



## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

### Abstract

Fisheries Department – Proposal for 'Group Personal Accident Insurance Scheme for Allied Fish Workers' - Administrative Sanction accorded - orders issued.

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### FISHERIES & PORTS (C) DEPARTMENT

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G.O.(Rt)No.447/2026/F&P Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 04-08-2026

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Read 1 Letter No. DFTVM/2395/2026-K1 dated 20.07.2026 from the Director of Fisheries, Thiruvananthapuram.

2 Minutes of the Departmental Working Group meeting held on 30/07/2026.

### ORDER

The Director of Fisheries, as per the letter read above, has furnished a proposal for the project 'Group Personal Accident Insurance Scheme for Allied Fish Workers' for an amount of Rs.2,74,83,246/- and has requested to accord Administrative sanction for the same. All Allied workers registered with Kerala Fishermen's Welfare Fund Board between the age of 18 to 60 are brought under the Group Personal Accident Insurance Coverage. The implementing agency of the project is Kerala Fishermen Welfare Fund Board.

#### 2) The objectives of the scheme are as follows :

- To provide social security to Allied Workers and their dependents.
- To cover the risk due to accident while engaged in work related to fisheries leading to death, permanent disability, partial disability etc.

#### 3) Cost Estimates

| Sl.No. | Particulars                                                           | Nos / Amount |
|--------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| 1.     | No. of Allied workers insured for 2025-2026                           | 71987        |
| 2.     | No. of new members for 2026-2027 1% member of last year (Anticipated) | 720          |
| 3.     | Total No. of Allied workers proposed to be                            | 72707        |

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|----|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|
|    | insured during 2026-27                                  |                          |
| 4. | Premium per head (Anticipated)                          | Rs. 360/-                |
| 5. | Amount required as premium 72707*360<br>(including GST) | Rs. 2,61,74,520/-        |
| 6. | Implementation cost @5%                                 | Rs. 13,08,726/-          |
|    | <b>Total amount required for the scheme</b>             | <b>Rs. 2,74,83,246/-</b> |

4) The Departmental Working Group meeting held on 30.07.2026 discussed the project in detail and decided to approve the project for an amount of Rs.1,18,00,000/-.

5) Considering the recommendation of the Departmental Working Group, Government are pleased to accord Administrative Sanction for the Project 'Group Personal Accident Insurance Scheme for Allied Fish Workers' for an amount of Rs.1,18,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Eighteen lakh). The expenditure should be met from the Head of Account 2405-00-121-96 (Plan) from the budgetary provision in the current financial year.

6) The Director of Fisheries shall submit a separate proposal for sanctioning of additional funds from the 50 Cr additionally allotted to Fisheries Dept.

7) The Director of Fisheries will take further necessary action in this matter.

(By order of the Governor)  
ABDUL NASAR B I A S  
SPECIAL SECRETARY

To:

The Director of Fisheries, Thiruvananthapuram

The Principal Accountant General (Audit)/(A&E) Kerala,  
Thiruvananthapuram

The Chief, Agriculture, State Planning Board, Thiruvananthapuram

Finance Department

The Planning and Economic Affairs Department

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