Minutes of the 5th SLEC meeting held in the Chief Secretary’s Committee Room on 24.01.2017, 5 PM

(List of Participants attached)

The meeting commenced at 5.00 PM with the Chief Secretary on chair. He informed that there are 3 agenda items to be discussed and decided, which were read out before the committee. After detailed discussions, the following decisions were taken.

1) The Additional Chief Secretary (Power) had submitted a note regarding tree planting under the Haritha Keralam Mission. It is requested to issue strict directions not to plant trees on the side of the road with electric lines. Such planting should be done only on the other side of roads which is clear. The committee decided that this will be included in the general guidelines to be issued under Haritha Keralam Mission.

2) Hon’be MP, Shri. N.K. Premachandran had given 17 suggestions regarding the implementation of Haritha Keralam Mission in the State. All these suggestions were already been taken into consideration and those suggestions which are found to be feasible will be implemented in due course.

3) As per the decision No. 20 of the 4th SLEC meeting held on 09/12/2016, in order to strengthen the Chief Minister’s Mission Monitoring Team, it was decided to deploy officials on working arrangement / engage retired officers. Accordingly, the Secretary to Government (IT Department) and OSD to Chief Minister’s office have submitted a list of officers with big data to position them in the Mission Monitoring Team headed by Development Advisor to the Chief Minister. The following are the officers suggested for consideration by the committee.

i) Dr Benoy S Babu, Junior Administrative Medical Officer, Public Health, DHS
ii) Smt. P. Veeria, HSST, Senior HG (English), Govt HSS, Kuttampuzha, Ernakulam

iii) Smt. Ressy George, Technical Officer, ANERT

iv) Shri. Sunil V.M, Executive Engineer (Rtd), Kerala Water Resources Department

v) Dr Madhusudhanan.C, Head, Quality Control & Assessment, ASAP, Higher Education Department, Government of Kerala.

In the G.O(P) No. 41/2016/Plg dated 28/09/2016, it was ordered that a professional support system consisting of 100 persons (serving / retired officials on working arrangement / contract basis, young professionals) be put in place in all the districts and at the State level. In each district, 6 persons can be taken and 16 persons can be taken at the State level for the purpose. Among the 16 persons to be selected, the SLEC considered the above 5 officials (4 serving and one retired) for positioning in the Mission Monitoring Team. The Committee has agreed to take the four serving officials on working arrangement basis provided that the concerned Department should approve their posting. As regards, the retired officer, he may be engaged on contract basis. The file may be sent to the Finance Minister and the Chief Minister for concurrence.

4) It was also decided to authorise District Collectors to invite applications from serving / retired officers to be positioned in District Level Missions and prepare a short list not exceeding 5 persons in order of priority, so that 3 from this list can be positioned at the earliest.

The meeting came to a close at 6 PM.

Chief Secretary