



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Industries Department - Entrepreneur Support Scheme (ESS)
Guidelines - Amended - Orders issued.

INDUSTRIES (B)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.1119/2023/ID Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 01-11-2023

- Read 1) GO (Ms) No.156/2012/ ID dated 28.12.2012
2) GO (Ms) No.103/2020/ ID dated 24.11.2020
3) GO (Ms) No.85/2021/ ID dated 02.08.2021
4) GO (Ms) No.118/2021/ ID dated 20.12.2021
5) Letter No.DIC/3493/2020- FC2 dated 06.04.2023 from the
Director of Industries and Commerce

ORDER

As per Order read as 1st above, Government accorded sanction for the Entrepreneur Support Scheme (ESS) and approved the Guidelines for the Scheme aiming to support the MSMEs in the state engaged in the manufacturing activities.

2) The Director of Industries and Commerce as per letter read above, has reported that the ESS State Level Committee in its meeting held on 17/01/2023 has recommended to include Polybutylene Adipate Terephthalate (PBAT) in the category of Biodegradable Plastic Industries mentioned in Serial No.7 of Annexure1 of the ESS Guidelines and furnished a proposal for amending the Guidelines of ESS accordingly.

3) Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to amend Serial No.7 of Annexure I (List of industries under priority sector) of the ESS Guidelines approved as per Government Order read as 1st above by adding Polybutylene Adipate Terephthalate (PBAT) in the list Bio-degradable Plastic Industries, as follows.

| ANNEXURE I | Existing | Amendment |
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| SL.No.7 | <u>BIODEGRADABLE PLASTIC INDUSTRIES</u> [Industries that manufacture plastics which will decompose in natural aerobic (composting) and anaerobic (landfill) environments] 1.Polyanhydrides 2.Polyvinyl alcohol 3. Polyhydroxy alkanates (PHAs) 4.Polylactic Acid (PLA) 5. Polybutylene succinate (PBS) 6. Polycaprolactone (PCL) | <u>BIODEGRADABLE PLASTIC INDUSTRIES</u> [Industries that manufacture plastics which will decompose in natural aerobic (composting) and anaerobic (landfill) environments] 1. Polyanhydrides 2. Polyvinyl alcohol 3. Polyhydroxy alkanates (PHAs) 4. Polylactic Acid (PLA) 5. Poly butylene succinate (PBS) 6. Polycaprolactone (PCL) 7. Polybutylene Adipate Terephthalate (PBAT) |

4) Government Order read as 1st above will stand modified to the above extent.

(By order of the Governor)
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 ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:

Director of Industries and Commerce, Thiruvananthapuram

Managing Director, KSIDC

Managing Director, KFC

The Chief Executive Officer, K- BIP

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

Finance Department (vide E 2528322/I & PW-A3/87/2023-Fin dated 19.09.2023)

Planning & Economic Affairs Department (PLGEA-A2/156/2023-

PLGEA (E-2489149) dated 21.07.2023)
Information and Public Relations (Web & New Media) Department
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