

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

Industries Department - Kerala State Industrial Enterprises Limited (KSIE) - Establishment of Container Freight Station (CFS) and allied logistics facilities in association with Kerala Automobiles Limited (KAL) and Trivandrum Spinning Mill (TSM) - In-principle approval for the project - Sanctioned - Orders issued.

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**INDUSTRIES(B)DEPARTMENT**

G.O.(Rt)No.886/2026/ID Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 04-08-2026

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- Read 1. Letter No. KSIE/INFRA/KAL/TSM/IND/2026-27/181 dated 01.06.2026 from the Managing Director, Kerala State Industrial Enterprises Ltd. (KSIE)
2. Letter No. BPT-KSIE/I-865/2026-27/D-328 dated 09.07.2026 from the Executive Chairman, Board for Public Sector Transformation (BPT)
3. Minutes of the meeting held on 16.07.2026 under the chairmanship of the Additional Chief Secretary, Industries Department

**ORDER**

1. The Managing Director, Kerala State Industrial Enterprises Limited (KSIE), as per the letter read as 1<sup>st</sup> paper above, has submitted a proposal for establishing Integrated Port-Linked Logistics Hubs in association with Kerala Automobiles Limited (KAL) and Trivandrum Spinning Mill (TSM), by utilising the existing land and infrastructure of the respective Public Sector Undertakings to leverage the logistics opportunities arising from the operationalisation of the Vizhinjam International Seaport.
2. The proposal envisages the development of an Integrated Logistics Hub at the TSM campus, Balaramapuram, by utilising about 5.5 acres of land together with 40,000 sq. ft. of existing warehouse space for establishing a Container Freight Station (CFS), Multi-User Bonded and Domestic Warehousing, Supply Chain Value-Added Logistics Services and Maritime Ship Chandlery Services.
3. The proposal also envisages the development of an Integrated

Logistics Hub at the KAL campus, Aralummoodu, by utilising about 6.5 acres of land (including 2.00 acres reserved for other purposes) and 10,000 sq. ft. of existing warehouse space. The facility to be built up in KAL comprising an Empty Container Yard (ECY), General Multi-User Warehousing, Container and Fleet Technical Services, Value-Added Logistics Services and Ship Chandlery, with provision for development of customs-related infrastructure in a subsequent phase.

4. KSIE has further proposed a long-term performance-based partnership framework with TSM and KAL for utilisation of their land and infrastructure. The project has also been included in the Government's 100 Days Programme
5. The proposal was discussed in a meeting held on 16.07.2026 under the chairmanship of the Additional Chief Secretary, Industries Department, with the participation of the representatives of KSIE, Kerala Automobiles Limited (KAL), Trivandrum Spinning Mill (TSM) and the Board for Public Sector Transformation (BPT). It was decided to accord in-principle approval for the establishment of Container Freight Station (CFS) and allied logistics facilities by the KSIE, in the premises of KAL and TSM, and to entrust the Executive Chairman, BPT, with taking the necessary follow-up action, as per the minutes read as third paper above. .
6. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord in-principle approval for the establishment of Container Freight Station (CFS) and allied logistics facilities, by Kerala State Industrial Enterprises Limited (KSIE) in association with Kerala Automobiles Limited (KAL) and Trivandrum Spinning Mill (TSM), subject to obtaining the requisite statutory approvals and execution of appropriate agreements among the participating Public Sector Undertakings. Executive Chairman, BPT, is entrusted with taking the necessary follow-up action for implementation of the project, including facilitating the execution of the lease agreements between KSIE, KAL and TSM.

(By order of the Governor)  
A P M MOHAMMED HANISH  
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY

To:

1. The Executive Chairman, Board for Public Sector Transformation (BPT),

Thiruvananthapuram

2. The Managing Director, Kerala State Industrial Enterprises Ltd. (KSIE),  
Thiruvananthapuram
3. The Managing Director, Kerala Automobiles Limited  
(KAL), Thiruvananthapuram
4. The Managing Director, Trivandrum Spinning Mill  
(TSM), Thiruvananthapuram
5. The Accountant General (A&E/ Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
6. Stock File/Office Copy (IND-B1/140/2026-IND)

Forwarded /By order

Section Officer