

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM
PRESENT
THE HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR. NITIN JAMDAR
&
THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C. JAYACHANDRAN**

**Thursday, the 30th day of October 2025 / 8th Karthika, 1947
WP(C) NO. 29179 OF 2025(V)**

PETITIONER:

**SUO MOTU PROCEEDINGS INITIATED BY THE HIGH COURT HIGH COURT OF
KERALA MARINE DRIVE ERNAKULAM, PIN - 682031**

RESPONDENTS:

- 1. STATE OF KERALA REPRESENTED BY ITS CHIEF SECRETARY GOVERNMENT
SECRETARIAT, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695001**
- 2. THE ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY HOME(C) DEPARTMENT, GOVERNMENT
SECRETARIAT, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, PIN - 695001**
- 3. UNION OF INDIA REPRESENTED BY THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT MINISTRY OF
FINANCE, DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, NORTH BLOCK, NEW DELHI, PIN - 110001**

This Suo Motu Writ petition (Civil) having come up for orders on 30.10.2025 upon perusing this court's orders dated 25.09.2025 and upon hearing the arguments SRI. V. TEKCHAND, SENIOR GOVERNMENT PLEADER, SRI. N. MANOJ KUMAR, STATE ATTORNEY AND PUBLIC PROSECUTOR for R1 and R2, SRI. T. V. VINU, THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT COUNSEL and the DEPUTY SOLICITOR GENRAL OF INDIA for R3, and of SRI. HARIKUMAR G., AMICUS CURIAE, the court passed the following:

NITIN JAMDAR, C. J. & C. JAYACHANDRAN, J.

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Dated this the 30th day of October, 2025

ORDER

Heard Mr. N. Manoj Kumar, learned State Attorney and Mr. T. V. Vinu, learned Central Government Counsel.

2. Learned State Attorney submits that, considering the financial implications involved, some further time may be granted to obtain instructions and convey the response of the State Government.

3. Mr. Hari Kumar G. is appointed as *Amicus Curiae* to assist the Court. The Registry shall furnish the necessary papers to the learned *Amicus Curiae* before the next date.

4. Post on 4 December 2025.

Sd/-
NITIN JAMDAR
CHIEF JUSTICE

Sd/-
C. JAYACHANDRAN
JUDGE

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