

## **GOVERNMENT OF KERALA** Abstract

Environment Department-Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000-Implementation - Orders issued.

## **ENVIRONMENT (A) DEPARTMENT**

G.O. (Rt) No. 120/11/Envt.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 08.11.2011

Read: (1) Notification G.O.(P) No.111/2002 dated 29.07.2002 from Home (F) Department

(2) Representation dated 30.05.2011 submitted by Shri.R.Ramachandran Nair, Susmitham, Padinjattinkara, Kottarakara

## ORDER

As per the Notification read as 1st paper above, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of rule 2 of the Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000, Government have designated the District Magistrates, the Commissioners of Police/the Superintendents of Police and the Deputy Superintendent of Police (Sub Divisional Officers) as the authorities under the said rules for enforcement of ambient air quality standards in respect of noise pollution within their respective jurisdiction in the State.

2. Government have received several complaints regarding noise pollution especially because of loud speakers and the negligence of the authorities to enforce the regulations.

3. Government have examined the matter in detail and hereby direct that all the empowered authorities in the Police Department shall strictly enforce the rules with regard to noise pollution, especially when loud speakers are used.

4. The Pollution Control Board authorities will render the necessary technical assistance to police authorities for enforcement of ambient air quality standards in respect of sound pollution in accordance with the regulations in force.

(By Order of the Governor)

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Additional Secretary to Government

To

The State Police Chief, Police Head Quarters, Thiruvananthapuram All Superintendents of Police and Commissioners of Police

The Chairman, Kerala State Pollution Control Board, Thiruvananthapuram (for instructions to all concerned)

The Director, Directorate of Environment & Climate Change, Thiruvananthapuram The Public Relations Department (for wide publicity)

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