



**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

**Abstract**

Electronics & Information Technology Department - Entrusting the works related to Digital Government Advisory Board to the Kerala StartUp Mission- Orders issued

**ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (B) DEPARTMENT**  
**G.O.(Rt)No. 24/2018/ITD** Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 31/01/2018

Read: 1 GO(Rt)No.231/2017/ITD dated 03/10/2017

2 Letter No. KSUM/22/2018 dated 09/01/2018 from the Chief Executive Officer, Kerala Startup Mission.

**ORDER**

As envisaged in the State's Information Technology Policy-2017, Government have constituted the Digital Government Advisory Board, *vide* GO read above. The Board is supposed to act as the technical advisor to Government on the ways to deliver better digital services to citizens and corporates. It also meant to bring in expertise and knowledge of the futuristic trends and to liaison with elected and appointed leaders of the State to drive comprehensive and cohesive IT efforts in the state to bring all digital / IT related activities under a common governance.

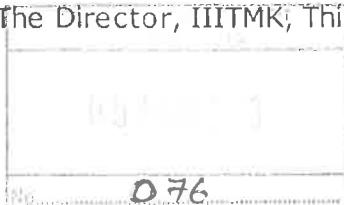
The first meeting of the Board conducted on 11-12-2017 and was organised by IIITMK. The major decisions taken in the meeting includes the Knowledge city initiative which is supposed to vitalize the startup ecosystem and will lead to the development of a large number of startup companies in the state. The Chief Executive Officer, Kerala Startup Mission *vide* letter read above, has proposed to co-ordinate the future meetings and work of the Digital Government Advisory Board and also to bear the expenditure in connection with the functioning of the Board.

As the initiatives suggested by the Digital Government Advisory Board are primarily beneficial to the Startups, Government are pleased to entrust Kerala Start Up Mission with the task of co-ordinating the future meetings as well as the works associated with the Digital Government Advisory Board.

By order of the Governor  
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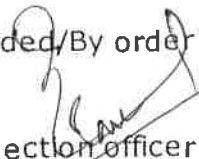
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