

KERALA COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

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Proceedings of the Member Secretary

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No. 389/A1/2022/KCZMA

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Sub: KCZMA – Condonation of delay of applications submitted for CRZ Clearance for the constructed residential buildings– Delegation of power to the District Level Committees- Orders issued

Read: 1. Proceedings No: 5194/A2/2017/KCZMA dated 26.06.2018
2. Proceedings No. 2665/A1/2019/KCZMA dated 18.03.2020
3. Proceedings No. 1949/A1/2021/KCZMA dated 22.11.2021
4. Proceedings No. 389/A1/2022/KCZMA dated 20.07.2022
5. Decision No. 129.04.03 of the 129th meeting of KCZMA held on 30.06.2023

ORDER

As per order read as 4th paper above Kerala Coastal Zone Management Authority had delegated the power to all District Level Committees of KCZMA to treat the applications submitted up to 29.06.2022 for CRZ Clearance of already constructed residential buildings that are otherwise permissible as per the prevailing CRZ Notification without obtaining prior clearance as late application and also to condone the delay occurred in such applications based on the merits of the case.

Later, several applications for CRZ Clearance for the already constructed residential buildings after 29.06.2022 are being received in KCZMA and it was a major concern of the people during public hearing conducted in the Coastal districts for finalization of CZMP 2019. The 129th meeting of KCZMA held on 30.6.2023 discussed the matter in detail and decided to extend the date for processing condonation of delay applications up to 31.08.2023.

In the above circumstances, Kerala Coastal Zone Management Authority hereby delegates the power to all the District Level Committees of KCZMA to treat the applications received up to **31.08.2023**, of constructed / partially constructed residential buildings that are otherwise permissible as per the CRZ Notification 2011 as late applications and also to condone the delay based on the merits of the case. While condoning the delay, the list of CRZ violations reported by the District Coastal Committees shall also be verified. Scrutiny fee shall be collected as per the GO (Ms) No. 01/2015/S&TD dated 25/03/2015. **No further extension of time will be**

given in this regard and structures constructed henceforth without prior clearance will be treated as illegal.

The District Level Committee's meetings that consider the late applications shall strictly be presided over by the District Collector concerned and the **POWER SHALL NOT BE DELEGATED** to any other officer for the purpose.

DLC meeting not chaired by the District Collector shall be deemed invalid.



Yours faithfully,

**SUNEEL PAMIDI IFS,
Member Secretary, KCZMA**

To

1. The District Collector, Thiruvananthapuram/Kollam/ Alappuzha/ Kottayam/ Erankulam/ Thrissur/Malappuram/Kozhikode/ Kannur/ Kasaragod
2. The Director of Panchayats, Thiruvananthapuram
3. The Director of Urban Affairs, Thiruvananthapuram
4. The Chief Town planner, Thiruvananthapuram
5. The District Town Planner, Thiruvananthapuram/Kollam/ Alappuzha/ Kottayam/Erankulam/ Thrissur/Malappuram/Kozhikode/ Kannur/ Kasaragod
6. The Environment Department, Govt. Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram
7. The Revenue Department, Govt. Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram
8. The Fisheries & Ports Department, Govt. Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram
9. The Local Self Government Department, Govt. Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram
10. The Forest and Wild Life Department, Govt. Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram
11. Information and Public Relation Department, Govt. Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram (for publishing in the Govt. Website)

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