- (a) the member who has taken objection shall precisely state the ground of his objection and the nature of the alleged interest, whether personal, pecuniary or direct, of the proposed member in the matter coming up before the Committee:
- (b) after the objection has been stated, the Speaker shall give an opportunity to the member proposed on the Committee against whom the objection has been taken, to state the position;
- (c) if there is dispute on facts, the Speaker may call upon the member taking objection and the member against whose appointment on the Committee objection has been taken, to produce documentary or other evidence in support of their respective case;
- (d) after the Speaker has considered the evidence so tendered before him, he shall give his decision which shall be final;

- (e) until the Speaker has given his decision the member against whose appointment on the Committee objection has been taken, shall continue to be a member thereof if elected, appointed or nominated;
- (f) if the Speaker holds that the member against whose appointment objection has been taken has a personal, pecuniary or direct interest in the matter before the Committee, he shall cease to be a member thereof forthwith:

Provided that the proceedings of the sittings of the Committee at which such member was present shall not in any way be affected by the decision of the Speaker.

Explanation:—For the purpose of this rule the interest of the member should be direct, personal or pecuniary and separately belong to the person whose inclusion in the Committee is objected to and not in common with the public in general or with any class or section thereof or on a matter of State Policy.

- 182. Term of Office of Committee nominated by the Speaker.—A Committee nominated by the Speaker shall, unless otherwise specified in the rules contained in this Chapter, hold office for the period specified by him or until a new Committee is nominated.
- 183. Resignation from Committee.—A member may resign his seat from a Committee by writing under his hand addressed to the Speaker.
- 184. Chairman of Committee.—(1) The Chairman of a Committee shall be appointed by the Speaker from amongst the members of the Committee:

Provided that if the Deputy Speaker is a member of the Committee he shall be appointed Chairman of the Committee.

- (2) If the Chairman is for any reason unable to act, the Speaker may appoint another Chairman in his place.
- (3) If the Chairman is absent from any sitting, the Committee shall choose another member to act as Chairman for that sitting.
- 185. Quorum.—(1) Unless otherwise fixed, the quorum to constitute a sitting of a Committee shall be, as near as may be, one-third of the total number of members of the Committee.
- (2) If at any time fixed for any sitting of a Committee or if at any time, during any such sitting, there is no quorum, the Chairman of the Committee shall either suspend the sitting until there is a quorum or adjourn the sitting to some future day.

(3) When the Committee has been adjourned in pursuance of sub-rule (2) on two successive dates fixed for sittings of the Committee, the Chairman shall report the fact to the Assembly:

Provided that where the Committee has been appointed by the Speaker, the Chairman shall report the fact of such adjournment to the Speaker.

186. Discharge of members absent from sitting of Committee.—If a member is absent from two or more consecutive sittings of a Committee without the permission of the Chairman, a motion may be moved in the Assembly for the discharge of such member from the Committee:

Provided that where the members of the Committee are nominated by the Speaker such member may be discharged by the Speaker.

- 187. Voting in Committee.—All questions at any sitting of a Committee shall be determined by a majority of votes of the members present and voting.
- 188. Casting vote of Chairman.—In the case of an equality of votes on any matter, the Chairman, or the person acting as such, shall have a second or casting vote.
- 189. Power to appoint Sub-Committees.—(1) A Committee may, subject to the approval of the Speaker, appoint one or more Sub-Committees, each having the powers of the undivided Committee, to examine any matters that may be referred to them, and the reports of such Sub-Committees shall be deemed to be the reports of the whole Committee if they are approved at a sitting of the whole Committee.
- (2) The order of reference to a Sub-Committee shall clearly state the point or points for investigation. The Report of the Sub-Committee shall be considered by the whole Committee.
- 190. Date and time of sittings of Committee.—The sittings of a Committee shall be held on such days and at such hours as the Chairman of the Committee may fix.
- 191. Sittings of Committee in Private.—The sitting of a Committee shall be held in private.
- 192. Venue of sittings.—The sittings of a Committee shall be held within the precincts of the Legislature Secretariat Buildings and if it becomes necessary to change the place of sitting outside the Legislature Secretariat Buildings, the matter shall be referred to the Speaker whose decision shall be final.
- 193. All strangers to withdraw when Committee deliberates.—All persons other than members of the Committee and officers whose services are required by the Committee shall withdraw whenever the Committee is deliberating.

