



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

Industries Department - Ease of Doing Business (EoDB) - Business Reform Action Plan 2020- Investment Enablers - Access to information and transparency - Publishing of draft business regulations inviting public comments and feedback - Orders - Issued.

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**INDUSTRIES (J) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.(Rt)No.1046/2020/ID

Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 03/12/2020 ,

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**ORDER**

Government of Kerala, as part of implementing the Business Reform Action Plan (BRAP) 2020 released by Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion (DIPP) under Ease of Doing Business, is pleased to mandate that all Administrative Secretaries of Department/Authorities of Government of Kerala shall adopt the following with regard to the enactment of new Acts/Rules/Notifications relating to Industrial and Commercial Establishments.

- i. Draft of proposed regulations (Acts/Rules/Notifications) shall be published on the Department website inviting public comments/feedback clearly specifying the following:
  - a. Legal Basis (Does it have a basis in law/act/policy)
  - b. Necessity (Does the license help government achieve its objectives)
  - c. Business-friendly (Does it impose minimum burden on businesses to achieve the government's objectives)
- ii. The period of online display of draft regulation (Acts/Rules/Notifications) for inviting public comments/ feedback prior to enactment should at least be 15 days.
- iii. All the public comments/feedback obtained shall be compiled and made available online on Department portal.
- iv. The methodology adopted for incorporating the public comments/feedback before finalization of enactment shall be made available online on Department portal.
- v. After incorporating the public comments/feedback the draft business regulation shall be forwarded to Law Department for legal vetting.

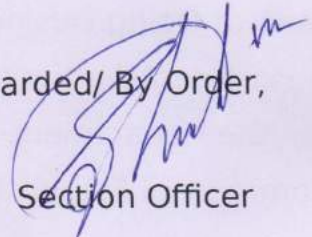
vi. Post the enactment, all new regulations and newly imposed licenses and related orders shall be included/published in Invest Kerala Portal (Know Your Approvals Investment Wizard) <https://invest.kerala.gov.in> within 15 days from the date of issue of this order.

**(By Order of the Governor)**  
**DR. VISHWAS MEHTA**  
**CHIEF SECRETARY**

To

All Additional Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries/Secretaries  
The Managing Director, Kerala State Industrial Development Corporation, Keston Road, Kowdiar, Thiruvananthapuram  
The Director of Industries & Commerce, Vikas Bhavan, Thiruvananthapuram  
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