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NOTIFICATION

G.O.(P) No.75/2025/HOME Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, <u>18th June 2025</u> S. R. O. No. 688/2025 <u>4th Mithunam 1200</u> 28th Jyaishta 1947

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-clauses (i) and (ii) of clause (a) of sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Kerala Essential Services Maintenance Act, 1994 (6 of 1994), the Government of Kerala hereby declare the services



connected with the Biomedical Waste Management to be essential service for the purposes of the said Act.

By order of the Governor, BISHWANATH SINHA Additional Chief Secretary to Government

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the Notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

The Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016 issued by the Central Government categorically states under Rule 8 [Sub-rule 7] that "Untreated human anatomical waste, animal anatomical waste, soiled waste and biotechnology waste shall not be stored beyond a period of forty eight hours".

As per sub-clauses (i) and (ii) of clause (a) of sub-section(1) section 2 of the Kerala Essential Services Maintenance Act, 1994, the Government is empowered to declare any service as specified in sub-clause (i) and (ii) of clause (a) as Essential Service.

Hence, the Government have decided to declare that the Biomedical Waste Management Services as an essential service under the Kerala Essential Services Maintenance Act, 1994 (6 of 1994).

This notification is intended to achieve the above object.