- 194. Power to take evidence or call for documents.—(1) A witness may be summoned by an order signed by the Secretary and shall also produce such documents as are required for the use of a Committee.
- (2) It shall be in the discretion of the Committee to treat any evidence tendered before it as secret or confidential.
- (3) No document submitted to the Committee shall be withdrawn or altered without the knowledge and approval of the Committee.
- 195. Power to send for persons, papers and records.—A Committee shall have power to send for persons, papers and records:

Provided that if any question arises whether the evidence of a person or the production of a document is relevant for the purposes of the Committee, the question shall be referred to the Speaker whose decision shall be final:

Provided further that Government may decline to produce a document on the ground that its disclosure would be prejudicial to the safety or interest of the State.

- 196. Counsel for a witness.—A Committee may, under the direction of the Speaker, permit a witness to be heard by a counsel appointed by him and approved by the Committee.
- 197. Evidence on oath.—(1) A Committee may administer oath or affirmation to a witness examined before it.
 - (2) The form of the oath or affirmation shall be as follows:—
- 'I, A, B, do swear in the name of God/solemnly affirm that the evidence which I shall give in this case shall be true, that I will conceal nothing and that no part of my evidence shall be false'.
- 198. Procedure for examining witnesses.—The examination of witnesses before a Committee shall be conducted as follows:
- (i) The Committee shall, before a witness is called for examination, decide the mode of procedure and the nature of questions that may be asked of the witness.
- (ii) The Chairman of the Committee may first ask the witness such question or questions as he may consider necessary with reference to the subject matter under consideration or any subject connected therewith according to the mode of procedure mentioned in clause (i) of this rule.

- (iii) The Chairman may call other members of the Committee one by one to ask any other questions.
- (iv) A witness may be asked to place before the Committee any other relevant points that have not been covered and which a witness thinks are essential to be placed before the Committee.
- (v) A verbatim record of proceedings of the Committee shall, when a witness is summoned to give evidence, be kept.
- (vi) The evidence tendered before the Committee may be made available to all members of the Committee.
- 199. Record of decisions.—A record of minutes of the meetings of a Committee approved by the Chairman, shall be maintained and circulated to members of the Committee.
- 200. Evidence, report and proceedings treated as confidential.—(1) A Committee may direct that the whole or part of the evidence or a summary thereof may be laid on the Table.
- (2) The evidence given before a Committee shall not be published by any member of the Committee or by any other person until it has been laid on the Table:

Provided that the Speaker may, in his discretion, direct that such evidence be confidentially made available to members before it is formally laid on the Table.

- 201. Special reports.—A Committee, if it thinks fit, may make a special report on any matter that arises or comes to light in the course of its work which it may consider necessary to bring to the notice of the Speaker or the Assembly, notwithstanding that such matter is not directly connected with, or does not fall within or is not incidental to, its terms of reference.
 - 202. Report of Committee.—(1) Reports may be either preliminary or final.
- (2) The report of the Committee shall be signed by the Chairman on behalf of the Committee:

Provided that in case the Chairman is absent or is not readily available, the Committee shall choose another member to sign the report on behalf of the Committee.

- 203. Availability of report to Government before presentation.—A Committee may, if it thinks fit, make available to Government any completed part of its report before presentation to the Assembly. Such reports shall be treated as confidential until presented to the Assembly.
- 204. Presentation of report.—(1) The report of a Committee shall be presented to the Assembly by the Chairman or in his absence by any member of the Committee.
- (2) In presenting the report, the Chairman or, in his absence, the member presenting the report shall, if he makes any remarks, confine himself to a brief statement of fact, but there shall be no debate on that statement at this stage.
- 205. Printing, publication or circulation of report prior to its presentation to Assembly.—The Speaker may, on a request being made to him and when the Assembly is not in session, order the printing, publication or circulation of a report of a Committee although it has not been presented to the Assembly. In that case the report shall be presented to the Assembly during the next session at the first convenient opportunity.
- *205A. Furnishing of reply to the recommendation contained in the report.—The recommendations contained in the report of a Committee other than Subject Committees shall be examined by the Government and statement of action taken on such recommendations shall be furnished by the Government within the time limit specified in the report. In cases where no time limit is specified in the report, the action taken statement shall be furnished within 2 months from the date of receipt of the report by the Government.
- *205B. Discussion on a matter contained in the report.—(1) The Speaker may allot an hour on one day in a week for raising discussion on a matter of sufficient public importance which has been the subject of Report of a Committee.
- (2) A member wishing to raise discussion on such a matter shall give notice in writing to the Secretary three clear days before the day in which the matter is desired to be raised.
- (3) The Speaker shall decide whether the matter is of sufficient public importance to be put down for discussion.
- (4) There shall be no formal motion before the Assembly nor voting.

