

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM

PRESENT: A SHANAVAS IFS

Sub:- Kerala Forest Department-Thiruvananthapuram Forest Division-
Strengthening the activities of Division Level Emergency Operation Centre
for effective management of disaster 2025-26- orders issued

Ref:- 1.Order no.Pro(5)-76/2024 dated 27.12.2025 of Principal Chief Conservator
of Forests and Head of Forest Force,Kerala
2.Order no. A2-73387/2025 dated:31.12.2025 of Divisional Forest Officer,
Thiruvananthapuram

ORDER NO.G4-22943/2026 dated:16.04.2026

As per the reference (1)cited, Respected Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Head of Forest Force,Kerala has issued order for formation of State Forest Fire Monitoring cell & Field level Control room for the effective management of Forest Fire.Owing to the above , Fire Control Room was constituted at Division level by deploying Beat Forest Officers and Forest Beat Assistant of Paruthippally, Palode and Kulathupuzha ranges.The Fire Control Room started functioning from 01.01.2026 onwards till the completion of fire season i.e 15.04.2026.Now it is found necessary for converting division level fire control room to Division Emergency Operation Centre. In the above circumstance , I, A SHANAVAS IFS , Divisional Forest Officer ,Thiruvananthapuram do hereby order to function Fire Control room at division level to Division Emergency Operation Centre with effect from 16.04.2026 and the Division Emergency Operation Centre functioning at Palode range shall stop its function from 16.04.2026 onwards.


Sri. Pradeep V (SFO Grade ,Paruthippally Range) will be in charge of the DEOC from 16.04.2026 onwards until further orders

Division Level Emergency Operation Centre

Division Level Emergency Operation Centre shall function at Divisional Forest Office,Thiruvananthapuram from 8am to 6pm(first shift) and from 6pm to 8am(second shift) from 16.04.2026 onwards including holidays

Division Level Emergency Operation Centre is assigned with the following duties and responsibilities

1. There shall be an active mobile phone facility for effective communication related to disaster. The present mobile number attached to DEOC -9188407517 shall be made use for its functioning at Trivandrum also.
2. The Division Level Emergency Operation Centre shall collect the details of incidents from the Range Level and pass it on to Circle Control room , SFEOC FHQ and Disaster Management team at Thiruvananthapuram Collectorate at 8.30am and 4.30pm of every day. A daily incident report shall be furnished to Divisional Forest Office also.
3. Updation of Wild watch portal/App on daily basis
4. Incidents received shall be entered in a register and also to furnish the Report on every incidents within 48hours .


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1. Submitted to Chief Conservator of Forests(Southern Circle)Kollam for kind information
 2. Range Forest Officer, Paruthippally , Palode and Kulathupuzha for urgent action
 3. Submitted to Chief Conservator of Forests(IT) for kind information and is kindly requested to update in the Departmental website also.