

**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA****Abstract**

General Administration Department – Complete and total Lockdown of the Coastline areas of Thiruvananthapuram District in order to reduce the spread Covid-19 – Posting of Incident Commanders -- Orders issued

**GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC) DEPARTMENT****G.O (Rt) No. /2020/GAD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, -07-2020**

Read:- D.O letter No. T5/40634/2020/PHQ, dated 17.07.2020 of the State Police Chief, Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram forwarding COB message No.T5/40634/2020/PHQ dated 17.07.2020

**ORDER**

Considering the drastic spread of Covid -19 in the coastal areas of Thiruvananthapuram District, it is deemed necessary that the coastal belt needs to be completely locked down in order to reduce the pace of spread of the disease to the rest of the district.

The following six IAS Officers are posted as Incident Commanders (IC) under the Disaster Management Act, 2005 in two shifts for the effective implementation of complete Lockdown in the three Zones of coastal areas in Thiruvananthapuram district effective from 12 mid night of 18/07/2020 till 28/07/2020 mid-night.

<b>SI No.</b>	<b>Zone</b>	<b>Name of the Officer</b>
1.	Zone I - Anchuthengu to Perumathura	Shri. Harikishore IAS Shri. U. V. Jose IAS

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2.	Zone II -- Perumathura to Vizhinjam	Shri. M. G. Rajamanickam IAS Shri. Balakiran IAS
3	Zone III – Vizhinjam to Pozhiyoor	Shri. Venkateshapathy IAS Shri. Biju Prabhakar IAS

Smt. Srividya IAS and Dr. Divya S. Iyer IAS are posted as standby officers in emergency situations.

The Incident Commanders will be the final authority in determining the management strategy. The incident commanders posted will regularly co-ordinate with the District Magistrate, Commissioner of Police and the police officers posted as Additional Special Officers (as mentioned in the COB message read above) and other stakeholder departments. They are empowered to source their IC team from their own office and from the local District Administration within a day.

Specific delegation of powers and the delineation of the three zones will be determined and issued by the District Disaster Management Authority, Thiruvananthapuram.

By order of the Governor

**Dr. Vishwas Mehta**

**Chief Secretary**

To

The Principal Secretary, Revenue and Disaster Management.

The State Police Chief, Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram

District Collector, Thiruvananthapuram

The Officers concerned

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