^{*} As per Gazette Notification No. 4832/Legn.2/2009/Leg. dated 8-4-2010.

- (5) If the member who has given notice is absent any other member authorised by him in writing in his behalf may, with the permission of the Speaker, initiate the discussion.
- 206. Power to make suggestions on procedure.—A Committee shall have power to pass resolution on matters of procedure relating to that Committee for the consideration of the Speaker, who may make such variations in procedure as he may consider necessary.
- 207. Power of Committee to make detailed rules.—A Committee may, with the approval of the Speaker, make detailed rules of procedure to supplement the provisions contained in the rules in this Chapter.
- 208. Power of Speaker to give directions.—(1) The Speaker may, from time to time, issue such directions to the Chairman of a Committee as he may consider necessary for regulating its procedure and the organisation of its work.
- (2) If any doubt arises on any point of procedure or otherwise, the Chairman may if he thinks fit, refer the point to the Speaker whose decision shall be final.
- 209. Business before Committee not to lapse on prorogation of Assembly.— Any business pending before a Committee shall not lapse by reason only on the prorogation of the Assembly and the Committee shall continue to function notwithstanding such prorogation.
- 210. Unfinished work of Committee.—A Committee which is unable to complete its work before the expiration of its term or before the dissolution of the Assembly may report to the Assembly that the Committee has not been able to complete its work. Any preliminary report, memorandum or note that the Committee may have prepared or any evidence that the Committee may have taken shall be made available to the new Committee.
- 211. Applicability of general rules to Committees.—Except for matters for which special provision is made in the rules relating to any particular Committee, the general rules in this Chapter shall apply to all Committees; and if and so far as any provision in the special rules relating to a Committee is inconsistent with the general rules, the former rules shall prevail.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC UNDERTAKINGS

247. Functions of Committee on Public Undertakings.—There shall be a Committee on Public Undertakings for the examination of the working of the Public Undertakings specified in the Fourth Schedule and such other Public Undertakings as may be notified by the Government as such from time to time.

The functions of the Committee shall be-

- (a) to examine the reports and accounts of the Public Undertakings specified in the Fourth Schedule, and with the permission of the Speaker to examine such other Public Undertakings as may be notified by the Government as such from time to time;
- (b) to examine the reports if any, of the audit on Public Undertakings;
- (c) to examine in the context of the efficiency of the Public Undertakings whether the affairs of the Public Undertakings are being managed in accordance with sound business principles; and prudent commercial practices; and
- (d) to exercise such other functions vested in the Committee on Public Accounts and the Committee on Estimates in relation to the Public Undertakings specified in the Fourth Schedule as are not covered by sub-clause (a) (b) and (c) above and as may be allotted to the Committee by the Speaker from time to time:

Provided that the Committee shall not examine and investigate any of the following namely:—

- (i) matters of major Government policy as distinct from business or commercial functions of the Public Undertakings;
- (ii) matters of day-to-day administration;
- (iii) matters for the consideration of which machinery is established by any special statute under which a particular Public Undertaking is established.

Note:—"Public Undertakings" for the purpose of Rules 247 and 248 means Company in which not less than 51% of the paid-up share capital is held by the State Government and includes Statutory Corporations and Boards constituted by the State Government.

248. Constitution of Committee on Public Undertakings.—The Committee shall consist of eleven members who shall be elected by the Assembly as soon as may be, after the commencement of the financial year for a period of thirty months from amongst its members according to the principle of proportional representation by means of the single transferable vote:

Provided that a Minister shall not be elected as a member of the Committee and that if a member, after his election to the Committee is appointed as a Minister, he shall cease to be a member of the Committee from the date of such appointment.

