



**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

**Abstract**

Transport Department –Kochi Metro Rail Project-Unified Metropolitan Transport Authority (UMTA) for Kochi -Constituted -Orders Issued.

**TRANSPORT (C) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.(MS) No.68/2013/Trans

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram 24.06.2013

- Read:- 1. Letters No K-14011/37/2005-MRTS-IV dated 12.07.2012 and 18.07.2012 from Shri. Rachna Kumar, Under Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Urban Development, Metro Rail Cell, New Delhi
- 2 Letter No KMRL/PRJ/UMTA/2013 dated 12.06.2013 from the Managing Director, Kochi Metro Rail Ltd

**ORDER**

As per the letters read as 1<sup>st</sup> paper above the Government of India, Ministry of Urban Development conveyed the approval of the Government of India for the implementation of the Kochi Metro Rail Project subject to certain conditions. The integration of public transport systems and the introduction of a common ticketing system are preconditions stipulated by the Government of India while sanctioning the Kochi Metro Rail Project.

2.Unified Transport System for Kochi with common 'command and control' systems for transport planning and scheduled operations and for integrating various transportation modes like the waterways, private buses , KSRTC, auto rikshaws , metro rail etc. is an urgent necessity and the integrated system should be in place when the Metro Rail is commissioned. To achieve the goal MD, Kochi Metro Rail Ltd has recommended to set up a Unified Metropolitan Transport Authority (UMTA) Committee for Kochi with the following composition

- 1.Managing Director, Kochi Metro Rail Ltd- Chairman
- 2.District Collector-Member Secretary
- 3.Commissioner of Police, Ernakulam- Member
- 4.Superintendent of Police (Rural), Ernakulam- Member
- 5.Managing Director, Kerala State Road Transport Corporation or his nominee-Member



- 6.Secretary, Kochi Municipal Corporation-Member
- 7.Secretary, GCDA- Member
- 8.Area Manager, Southern Railway, Ernakulam-Member
- 9.Secretary, Aluva Municipality-Member
- 10.Secretary, Thrikakara Municipality-Member
- 11.Secretary, Tripunithura Municipality-Member
- 12.Secretary, Kalamassery Municipality-Member
- 13.Secretary, Choornikara Panchayath-Member
- 14.Regional Transport Officer, Ernakulam -Member
- 15.District Transport Officer, Ernakulam-Member
- 16.Director, State Water Transport Department-Member
- 17.Director, National Transportation Planning and Research Centre (NATPAC)-Member

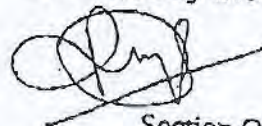
3. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to constitute a Unified Metropolitan Transport Authority (UMTA) for Kochi with the MD, Kochi Metro Rail Ltd as Chairman and other Member as detailed in prepara to introduce a Unified Transport System for Kochi with common 'command and control' systems for transport planning and scheduled operations and for integrating various transportation modes like the waterways, private buses , KSRTC, auto rikshaws , metro rail etc.

By Order of the Governor  
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JOINT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The District Collector, Ernakulam.  
UMTA Committee Members  
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