THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA

HCKL/8297/2026-A7-HC KERALA

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Date: 04-11-2026

NOTICE

Sub: Urgent Copy Applications - Invoking Rule 16(2)(xi) of the Rules of the High Court of Kerala, 1971 - Regarding

Ref: (1)High Court Notification DI-1/20613/2018 dated 24-06-2026
(2)High Court Notification DI-1/100071/2024 dated 18-09-2026 published in K.G. No.38 Vol XV dated 22-09-2026
(3)High Court Notification No. DI- 1/20613/2018 dated 08-12-2021

It is brought to the notice of all concerned that Rule 16(2)(xi) of the Rules of the High Court of Kerala, 1971 inserted vide the notification referred (2) above, empowers the Registrar (Judicial), High Court to order the expeditious grant of certified copies in emergent cases.

Accordingly, all concerned are hereby directed to invoke **Rule 16(2)(xi)** of the Rules of the High Court of Kerala, 1971, instead of **Rule 136**, for seeking the expeditious grant of certified copies in emergent cases. Such applications shall be accompanied by payment of the prescribed fee of **₹20/-**, as notified vide reference cited (1) above. Necessary changes shall be made in the urgent copy application forms in accordance with Rule 16(2)(xi).

(By Order)
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REGISTRAR GENERAL

To:-

The Advocate General, Ernakulam.
The Additional Solicitor General for India at High Court of Kerala, Ernakulam
The Director General of Prosecutions & State Public Prosecutor,Ernakulam.
The Additional Advocate General, Ernakulam (2 copies).
The Additional Director General of Prosecutions, Ernakulam.
The Deputy Solicitor General of India, Ernakulam.

The President, Kerala High Court Advocates' Association, Ernakulam.
The Chairman, Bar Council of Kerala, Ernakulam.
The State Attorney, Advocate General's Office, Ernakulam.
The Senior Counsel, Government of India (Taxes), Ernakulam.
The President, Kerala High Court Senior Advocates' Association, Ernakulam.
The President of Kerala Federation of Women Lawyers, Ernakulam.
The Vice-Presidents, Kerala High Court Advocates' Association,Ernakulam.
The Secretary, Rule Committee under Section 123 CPC, High Court.
The Secretary, Kerala High Court Advocates' Association, Ernakulam.
The General Secretary, Kerala High Court Senior Advocates' Association, Ernakulam
The Secretary, Indian Law Institute, Ernakulam.
The President, Kerala High Court Advocates' Clerks' Association, Ernakulam.
The Registrars and the Additional Registrar (General Administration), High Court.
The Director of the Kerala Judicial Academy, Athani.
The Director,High Court Arbitration Centre ,High Court
The Additional Director of the Kerala Judicial Academy, Athani.
The Member Secretary, Kerala State Legal Services Authority, Ernakulam.
The Director, Kerala State Mediation and Conciliation Centre, Ernakulam.
The Deputy Director (IT), High Court.
The Deputy Director of the Kerala Judicial Academy, Athani.
The Assistant Director of the Kerala Judicial Academy, Athani.
The Joint Registrars and Deputy Registrars, High Court.
The Officer on Special Duty (OSD), Protocol Wing, High Court.
The Private Secretary to the Chief Justice, High Court.
The Secretary, High Court Legal Services Committee, Ernakulam.
The Public Relations Officer, High Court.
The Principal Technical Officer, High Court.
The Protocol Officer, High Court.
The Assistant Registrar in charge of the Filing Section, High Court
The Assistant Registrar in charge of the Court Officer's Section, High Court.
The Assistant Registrar in charge of Copying Section, High Court
The Officer on Special Duty (OSD) to the Honourable the Chief Justice, High Court.
The Court Officer to the Chief Justice, High Court.
The Private Secretaries to Judges, High Court.
The Filing Scrutiny Officers, High Court.
The Filing and Court Officer's Section, High Court.
All Officers and Sections, High Court
The IT (Technical Cell), High Court.
The G Accounts - I, High Court
The Confidential Assistants to the Registrars, Director (KJA) and the Additional Registrar (General Administration), High Court.
The Administrative Records Section, High Court.
The Notice Board, High Court

The File/Stock File.

Copy Submitted To:-
The Honourable the Chief Justice and the Honourable Judges