

## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

## Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Official Language) Department

## NOTIFICATION

G.O. (P) No. 3/2006/P&ARD. *Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 6th February, 2006.*

**S. R. O. No. 230/2006.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 1B of Kerala Official Languages Act, 1969 (7 of 1969), the Government of Kerala hereby direct that Malayalam shall be used for all official purposes in the Kerala Water Authority and Command Area Development Authority (CADA), the autonomous bodies under Water Resources Department, except where English and the minority languages of the State namely, Tamil and Kannada shall be used as provided by law.

By order of the Governor,

JJI THOMSON,  
*Principal Secretary to Government.*

**Explanatory Note**

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

Section 1B of the Kerala Official Languages Act, 1969 empowers the Government to issue notification directing that Malayalam or English shall be used for official purposes. The Government have decided to direct that Malayalam shall be used for all official purposes in the Kerala Water Authority and Command Area Development Authority (CADA), the autonomous bodies under Water Resources Department, except where English and the minority languages of the State namely, Tamil and Kannada are to be used as provided by law.

This notification is intended to achieve the above object.