



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Taxes Department –Excise- Bye election - Thrikkakara Assembly Constituency - Declaration of 'Dry Days' - Orders issued.

TAXES (A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.394/2022/TAXES Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 18-05-2022

Read : Letter No.EL3/99/2021/Elec dated 11.05.2022 from the O/o the Chief Electoral Officer Kerala.

ORDER

The Chief Electoral Officer Kerala, in the letter read above requested to declare 'Dry Days' in connection with the bye -election to 083-Thrikkakara Legislative Assembly Constituency scheduled to be held on 31/05/2022. It is requested to declare 'Dry days' throughout the areas in and around 083- Thrikkakara Legislative Assembly Constituency, during the period of 48 hours ending with the hour fixed for the conclusion of poll, for the peaceful and smooth conduct of free and fair poll of the Bye election under Section 135 C of the Representation of the People Act, 1951. It is also requested to observe the Counting day also as 'Dry day'.

Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to declare 'Dry days' throughout the areas in and around 083-Thrikkakara Legislative Assembly Constituency, during the period of 48 hours, ending with the hours fixed for conclusion of poll (31.05.2022) (This will include the date of re-poll if any), and the counting day on 03/06/2022 for the peaceful and smooth conduct of free and fair poll of the bye election to the Thrikkakara Assembly Constituency.

During the 'Dry Days' no spirituous fermented or intoxicating liquors or other substances of a like nature shall be sold, given or distributed at a hotel, eating house, tavern, shop or any other place, public or private within and around Thrikkakara Assembly Constituency. No liquor shops, hotels, restaurants, clubs and other establishments selling/serving liquor, shall be permitted to sell/serve

liquor to anyone whosoever, on the aforesaid days. Non-proprietary clubs, star hotels, restaurants etc. and hotels run by anyone even if they are issued different categories or licenses for possession and supply of liquor, should also not be permitted to serve liquor on these days. The storage of liquor by individuals shall be curtailed during the above period and the restrictions provided in the excise law on the storage of liquor in unlicensed premises shall be vigorously enforced.

The Excise Commissioner will issue necessary instructions to the officials concerned to take necessary precautionary measures, vigorously, to detect and prevent storage and sale of liquor by unlicensed persons and in unlicensed premises during the above days.

(By order of the Governor)
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JOINT SECRETARY

To:

- 1.The Election Commission of India, Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi -110 001 (with Covering letter).
- 2.The Chief Electoral Officer Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram (with Covering letter).
3. The Excise Commissioner, Thiruvananthapuram.
4. The State Police Chief, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 5.The Managing Director, Kerala State Beverages Corporation, Thiruvananthapuram.
6. District Collector, Ernakulam.
7. Deputy Excise Commissioner, Ernakulam.
8. Web & New Media, Information & Public Relations Department, Thiruvananthapuram (for publishing in the Government website).
9. Stock File/Office Copy.

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Section Officer