PROCEEDINGS OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SUCHITWA MISSION

PRESENT : (K.T.Balabhaskaran)

- Sub:- Waste to energy- Environmental assessment and social impact assessment studyregarding.
- *Read:* 1. Letter No. WM1/403/2022/LSGD dated 23.08.2022 from LSG(WM) Dept.
 2. Minutes of the meeting held on 25.07.2022 at Kochi to discuss the issues related to signing of Concessioner Agreement by Kochi Municipal Corporation with respect to Waste to Energy Plant at Brahmapuram.

No: 3115/C4/2013/SM

Dated: 06.11.2022

<u>ORDER</u>

As per the minutes of the meeting held on July 25, 2022, at Kochi to discuss the issues related to the signing of the Concessioner agreement by the Kochi Municipal Corporation with respect to the waste-to-energy plant at Brahmapuram, it is directed that Suchitwa Mission submit a report on the environmental assessment and social impact assessment done in similar waste-to-energy projects in the country, by checking up the details of existing waste-to-energy plants and plants under construction with concerned states and missions. And also, it is directed to report the details of land purchased and the amount paid by the municipalities and Grama panchayats to the corporation currently, the details of tipping fees proposed or agreed upon for such projects, and the land cost at Brahmapuram, including details of fund cuts from the corporation's plan fund. Based on these, Suchitwa Mission is directed to do an assessment regarding the costs for waste management and the current returns from waste management, as well as projects to the corporation and a clear cost benefit analysis comparing the present scenario of the Waste to Energy project outflows and benefits.

In this circumstance, considering the expertise and experience of Dr. Nagarajan Naidu (state level resource person, Suchitwa Mission) in conducting such socio-economic impact studies, orders are hereby issued to constitute a two-member committee in this regard for preparing a report with Dr. Nagarajan Naidu (state level resource person, Suchitwa Mission) and Renju. R. Pillai (senior consultant (design), Suchitwa Mission) as members. The honorarium and travel allowances of Sri. Nagarajan Naidu are as laid down in the proceedings no. 2172/A/2022/SM dtd. August 21, 2022. The committee shall submit the report at the latest by 30/11/2022.

Sd/-K T Balabhaskaran * Executive Director

* This is a computer system (Digital File) generated letter. Hence there is no need for a physical signature.