

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

IAS – TRANSFER AND POSTING OF IAS OFFICERS - ORDERS ISSUED.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (AIS A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.2847/2026/GAD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 08-06-2026

Read 1 G.O(P) No. 546/80/GAD dated 01.12.1980

2 G.O(Rt) No.2821/2026/GAD dated 06.06.2026.

3 G.O(Rt) No.2822/2026/GAD dated 06.06.2026.

ORDER

1. An ex-cadre post of Commissioner, Land Revenue is created for a period of one year in the Selection Grade of IAS in Level 13 in the Pay Matrix Table (Pay Range ₹123100 - 215900/-). The post of Commissioner, Land Revenue is declared equivalent in status and responsibility to the cadre post of Special Secretary to Government in the Selection Grade of IAS under Rule 12 of IAS (Pay) Rules, 2016.
2. An ex-cadre post of Principal Director, Local Self Government Department is created for a period of one year in the Junior Administrative Grade of IAS in Level 12 in the Pay Matrix Table (Pay Range ₹78800 - 209200/-). The post of Principal Director, Local Self Government Department is declared equivalent in status and responsibility to the cadre post of Additional Secretary to Government in the Selection Grade of IAS under Rule 12 of IAS (Pay) Rules, 2016.
3. Shri. Bishwanath Sinha IAS (KL 1992), Additional Chief Secretary, Home and Vigilance Department, will hold full additional charges of the Coir Development Department and Housing Department, in addition to his existing additional charge of the Water Resources Department. The officer stands relieved of the charge of Additional Chief Secretary, Coastal Shipping

and Inland Navigation Department.

4. Shri. K.R. Jyothilal IAS (KL 1993), Additional Chief Secretary, Finance Department, will hold the full additional charge of the Planning and Economic Affairs Department and Member Secretary, Kerala State Planning Board. The officer will continue to hold the additional charges of the Taxes Department, Rebuild Kerala Initiative and Public Procurement Advisory Department.
5. Shri. Puneet Kumar IAS (KL 1993), Resident Commissioner, Kerala House, New Delhi, shall be relieved of all other charges.
6. Dr. Rajan N. Khobragade IAS (KL 1993), Additional Chief Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department, stands relieved of the charges of Additional Chief Secretary, Cultural Affairs (Archaeology, Archives and Museums) Department, Personnel and Administrative Reforms Department, and Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Official Language) Department. The officer will continue to hold the additional charge of Additional Chief Secretary, AYUSH Department.
7. Shri. Minhaj Alam IAS (KL 1966), Chairman and Managing Director, Kerala State Electricity Board Ltd., is transferred and posted as Additional Chief Secretary, Agriculture Department and Agriculture Production Commissioner. The officer will hold the additional charges of Additional Chief Secretary, Sports, Youth Affairs, Zoos, Museum, Archaeology and Archives Departments. The officer stand relieved of the charges of the Forests and Wildlife Department, Animal Husbandry Department, Dairy Development Department and Museum (Zoo) Department.
8. Dr. Raju Narayanaswamy IAS (KL 1991), Principal Secretary, Parliamentary Affairs Department is transferred and posted as Principal Secretary, Sainik Welfare Department.
9. Dr. Sharmila Mary Joseph IAS (KL 1997), Principal Secretary, Woman and Child Development Department is transferred and posted as Principal Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department. The officer will hold the full additional charges of Food & Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department. The officer stands relieved of all other charges.
10. Smt. Tinku Biswal IAS (KL 1997), Principal Secretary, Local Self Government Department stands relieved of the charge of the Agriculture Department. The officer will continue to hold additional charge of Director General, Institute of Management

in Government.

