



## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

### Abstract

Fisheries Department - Trawl Ban 2023 - Free ration to the workers of mechanized boats, peeling workers and allied workers in the fishing sector during the trawl ban period 2023 - Administrative Sanction accorded - Orders issued.

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### FISHERIES AND PORT(B)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.471/2023/F&P Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 15-06-2023

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1 G.O. (P) No. 39/2023/F&PD dated 02/06/2023.

Read

2 Letter No. DFTVM/2086/2023-G2, dated 12/06/2023 from the Director of Fisheries, Thiruvananthapuram.

### ORDER

As per the Government order read as 1<sup>st</sup> paper above, Government have prohibited the use of bottom trawl in the sea along the entire coastline of the Kerala State for a period of 52 days with effect from the 10<sup>th</sup> of June 2023 to 31<sup>st</sup> of July 2023.

2) In order to support the workers of the mechanized boats and allied workers including peeling workers, the Director of Fisheries has submitted a proposal for providing free ration for 52 days, during the trawl ban period 2023 and has requested sanction for Rs.5 lakhs (Rupees Five lakhs only) from the Head of Account 2405-00-121-95 (NP), for implementation of the proposal.

3) Objectives of the proposal are as follows:

- a. To provide relief to the workers of mechanized boats and allied workers including peeling workers, who lose employment during the period of ban on bottom trawling.
- b. To relieve the fishermen from the exploitation of money lenders.
- c. To give nutritional support to the family of fishermen and allied fish workers.

4) Government have examined the proposal in detail and are pleased to accord Administrative Sanction for an amount of Rs. 5 lakhs (Rupees five lakhs

only) under the Head of Account 2405-00-121-95 (NP), for providing free ration to the workers of mechanised boats, peeling workers and allied workers in the fishing harbours during trawl ban period 2023.

(By order of the Governor)  
T S PRAVEEN KUMAR  
DEPUTY SECRETARY

To:

The Director of Fisheries, Thiruvananthapuram.

The District Collector, Thiruvananthapuram/Kollam/Alappuzha/  
Ernakulam/Thrissur/Malappuram/Kozhikode/Kannur/Kasargode.

The Chief Engineer, Harbour Engineering Department.

The Commissioner, Kerala Fishermen Welfare Fund Board,  
Poonkunnam P.O, Thrissur.

The Managing Director, Kerala State Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd.,  
Kochi.

The Managing Director, MATSYAFED, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala,  
Thiruvananthapuram.

The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Registrar, High Court of Kerala, Ernakulam.

The Secretary, Legislature Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram.

Finance Department

Revenue Department

Food & Civil Supplies Department

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