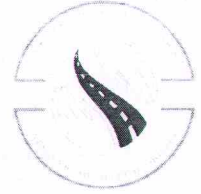


KERALA ROAD SAFETY AUTHORITY

Established under KRSA Act 2007 by Government of Kerala



Minutes of the 43rd Meeting of Kerala Road Safety Authority

Date : 08.01.2021
Time : 2.00 pm
Venue : "LAYAM" HALL, Annex-II,
Govt. Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram

List of participants:

Sl No	Name	Designation
1	Sri .A.K Saseendran	Minister for Transport
2	Sri. Anil Kant IPS	Road Safety Commissioner
3	Sri. K. R. Jyothisal IAS	Principal Secretary, Transport
4	Sri. M R Ajithkumar, IPS	Transport Commissioner
5	Sri.LakshmanGugulloth IPS	Inspector General of Police (Traffic & Road Safety Management)
6	Sri. Roji Jacob Alex	Representing Chief Engineer, PWD(Roads)
7	Srimathi. Geetha. G. S	Dy. Chief Engineer, PWD(National Highways)
8	Sri.J.Unnikrishnan	Additional Secretary , PWD
9	Smt.RaseenaBeegam	Deputy Secretary Finance Department
10	Prof (Dr.) Samson Mathew	Director, KSCSTE-NATPAC
11	Sri. Anilkumar. G	Joint Secretary , Home Department
12	Sri. Joe. C. Kathilankal	Addl. Secretary, General Education Department
13	Sri.RajeevPuthalath	Joint Transport Commissioner & Secretary, State Transport Authority
14	Sri. V. S. Santhosh	Deputy Secretary, LSGD
15	Dr.Santha.K.K.	Deputy DHS , Directorate of Health Service
16	Sri. S. Sureshkumar	Under Secretary, Law Department
17	Sri. Anikrishna. K	ED,SHA Representing PS,Health and Family Welfare Department
18	Sri. Ajayakumar A.R	Representing P.S (Health)
19	Sri. K.UnnikrishnanUnnithan	Member, KRSA

The meeting started at 2.00 PM with Hon'ble Minister for Transport and Chairman, Kerala Road Safety Authority in Chair. The Chairman welcomed all the members and asked to present the Agenda items one by one.

Since there were no comments from the members, the Minutes of the 42nd meeting of KRSA held on 24/06/2020 was confirmed and Action taken on the Minutes including the additional Agenda items were approved.

Agenda No –1(i)

Ref: A2/734/KRSA/2020

TableTop Pedestrian crossings, Median, and Bus Bay on MedicalCollege Road, Kozhikode

Decision:

Approved the proposal with a condition that the project should be completed within a timeline of six months.

(Action- Kozhikode DRSC)

Agenda No – 1(ii)

Ref: A2/734/KRSA/2020

Enhancement of existing Training Hall at MVD Enforcement Control Room, Chevayoor, Kozhikode

Decision: Approved. The project is to be considered as a pilot program and the existing control room to be developed as a 'Model Control Room'

(Action- Kozhikode DRSC)

Agenda No – 1(iii)

Ref: A2/734/KRSA/2020

Road Safety Equipments for Safe Kerala Enforcement Team, Kozhikode district

Decision: Approved the proposal with a direction that a review should be done to establish these equipments are properly used for the purpose.

(Action- Kozhikode DRSC)

Agenda No – 2

Ref: A2/1031/KRSA/2017

Construction of Traffic training and Research Center in Kerala Police Academy, Thrissur

(Proposal of Police department)

Decision:

Deferred. The proposal is again referred to the Technical Committee.

(Action –SPC)

Agenda No – 3

Ref: A2/781/KRSA/2020

Purchase of Defender Trauma Kit

(Proposal of State Police Chief)

Decision:

KRSA sanctioned to procure 100 Nos of Defender Trauma Kits.

(Action –Police Department)

Agenda No – 4

Ref: A2/1069/KRSA/2020

School zone improvements at various schools in the State.

(Proposal of PWD Roads & Bridges)

Approved the proposal as a ‘Pilot project’ subject to the following conditions .

- The work should be completed within 10 months
- During November 2021, a combined evaluation should be done by KRSA and NATPAC
- Out of 153 schools already listed out by PWD, a total of 50 schools may be selected. Out of them each two schools from small districts such as Alappuzha, Idukki, Wayand and Kasargod and three or four schools each from other 10 districts.

(Action – Chief Engineer, PWD (Roads)

Agenda No – 5

Ref: A2/1069/KRSA/2020

Proposal for providing crash barriers in hilly areas in the State

(Proposal of PWD Roads & Bridges)

Decision:

Rejected the proposal and suggested the project for accident prone areas only.

(Action – C. E ,PWD Roads)

Agenda No – 6

Ref: A2/1082/KRSA/2020

Black spot management program 2021

(Proposal of NATPAC)

Decision:

Approved. Principal Secretary informed that the Chairman of SCCoRS may visit the State in near future and the PWD is responsible to rectify the BlackSpots.

(No Action)

Agenda No – 7

Ref: A1/988 /KRSA/2016

Status Report: Blackspot Management -2019

(Proposal of NATPAC)

Decision:

Progress report- Approved with a condition to complete the project by March 2021.

(No Action)

Agenda No –8

Ref: A2/982/KRSA/2020

Road Safety Enforcement activities in Malappuram district

(Proposal of State Police Chief)

Decision:

KRSA approved the proposal as recommended by Technical Committee that the following equipments

- Item No. 01. CCTV Surveillance cameras (430 Nos.)
- Item No. 11. Video Camera (47 Nos.)
- Item No. 13. Speed Detection Camera (80 Nos.)
- Item No. 14. CCTV Camera at district borders (10 locations)

should be avoided.