11. On reinstatement into service, Dr.B. Ashok IAS (KL 1998) is posted as Principal Secretary, Higher Education Department.
12. Dr. Rathan U. Kelkar IAS (KL 2003), Secretary to Chief Minister, will hold full additional charges of Secretary, Coastal Shipping and Inland Navigation Department, Information and Public Relations Department and Department for the Welfare of the Elderly, in addition to his existing additional charge.
13. Shri Biju K IAS (KL 2006), Secretary, Public Works Department, is transferred and posted as Secretary, Forests and Wildlife Department. The officer will hold full additional charges of Skill Development Department and Cashew Department, in addition to his existing additional charges of the General Administration Department and Tourism Department.
14. On reinstatement into service, Shri.N.Prashanth IAS (KL 2007) is posted as Special Secretary, Sports Department. The officer will hold full additional charge of Special Secretary, Youth Affairs, Zoos, Museum, Archaeology and Archives Departments.
15. The service of M.G. Rajamanickam IAS (KL 2008), Secretary, Revenue and Disaster Management Department, is placed at the disposal of Power Department for being appointed as Chairman & Managing Director, Kerala State Electricity Board Limited. The post of Chairman & Managing Director, Kerala State Electricity Board Limited is declared equivalent in status and responsibilities to the cadre post of Secretary to Government in the Super Time Scale of IAS in Level 14 in the Pay Matrix Table (Pay Range ₹144200 - 218200-) as per Rule 12 of IAS (Pay) Rules, 2016. The deputation will be governed by the terms and conditions prescribed in the Government Order read above. The officer will hold the additional charges of Secretary, Power, Environment and Parliamentary Affairs Departments. The officer stands relieved of the charges of Secretary, Revenue Department, Disaster Management Department, Food and Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department. The officer will continue to hold his charges in the Devaswom Department.
16. Smt. T.V. Anupama IAS (KL 2010), Secretary, Local Self Government Department, is transferred and posted as Secretary, Transport Department. The officer will hold the full additional charge of Airports; Metro Rail; Personnel and Administrative Reforms and Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Official

Language) Departments in addition to her existing additional charges of Scheduled Castes & Scheduled Tribes Development and Backward Classes Development Department. The officer stands relieved from the charge of Secretary, Local Self Government Department.

17. Shri.Jeevan Babu K IAS (KL 2011), Commissioner, Land Revenue is transferred and posted as Special Secretary, Revenue and Disaster Management Department. The officer stands relieved of all his other charges.
18. Shri Suhas S IAS (KL 2012), Managing Director, Roads and Bridges Development Corporation of Kerala and Special Officer for Wayanad Township, is transferred and posted as Special Secretary, Water Resources Department. He shall continue to hold his other additional charge.
19. Shri Seeram Sambasiva Rao IAS (KL 2012), Excise Commissioner, stands relieved of the charges of Special Secretary, Environment Department and Director, Survey and Land Records Department. The officer will continue to hold additional charge of the Electronics and Information Technology Department.
20. Dr. Adeela Abdulla IAS (KL 2012), Special Secretary, Social Justice Department is transferred and posted as Special Secretary, Public Works Department.
21. Shri Shanavas S IAS (KL 2012), Special Secretary, Labour and Skills Department is transferred and posted as Special Secretary, Local Self Government Department. The officer will hold the full additional charges of Managing Director, Roads and Bridges Development Corporation of Kerala Ltd., and Special Officer, Capital Region Development Project (CRDP). The officer will also hold full additional charge of Chairperson, Social Audit Society Kerala.
22. Shri Abdul Nasar B IAS (KL 2012) Special Secretary, Fisheries Department will hold full additional charge of Harbour Engineering Department and Social Justice Department.
23. Dr. D. Sajith Babu IAS (KL 2012), Registrar of Co-operative Societies is transferred and posted as Special Secretary, General Education Department. The officer will hold full additional charge of Special Secretary, Minority Welfare Department. The officer stand relieved of the charge of State Mission Director, National AYUSH Mission.

