



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

**Abstract**

RIDF WORKS—CONTRIBUTION FROM SPECIAL DEVELOPMENT FUND FOR M.L.A. TO  
PANCHAYAT RAJ INSTITUTIONS FOR THE PAYMENT OF THEIR SHARE—PROCEEDS  
OF DEMAND DRAFTS RECEIVED FROM THE DISTRICT COLLECTORS—  
GUIDELINES FOR DEPOSITING AND PAYMENT—  
ORDERS ISSUED

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FINANCE (BUDGET-J) DEPARTMENT

**G. O. (P) No. 472/2007/Fin. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 3rd October, 2007.**

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- Read:*—1. G O. (P) No. 247/04/Fin. dated 27-5-2004.  
2. G O. (P) No. 177/06/Fin. dated 12-4-2006.  
3. G O. (P) No. 112/07/Fin. dated 15-3-2007.

**ORDER**

In the Government Order read as 2nd paper above, guidelines were issued for the allocation of funds to Local Self Government Institutions and the drawal of the allocated funds. In the Government Order read 3rd above, Government have inter-alia ordered that Special Development Fund for M.L.As can be utilised for meeting 20% of the project cost of RIDF works taken up by Panchayat Raj Institutions, subject to the following conditions :—

- (i) Works should be judiciously identified by the M.L.A. and the Panchayat and should be backed by a Panchayat resolution;
- (ii) The total share from the Special Development Fund for M.L.As. shall not exceed 20% of the project cost; and
- (iii) As soon as agreement is signed for execution of the work, payment from Special Development Fund for 'M.L.As. towards M.L.As.' share will be transferred to the Panchayat account.

In the above Government Order, it was also indicated that separate instructions will be issued regarding the account to which the proceeds of the Demand Draft received from the District Collectors (i.e. from the Special Development Fund for M.L.As.) have to be credited.

2. Government, after having examined the matter further, are pleased to issue the following instructions:—

- (a) The Rural Local Self Governments are permitted to deposit the proceeds of Demand Drafts received from the District Collectors in terms of the G. O. read 3rd above, in the respective accounts as noted below :

District Panchayats	...	DPFA-1
Block Panchayats	...	BPEA-1
Grama Panchayats	...	VPFA-1

- (b) Finance (N.C.) Department, Local Self Government Department, the Director of Panchayats and the Commissioner for Rural Development will periodically review the utilisation of contributions received from the Special Development Fund for M.L.As. by the Local Self Government Institutions concerned.

By order of the Governor,

M GIREES KUMAR,  
*Additional Secretary (Finance).*

To

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.  
The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.  
The Commissioner for Rural Development, Thiruvananthapuram.  
The Director of Panchayats, Thiruvananthapuram.  
The Director of Treasuries, Thiruvananthapuram.  
The Director of Local Fund Audit, Thiruvananthapuram.  
Secretaries, All District Panchayats/Block Panchayats/Grama Panchayats.  
The Local Self Government Department.  
The Finance (N.C./S.F.C./Dev. Wing) Department.  
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