(Action – Police Department)

Agenda No – 9

Ref: A2/1095/KRSA/2018

NATPAC Study Report on black spots *(Sharing of study report with KIFFB – Charging 10% User fee)*

Decision:

Approved to share the 'NATPAC's Study Report on Black Spots'to Govt. organisations only, on condition that, it should not be used for any monetary benefit. It should ensure the purpose of sharing data.

(Action – KRSA, NATPAC)

Agenda No – 10

Ref: A2/986/2020

Proposal for Road Safety awareness to children

(Proposal of DRSC, Kannur)

Decision:

The proposal submitted by DRSC, Kannur is approved.

(Action – KRSA/ DRSC, Kannur)

Agenda No – 11

Ref: A2/498/KRSA/2012

**Setting Up Driving Test Track
(Interest on refunded amount of Rs. Two croresreg:)**

Decision:

Approved the report from Transport Commissioner that there is no scope for interest since the amount is parked in interest free treasury head.

(No Action)

Agenda – 12

Ref: A2/250/KRSA/2015

SKYWALK project of KRSA

Decision:

KRSA suggested to study the viability of the project again with minimum expenditure by Technical Committee.

(Action – KRSA/KITCO)

Agenda – 13

Ref: A2/848/KRSA/2020

**Sabarimala Safe Zone 2020-21
(Ratification on release of Rs.68,05,000/-)**

Decision:

KRSA suggested to submit for ratification after preparation of final expenditure statement.

(Action –MVD)

Agenda No – 14

Ref: A2/1202/ KRSA/2018

**Kannur Road Safety Scheme PilatharaPappinissery
(Directions to meet the expenditure from contingency fund)**

Decision:

Ratified and directed DRSC,Kannur to ensure that no fund is duplicated.

(Action- DRSC,Kannur,KRSA)

Agenda No –15

Ref: A1/ 1091 /KRSA/2020

Seat Belt Convincer for Road Safety

(Proposal of Roger Motors)

Decision:

The Authority suggested to study the feasibility of the project by a Committee constituted by experts from Motor Vehicle Department and Police Department and then report to KRSA.

(Action- MVD and Police dept.)

Agenda No – 16

Ref: A1/797/ KRSA/2020

Fund Position of KRSA

Decision:

Noted. It is advised to spend the available fund to various Road Safety Projects and also to charge 18% interest from those departments which did not furnish Utilization Certificates in time, with the approval of Govt.

(Action-KRSA)

Agenda No – 17

Ref: A1/104/KRSA/2017

Expiry of term of TSG in KRSA

Decision

Noted. The Authority directed to evaluate the qualification of the members of TSG as directed by SCCoRS, their performance and perks except Executive Director under a Committee by Transport Commissioner, I.G (Traffic), the Executive Director of TSG and an expert from NATPAC.

(Action-KRSA)

Agenda No – 18

Ref: A1/455/KRSA/20

Delegation of Powers of RSC

Decision

The Authority authorised the RSC to act as per delegation of powers to Head of the Departments of major organizations and enhanced the cheque authorization powers to Rs.50lakhs.

Agenda No – 19

Ref: A1/ 723 /KRSA/2020

Shifting of Present Office

Decision

Noted.

Agenda No – 20

Ref: A1/831/ KRSA/2020

Installing Online Solar UPS

Decision

Directed to report whether enough space is available in KTDFC for installing the SolarPanel andalso to sought permission from KTDFC to install the panel. Then place it before KRSA.

Agenda No – 21

Ref: A1/ 1259 /KRSA/2018

**Release of an amount of Rs. 1,02,71,267/-
to five F.M Radio Stations towards Road Safety Messages .**

Decision

KRSA directed to evaluate the performance by a Committee of concerned officials in KRSA.

Additional Agendas tabled before the Authority

Additional Agenda -1

Ref: A2/1430/KRSA/19

Construction of Free Left Road at Malapparamba Junction ,Kozhikode

Decision:

Approved.

(Action-KRSA, Kozhikode DRSC)

Additional Agenda -2

Ref:A2/1430/KRSA/19

Installation of Traffic Signal System at Meenchanda Junction, Kozhikode city

Decision:

Deferred.

(Action-KRSA)

Additional Agenda -3

Ref: A2/1430/KRSA/19

**Shifting of HT/LT lines &Transformer for road widening and
Construction of Busbay in front of Civil Station, Kozhikode**

Decision :

Report of Technical Committee should be obtained. Also suggested that this work can be done by KSEB as their part of work

(Action-KRSA, Kozhikode DRSC)

Additional Agenda -4

Ref: A2/1430/KRSA/19

**Installation of Self Regulating Pedestrian Crossing System at 5places in
Kozhikode city**

Decision : **Approved** in principle on condition that the Technical Committee should verify the project and submit report.

(Action-KRSA, Kozhikode DRSC)

Additional Agenda -5

Ref: A1/180 /KRSA/19

SafeKerala- Fund requisition for Road Safety Awareness Program

Decision:

To conduct a feasibility study by a committee constituted by members from MVD, Police Department , KRSA, NATPAC and SCERT.

Additional Agenda - 6

Ref: A1/180 /KRSA/19

SafeKerala- Fund requisition for Safe Kerala Project

Decision:

Normal recurring expenditure are allowed. All other components are referred to the Technical Committee.

Additional Agenda - 7

Ref: A1/180 /KRSA/19

Purchase of Electric Cars for the officers of Safe Kerala Project

Decision:

Approved

The Meeting concluded at 5.00PM with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Road Safety Commissioner

Sd/-

Chairman, Kerala Road Safety Authority

&

Minister for Transport, Kerala