FOURTH SCHEDULE

(See Ruic 247)

*LIST OF PUBLIC UNDERTAKING

NAME OF CONCERNS

A. Statutory Corporations, Board etc.

- 1. Kerala Financial Corporation, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 2. Kerala Industrial Infrastructure Development Corporation, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 3. Kerala Khadi and Village Industries Board, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 4. Kerala State Electricity Board, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 5. Kerala State Housing Board, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 6. Kerala State Road Transport Corporation, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 7. Kerala State Warehousing Corporation, Ernakulam.
- 8. Kerala State Rural Development Board, Thiruvananthapuram (Dissolved).
- 9. Kerala Water Authority, Thiruvananthapuram.

B. Fully owned Government Companies

- 10. Bekal Resorts Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 11. Foam Matting (India) Limited, Alappuzha.
- 12. Kerala Agro Machinery Corporation, Thrissur.
- 13. Kerala Artisans Development Corporation, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 14. Kerala Automobiles Ltd., Thiruvananthapuram.
- 15. Kerala Clays and Ceramic Products Limited, Kannur.
- 16. Kerala Electrical and Allied Engineering Company Ltd., Kochi.
- 17. Kerala Hitech Industries Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 18. Kerala Livestock Development Board Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 19. Kerala Police Housing and Construction Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.

^{*} substituted vide notification No. 1514/Legn. 2/06/Leg. dated 4th December, 2008.

- 20. Kerala School Teachers and Non-Teaching Staff Welfare Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 21. Kerala Small Industries Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 22. Kerala Soaps and Oils Limited (closed down).
- 23. Kerala State Backward Classes Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 24. Kerala State Bamboo Corporation Limited, Angamali.
- 25. Kerala State Beverages (Manufacturing and Marketing) Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 26. Kerala State Coconut Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram (Defunct).
- 27. Kerala State Construction Corporation Limited, Ernakulam.
- 28. Kerala State Detergents and Chemicals Limited (Closed).
- Kerala State Development Corporation for Christian Converts from S.C. and the Recommended Communities Limited, Kottayam.
- 30. Kerala State Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Limited, Alappuzha.
- 31. Kerala State Ex-Servicemen Development and Rehabilitation Corporation, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 32. Kerala State Film Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 33. Kerala State Horticultural Products Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 34. Kerala State Industrial Enterprises Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 35. Kerala State Industrial Products Trading Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 36. Kerala State Maritime Development Corporation, Ernakulam.
- 37. Kerala State Mineral Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 38. Kerala State Palmyra Products Development and Workers Welfare Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 39. Kerala State Poultry Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.

- 40. Kerala State Power and Infrastructure Finance Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 41. Kerala State Salicylates and Chemicals Limited, Thiruvananthapuram (inactive).
- 42. Kerala State Textile Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 43. Kerala Tourism Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 44. Kerala Transport Development Finance Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 45. Malabar Cements Limited, Palakkad.
- 46. Meat Products of India Limited, Koothattukulam.
- 47. Overseas Development and Employment Promotion Consultants Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 48. Roads and Bridges Development Corporation of Kerala Limited, Kochi.
- 49. Scooters Kerala Limited, Alappuzha.
- 50. Sitaram Textiles Limited, Thrissur.
- 51. Steel and Industrial Forgings Limited, Thrissur.
- 52. The Kerala Ceramic Limited, Kundara.
- 53. The Kerala Minerals and Metals Limited, Kollam.
- 54. The Kerala State Cashew Development Corporation Limited, Kollam.
- 55. The Kerala State Civil Supplies Corporation Limited, Kochi.
- 56. The Kerala State Coir Corporation Limited, Alappuzha.
- 57. Kerala State Financial Enterprises Limited, Thrissur.
- 58. Kerala State Handicapped Persons' Welfare Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- Metropolitan Engineering Company Limited, Thiruvananthapuram (closed down).
- 60. The Pharmaceuticals Corporation (I.M.) Kerala Limited, Thrissur.
- 61. The Plantation Corporation of Kerala Limited, Kottayam.
- 62. The Travancore Plywood Industries Limited (inactive).
- 63. Trivandrum Spinning Mills Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.

