



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA  
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (IT CELL) DEPARTMENT

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**CIRCULAR**

Sub:- IT Department – PGDeG Programme jointly conducted by IIITM-K and IMG – Approval of Selection Criteria for the academic year 2017-18 – reg.

As per Government order read as 1<sup>st</sup> paper above, sanction was accorded for sponsoring fifteen Government Officers for the Post Graduate Diploma in e-Governance (PGDeG) jointly conducted by Indian Institute of Information Technology Management – Kerala (IIITM-K) and Institute of Management (IMG). The duration of the course is one year, with the objective of imparting quality training in the area of e-Governance. Successful candidates sponsored by the Government shall be considered for implementation of e-Governance projects initiated in the State. The Course is spread across two semesters of one year duration and the course fee is Rs. 75,000/- (Rupees Seventy Five Thousand only) which will be shared in the ratio 90:10 between the Government and the deputed Officer respectively.

The sponsoring Government Officers for PGDeG course is intended as a part of Capacity Building for e-Governance Projects implemented in the State. It is also envisaged to develop a pool of Human Resources within Government with an objective to develop personnel who would be able to manage the IT Divisions of the Government Departments.

Director, Kerala State IT Mission will issue notification with schedules and details for admission to PGDeG for the current year.

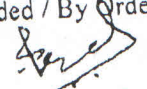
The selection process of PGDeG course for the academic year 2017-18 will be as follows:

1. Basic qualification for PGDeG should be Bachelor's Degree in any discipline with working knowledge of computers. BSc (Computer Science / IT), BCA, Diploma / Certification in Computer application will be an added advantage. Preference will be given to B.Tech / MBA / MCA / MSc (Computer Science / IT) Degree holders
2. A written test of two hours should be conducted before interview
3. The written test is to be IT focused (SDLC management and IT topics, Government process, aptitude, security, quantitative ability, logical reasoning.)
4. Preference will be given to the members of Virtual IT Cadre.
5. Age limit is 45 years as on 01<sup>st</sup> August, 2017.
6. Preference shall be given to the candidates from Departments where more e-Governance initiatives are being effectively implemented / to be implemented.
7. Head of the Departments need to furnish a deployment plan at the time of issuing No Objection Certificate, how the officer would be positioned and utilized.

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for Secretary to Government

The Director, Kerala State IT Mission, Thiruvananthapuram  
All Head of the Departments  
The Director, Indian Institute of Information Technology Management-Kerala, Technopark  
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