Minutes of the 28th Meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20-01-2016 in the Chamber of the Hon'ble Minister for Transport & Forest, Govt.of Kerala

The meeting commenced at 12:15 PM and was chaired by the Hon'ble Minister for Transport & Forest, who is the Chairman of Kerala Road Safety Authority. The Road Safety Commissioner Shri. Tomin J Thachankary IPS welcomed all the Members and Officials.

List of participants:

No.	Name	Designation
1.	Shri.Thiruvanchoor Radhakrishnan	Minister for Transport & Forest
2.	Shri. Tomin J Thachankary, IPS	Road Safety Commissioner
3.	Shri.Manoj Abraham, IPS	I.G.Police (Traffic)
4.	Dr. R. Remesh	Director of Health Services
5.	Dr. B.G. Sreedevi	Director NATPAC
6.	Shri. K.P. Prabhakaran	Chief Engineer, PWD (NH)
7.	Shri. K.C. Vijayakumar	Spl. Secretary, LSGD
8.	Shri. K.S. Madhusoodanan	Addl. Secretary, Law Dept.
9.	Shri. K. Sudarsana	Addl. Secretary, H&FW Dept.
10.	Shri. S.Gopan	Joint Secretary, Home Department
11.	Shri. Mathew P. Koshy	Joint Secretary, Finance Department
12.	Shri. S. Sarat Chandran	Dy. Secretary, Gen. Edu. Department.
13.	Shri. M.N. Jeevaraj	Dy. Chief Engineer PWD (R&B)
14.	Shri. N.T. Anil	Exe.Eng, Road Safety Cell PWD (R&B)
15.	Shri. P. Sainuddin	Joint Transport Commissioner

Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting

The minutes of the 27th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority was approved.

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The Action Taken Report on the decisions taken in the 26th Meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority was approved.

Agenda Item: 3

Ref: A2/32/KRSA/2015

Motor Vehicles Department – 2015-16 Budget Estimate

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount of Rs. 4.30 crore to Motor Vehicles Department as the Budget Provision for the year 2015-16 for conducting the following Road Safety programmes.

1	Officers Initial Preparatory Training	Rs. 5 lakhs
2.	Driving School Instructors' Training	10 Lakhs
3.	Pre Drivers' test Training.	200 Lakhs
4.	Drivers' training	50 Lakhs
5.	Teachers' training	5 Lakhs
6.	Students' training	10 Lakhs
7.	Advertisement	50 Lakhs
8.	Printing Materials	100 Lakhs

Ref: A2/48/KRSA/2015

Police Department- Budget Estimate -2015-16

Out of the Budget proposal for an amount of Rs. 44.18crore submitted by the Police Department, the Kerala Road Safety Authority meeting held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount of Rs. 20 Crore for purchasing the following Road Safety items and Rs. 5 Crore for Traffic Training Institute in Kerala Police Academy.

- 1. Purchase of 500 Speed Guns
- 2. Purchase of 200 Breath Analysers
- 3. Purchase of 80 E- Flare Lights
- 4. Purchase of 40 Retro Reflective Jackets
- 5. Purchase of 60 Traffic Cones
- 6. Purchase of 70 Illuminating Traffic Battons
- 7. Automated Traffic Management System with ANPR System in Kochi City (Rs. 10crore).
- 8. Traffic Training Institute in Kerala Police Academy (Rs.5crore)

Thus, a total sum of **Rs.25 Crore** is sanctioned to Police Department being the Budget Provision for the year 2015-16

Ref: A2/74/KRSA/2015

PWD (Roads & Bridges)

Budget Estimate - 2015-16

Out of the Budget proposal for an amount of Rs. 104.75 Crore submitted by the Public Works Department (Road and Bridges), the Kerala Road Safety Authority meeting held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount of **Rs. 22.5 crore** to the Public Works Department (R&B) for treating Black Spots during the year 2015-2016.

Agenda Item: 6

Ref: A2/439/KRSA/2015

NATPAC - 2015-16 Budget Estimate

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount of **1.87 Crore** to NATPAC towards the Budget Proposal for the year 2015-16 for implementing the following 12 proposals during 2015-2016.

Sl.No	Title of the Research project/Programmes	Estimated cost	
1	Safe community Programme at Panchayat Level	14,00,000/-	

	3	Road Safety Youth Leadership Programme	14,00,000/-	
	4	Accident Surveys and Analysis	13,00,000/-	
	5	Study on Driving Behavior of Public Transport Vehicles	12,00,000/-	
The second secon	6	Impact of Road Safety Initiatives in Kerla – A case study of Selected stretches in Southern Kerla		
The second second second second second	7	Trauma Care Training – A Pilot Study	16,00,000/-	
The second secon	8	Accident Reconstruction Studies of Selected Fatal Accidents	19,00,000/-	
	9	Safe Use of Private Agency Vehicles Carrying School Children – A Pilot Study	20,00,000/-	
The second secon	10	Study on Driving Behavioral Characteristics of Goods Vehicle Drivers	20,00,000/-	
The state of the s	11	Road Safety Workshop, Seminars and Training Programmes for Drivers, Public, Traffic, Police, Driver Training Colleges	17,00,000/-	
		etc.		