24. Shri Gopalakrishnan K IAS (KL 2013), Managing Director, Vyttila Mobility Hub Society is transferred and posted as Director, Environment and Climate change. The officer will hold the full additional charges of Director, ANERT and Managing Director, Kerala State Co-operative Agriculture and Rural Development Bank.
25. Shri T.V. Subhash IAS (KL 2013), Special Secretary, Information and Public Relations Department is transferred and posted as Special Secretary, Agriculture Department. The officer stands relieved of the charge of Managing Director, Kerala State Co-operative Agriculture and Rural Development Bank.
26. Smt. Anjana M IAS (KL 2013), Director of Tourism, will hold full additional charges of Special Secretary, Culture, NORKA and Science and Technology Departments. The officer stands relieved of her other charges.
27. Smt. Sheeba George IAS (KL 2013), Special Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department is transferred and posted as Special Secretary, Woman and Child Development with full additional charges of Labour Department and Dairy Development and Animal Husbandry Department.
28. Shri H. Dineshan IAS (KL 2013), Executive Director, Kudumbashree, is transferred and posted as Commissioner, Land Revenue against the ex-cadre post created above. The officer will hold the full additional charge of Commissioner of Disaster Management.
29. Smt. Divya S. Iyer IAS (KL 2014), Project Director, Kerala Solid Waste Management Project is transferred and posted as Principal Director, Local Self Government Department against the ex-cadre post created above. The officer will hold the full additional charges of Project Director, Kerala Solid Waste Management Project and State Mission Director, National AYUSH Mission. The officer stands relieved of the charges of Managing Director, Vizhinjam International Seaport Limited and Director, Cultural Affairs Department.
30. Smt. Afsana Perween IAS (KL 2014), Commissioner of Food Safety is transferred and posted as Director, Collegiate Education. The officer will hold the full additional charge of Controller of Entrance Examinations.
31. Shri Geromic George IAS (KL 2015), Principal Director, Local Self Government Department is transferred and posted as

Additional Secretary and Officer on Special Duty, Finance (Expenditure) Department. The officer will hold the full additional charge of Managing Director, Vizhinjam International Seaport Limited and Chief Executive Officer, Kerala Maritime Board.

32. Smt.Vigneshwari.V IAS (KL 2015), Director, Women and Child Development Department will hold the full additional charge of Executive Director, Kudumbashree.
33. On return from study leave, Dr. Renu Raj IAS (KL 2015) is posted as Additional Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department with additional charges of Director, Kerala Medical Services Corporation Ltd, Director, Director, Kerala Health Research and Welfare Society and Executive Director, State Health Systems Resource Centre.
34. Shri Shibu A IAS (KL 2015), Additional Secretary, Public Works Department is transferred and posted as Additional Secretary, Revenue Department.
35. Shri Devidas N IAS (KL 2015), Director, Kerala Institute of Local Administration will hold the full additional charge of Director, Minority Welfare Department.
36. Shri Vinod V.R IAS (KL 2015), Joint Commissioner, Land Revenue is transferred and posted as Additional Secretary, Public Works Department.
37. Shri Asif K. Yusuf IAS (KL 2016), Director General of Education is transferred and posted as Director, NORKA. The officer will hold the full additional charge of Chief Executive Officer, NORKA Roots, in addition to his existing additional charges.
38. Shri Snehil Kumar Singh IAS (KL 2016), Director, Collegiate Education is transferred and posted as Director of General Education. The officer will hold the full additional charge of Chief Executive Officer, Education Rejuvenation Mission.
39. Shri Prem Krishnan S IAS (KL 2017), Joint Secretary and Officer on Special Duty, Health and Family Welfare Department is transferred and posted as Registrar, Co-operative Societies. The officer will hold the additional charge of Director, Cultural Affairs Department.
40. Smt. Sreedhanya Suresh IAS (KL 2019), Additional Director (General), Tourism is transferred and posted as Commissioner, Food Safety. The officer will hold the full additional charges of

Additional Director (General), Tourism and Director, Samoohika Sannadha Sena and Kerala Youth Leadership Academy.