C. Subsidiary Companies of Fully owned Government Companies

- 64. Astral Watches Limited, Kasargod (Subsidiary of KSIDC)-Defunct.
- 65. Autocast Limited, Cherthala (Subsidiary of SILK).
- 66. Keltron Crystals Limited, Kannur (Subsidiary of KSEDC).
- 67. Keltron Magnetics Limited, Kannur (Subsidiary of KSEDC).
- 68. Keltron Power Devices Limited, Mulankunnathukavu, Thrissur (Subsidiary of KSEDC).
- 69. Keltron Rectifiers Limited (Subsidiary of KSEDC) closed down.
- 70. Keltron Resistors Limited, Kannur (Subsidiary of KSEDC).
- 71. Tourists Resorts (Kerala) Limited, Thiruvananthapuram (Subsidiary of KTDC).
- 72. Trivandrum Rubber Works Limited, Thiruvananthapuram, (Subsidiary of the State Farming Corporation of Kerala Limited).
- 73. Keltron Components Complex Limited, Kannur (Subsidiary of KSEDC).
- 74. Keltron Electro Ceramics Limited, Kuttippuram, (Subsidiary of KSEDC).
- 75. Keltron Counters Limited, Thiruvananthapuram (Subsidiary of KSEDC)—No activity.
- 76. Kerala State Wood Industries Limited, Malappuram (Subsidiary of Kerala State Forest Development Corporation Limited).
- 77. Steel Complex Limited, Kozhikode (Subsidiary of KSIDC).

D. Majority Shareholding Government Companies

- 78. Forest Industries (Travancore) Limited, Aluva.
- 79. Handicrafts Development Corporation of Kerala Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 80. Kerala Feeds Limited, Thrissur.
- 81. Kerala Shipping and Inland Navigation Corporation Limited, Kochi.
- 82. Kerala State Women's Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 83. Kerala Urban and Rural Development Finance Corporation Limited, Kozhikode.

- 84. Oil Palm India Limited, Kottayam.
- 85. The Rehabilitation Plantations Limited, Punalur.
- 86. The Kerala Agro Industries Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 87. Kerala Land Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 88. Kerala State Development Corporation for S.C. and S.T. Limited, Thrissur.
- 89. The Metal Industries Limited, Shornur.
- 90. The Travancore Cements Limited, Kottayam.
- 91. The Travancore Sugars and Chemicals Limited, Thiruvalla.
- 92. The Travancore Cochin Chemicals Limited, Udyogamandal, Aluva.
- 93. Traco Cable Company Limited, Ernakulam.
- 94. Transformers and Electricals Kerala Limited, Angamali.
- 95. Travancore Titanium Products Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 96. The United Electrical Industries Limited, Kollam.
- 97. Kerala Construction Components Limited (closed down).
- 98. Kerla State Electronics Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 99. Kerala State Industrial Development Corporation Limited, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 100. Steel Industrials Kerala Limited, Thrissur.
- 101. The State Farming Corporation of Kerala Limited, Punalur.
- 102. Kerala Forest Development Corporation Limited, Kottayam.
- 103. Kerala State Handloom Development Corporation Limited, Kannur.

E. Subsidiary of Majority Share holding Company

104. Kerala Garments Limited, Kannur (Subsidiary of Kerala State Handloom Development Corporation).

F. Co-operative Societies

- 105. The Alleppy Co-operative Spinning Mills Limited, Kayamkulam.
- 106. The Cannanore Co-operative Spinning Mills Limited, Kannur.

- 107. CAPEX, Kollam.
- 108. COIRFED, Alappuzha.
- 109. The Co-operative Sugars Limited, Chittur.
- 110. HANTEX, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 111. The Malappuram Co-operative Spinning Mills Limited, Malappuram.
- 112. The Mannam Sugar Mills Co-operative Limited, Pandalam.
- 113. The Quilon Co-operative Spinning Mills Limited, Kollam.
- 114. SERIFED, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 115. TAXFED, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 116. The Trichur Co-operative Spinning Mills Limited, Vazhani.
- 117. Surabhi.
- 118. Kazhakuttom Co-operative Spinning Mill.
- 119. Priyadarsini Co-operative Spinning Mill, Kottayam.
- 120. Mala Co-operative Spinning Mill, Thrissur.
- 121. Malabar Co-operative Textile, MALCOTEX, Kuttipuram.