	Grand Total	9 4 9	1,87,00,000/-
	Sub total	29,00,000	
	etc.	1,00,000	
	etc d) Display Boards, Banners	4,00,000	
	c) Sticker, badges, calendars,	4,00,000	
	Books & leaf lets		29,00,000/-
	b) Road Safety Education	10,00,000	20.00.000/
	etc		
12	Advertisement/Social network		
12	Media/Radio		

Ref: A2/268/KRSA/2015

Pathanamthitta DRSC -

Budget Estimate for 2015-16

Out of the Budget proposal for an amount of Rs 2,15,17,000/- submitted by the DRSC Pathanamthitta, the Kerala Road Safety Authority meeting held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount of **Rs.2,70,000/-** to the Chairman, District Road Safety Council, Pathanamthitta towards the working fund for the year

Ref: A2/678/KRSA/2015

Alappuzha DRSC- Budget Estimate for 2015-16

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount of **amount of Rs. 6 lakh** to the District Collector Alappuzha for the purchase of following road safety equipments.

1	Alco meters instead of breath Analyzers	8 Nos.
2	Digital Handy Cams,	8 Nos.
3.	Reflective Jackets	40Nos.,
4.	Baton Lights	25,Nos.
5	Led Torch Lights	12 Nos

Agenda Item: 9

Ref: A2/195/KRSA/2015

Alappuzha DRSC -Installation of Signal Lights in Various junctions in the District.

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount **Rs.53,26,898/-** to DRSC Alappuzha for erecting traffic signal system at the following junctions in Alappuzha.

- 1. Ambalappuzha Junction for Rs. 11,24,248/-
- 2. Kalarcode Junction for Rs. 10,38,976/-
- 3. Kalavoor Junction for Rs. 11,14,687/-

work through e-tender following all mandatory procedures.

In addition to the above projects, KRSA meeting decided to sanction an amount of **Rs.41,16,376/-** for installing 33 Solar Power Blinkers in Alappuzha District.

Thus a total sum of **Rs. 94,43,274/- was** sanctioned to DRSC Alappuzha towads the Budget Provision for the year 2015-16.

Agenda Item: 10

Ref: A2/102/KRSA/2015

Kottayam DRSC-Budget Estimate for 2015-16

Out of the Budget proposal for an amount of Rs. 4,33,56,000/- submitted by the DRSC, Kottayam, the Kerala Road Safety Authority meeting held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount of **Rs.2,81,82000/-** for implementing various road safety works mentioned in the letter dated 03/02/2015 of District Collector,Kottayam.

The Hon'ble Minister for Transport presented a proposal of District Collector, Kottayam, for an amount of Rs.64,80,000/- for foot over bridge submitted by Asst. Executive Engineer, Sub Division, Kanjirappalli, a proposal for erecting Sign Boards and Speed Limit Boards for an amount of Rs.1,90,00,000/- submitted by Asst. Executive Engineer, National Highway Sub Division, Kanjirappalli, a proposal for an amount of 15,00,000/- for road safety measures in Kottayam town of Exe.Engineer, PWD, Roads Division, Kottayam and a proposal of Inspector of Police, Kottayam West for an amount of Rs.10,00,000/- for installing CCTV Cameras at various

release the amount for the foot over bridge only after land is made available for the work by the District Collector, Kottayam.

Agenda Item: 11

Ref: A2/319/KRSA/2015

Thrissur DRSC - Budget Estimate for 2015-16

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount **Rs.84,00,000/-** to DRSC Thrissur being the Budget Provision for the year 2015-16 for implementing the following projects.

1	Traffic and Road Safety Awareness programmes –
	Implementation of the project "Thrissur the cultural
	Traffic city"

Rs. 50,00,000/-

2 Purchase of various items required for Highway patrol – Teams, speed checking cameras in various junctions

Rs. 30,00,000/-

3 Co-ordinating Road Safety Activities with the – RT Offices

Rs. 4,00,000/-

Total

Rs. 84,00,000/-

Agenda Item:12

Ref: A2/279/KRSA/2015

Palakkad DRSC-Budget Estimate for 2015-16

Out of the Budget proposal for an amount of Rs. 31,71,000/- submitted by the DRSC Palakade, the Kerala Road Safety Authority meeting held on 20.01.2016

Ref: A2/232/KRSA/2015

Kozhikkod DRSC-Budget Estimate for 2015-16

Out of the Budget proposal for an amount of Rs. 3.5 crores submitted by the DRSC Palakade, the Kerala Road Safety Authority meeting held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount of **Rs.54,32,510** for implementing the following programmes in Kozhikode District during the year 2015-16

Rs.10 lakhs for implementing Road Safety Awareness programmes in Kozhikkode city.