41. Shri Rahul Krishna Sharma IAS (KL 2019), Joint Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department is transferred and posted as Special Commissioner, GST. The officer stands relieved of all other charges.
42. Shri Mohammed Shafiq IAS (KL 2020), Deputy Secretary and Director, Programme Implementation, Evaluation and Monitoring Department is transferred and posted as Additional Commissioner, GST. The officer will continue to hold full additional charge of Deputy Secretary and Director, Programme Implementation, Evaluation and Monitoring Department.
43. Smt. Safna Nazarudeen IAS (KL 2020), Labour Commissioner will hold the full additional charge of Joint commissioner, Land Revenue.
44. The service of Shri Anu S. Nair IAS (KL 2020), Deputy Secretary, Revenue Department is placed at the disposal of Health and Family Welfare Department for being appointed as State Mission Director, National Health Mission. The post of State Mission Director, National Health Mission is declared equivalent in status and responsibilities to the cadre post of Deputy Secretary to Government in the Senior Time Scale of IAS in Level 11 in the Pay Matrix Table (Pay Range ₹67700 - 208700/-) as per Rule 12 of IAS (Pay) Rules, 2016. The deputation will be governed by the terms and conditions prescribed in the Government Order read above. The officer shall hold additional charges of State Mission Director, National Ayush Mission, Project Director, e-Health and Executive Director, State Health Agency.
45. Dr. Arun J.O IAS (KL 2020), Chief Operating Officer, Township Project, Wayanad, is transferred and posted as Director, Survey and Land Records Department. The officer will hold the full additional charges of Special Officer, Wayanad Township Project and Director, State Water Transport Department.
46. Shri Sabin Sameed IAS (KL 2020), Secretary, Land Board will hold the full additional charges of Director, Information and Public Relations Department and Director, Institute of Land and Disaster Management, Thiruvananthapuram.
47. Shri Misal Sagar Bharat IAS (KL 2021), Deputy Secretary and Officer on Special Duty, Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and

Backward Classes Development Department is transferred and posted as Project Director, Kerala State Transport Project. The officer will hold the full additional charge of Managing Director, Vyttila Mobility Hub Society and Managing Director, Kerala State Construction Corporation Ltd. The officer stands relieved of the charge of Director, Backward Classes Development Department.

48. Shri Harshil R. Meena IAS (KL 2021), Chief Executive Officer, ANERT, is transferred and posted as Managing Director, Kerala Tourism Development Corporation. The officer will hold the full additional charge of Chief Executive Officer, Smart City Thiruvananthapuram.
49. Shri Ranjith D IAS (KL 2021), Mission Director, Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme, will hold the full additional charge of Director, Backward Classes Development Department.

(By order of the Governor)
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ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To

1. Shri. Bishwanath Sinha IAS, Additional Chief Secretary, Home and Vigilance Department
2. Shri. K.R. Jyothish IAS, Additional Chief Secretary, Finance Department
3. Shri. Puneet Kumar IAS, Resident Commissioner, Kerala House, New Delhi
4. Dr. Rajan N. Khobragade IAS, Additional Chief Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department
5. Shri. Minhaj Alam IAS, Chairman and Managing Director, Kerala State Electricity Board Ltd
6. Dr. Raju Narayanaswamy IAS, Principal Secretary, Parliamentary Affairs Department
7. Dr. Sharmila Mary Joseph IAS, Principal Secretary, Woman and Child Development Department

8. Smt. Tinku Biswal IAS, Principal Secretary, Local Self Government Department
9. Dr.B. Ashok IAS
10. Dr. Rathan U. Kelkar IAS , Secretary to Chief Minister
11. Shri Biju K IAS, Secretary, Public Works Department
Shri.N.Prashanth IAS
12. Shri. M.G. Rajamanickam IAS, Secretary, Revenue and Disaster Management Department
13. Smt. T.V. Anupama IAS, Secretary, Local Self Government Department
14. Shri.Jeevan Babu K IAS, Commissioner, Land Revenue
15. Shri Suhas S IAS, Managing Director, Roads and Bridges Development Corporation of Kerala
16. Shri Seeram Sambasiva Rao IAS, Excise Commissioner
17. Dr. Adeela Abdulla IAS, Special Secretary, Social Justice Department
18. Shri Shanavas S IAS, Special Secretary, Labour and Skills Department
19. Shri Abdul Nasar B IAS Special Secretary, Fisheries Department
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24. Smt. Sheeba George IAS, Special Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department
25. Shri H. Dineshan IAS, Executive Director, Kudumbashree
26. Smt. Divya S. Iyer IAS, Project Director, Kerala Solid Waste

Management Project

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