Rs.33,25,254/- for replacing existing signals at Rajaji Junction, Woodland Junction and Pushpa Junction

Rs.11,07,256/- for annual maintenance contract for signals at Thondayad, Malapparamba, Eranjipalam Junction, Vengeri Junction and Feroke bridge.

Thus, the total amount sanctioned to Kozhikode District as Budget Provision for the year 2015-16 is **Rs. 54,32,510/-**

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Ref: A2/227/KRSA/2015

Malappuram-DRSC-

Budget Estimate for 2015-16

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- 1. **Rs. 1 lakh** for Providing Arrow indicators and Studs at Valluvanadu schoolppadi
- 2. **Rs. 1 lakh** for Providing Studs on Accident Prone Areas at Thelakkad within Malattur Police Station limit.
- 3. **Rs. 12 lakh** for conducting One day mandatory class for drivers of Institution Vehicles
- 4. **Rs. 8 lakh** for conducting One day mandatory class for all stage carriage drivers of educational Institutions.
- 5. **Rs 2.3 lakh** for repair works of Medians and Traffic Islands in between Km 282/800, 289/450 and 290/600 in NH 17.

Ref: A2/263/KRSA/2015

Malappuram DRSC

Purchase of Traffic Enforcement Equipments

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount **Rs.4,99,625**/- to DRSC Malappuram for purchasing Traffic Enforcement Equipments.

Agenda Item: 16

Ref: A2/181/KRSA/2015

Kasargod - DRSC - 2015-16 Budget Estimate

Safety Awareness programmes in the District during the year 2015-16.

Agenda item No:17

Ref :- A2/02 /KRSA/2016

Sub: Road to Road Safety Campaign through

Mathrubhumi Daily

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount **Rs.10,00,000/-** to Mathrubhumi Daily for launching a state wide campaign titled Road to Road Safety.

Agenda item No:18

Ref :- A1/792 /KRSA/2015

Sub: Road Safety Messages in Note Books

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount **Rs.62.5** Lakhs to Kerala Books and Publications Society for disseminating road safety message by printing them on the back cover of 2.5 Crore Note Books at 25 Paisa per note book.

Agenda item No:19

Ref :- A2/953 /KRSA/2015

Sub :- Proposal for observation of

Road Safety Week-2016

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Agenda item No:20

Ref :- A2/930 /KRSA/2015

Sub :- Proposal for Providing Traffic Safety

Arrangemnets from Vazhiyambalam to

Manjummel Kavala.

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount of Rs. **Rs.33,40,234**/- to Chief Engineer NH for only the road safety items of the work.

Agenda item No: 21

Ref: A2/212/KRSA/2014

KSTP Proposal - Improvements to Kaduvamoozhy and Kochidappally in Pala- Erattupetta Road

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to obtain a fresh proposal containing roads safety items only from he Chief Engineer KSTP.

Additional Agenda No: 1

Ref: A2/576/KRSA/2013

Payment for Internal Audit of KRSA,
Stake Holding Departments and DRSCs

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period from 2011-12 to 2013-14 (3 years) and internal adit of Stake Holding Departments and District Road Safety Councils for the period from 2008-09 to 2013-14 (6 years).

Additional Agenda No: 2

Ref: A1/600/KRSA/2014
Approval of Draft Policy on Kerala Road Safety

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to discuss the matter in the next meeting.

Additional Agenda No: 3

Ref: A2/25/KRSA/2016
Identification and Prioritization of Accident
Black spots in Ernakulam District

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to sanction an amount of Rs. 16.64 to lakhs to NATPAC and directed NATPAC to conduct the study for identifying accident black spots in a stretchwise taking into account the findings of Justice Chandrasekharadas Commission and submit the report to Kerala Road Safety Authority.

Additional Agenda No: 4

Ref: A2/11/KRSA/2016

Proposal for purchase of a new

Photo Copier Machine in KRSA Office

copier machine.

The 28th meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority held on 20.01.2016 decided to consider Subhayatra as an exceptional case relaxing the insistence on the submission of UC s of funds earlier released and authorized Road Safety Commissioner to release the fund for an amount of Rs.6 Crores already sanctioned after discussing the matter with Inspector General of Police (Traffic).

The Director, Health Services, informed the Authority meeting that the balance of already released amount to them would be remitted back and consequently, the Authority decided to release the fund for Trauma Care Unit in Medical College, Thiruvanathapuram, after deducting the amount to be remitted back by DHS.

Considering the heavy work load and the limited number of staff in Kerala Road Safety Authority Office, the authority meeting authorized the Road Safety Commissioner to take necessary steps for streamlining the work in the KRSA Office matter.

Meeting concluded at 1.30 pm.

Sd/-

Chairman, Kerala Road Safety Authority,

(Hon'ble Minister for Transport)