GOVERNMENT OF KERALA
Social Justice (B) Department

NOTIFICATION

G. O. (P) No. 28/2014/SJD.

Dated: Thiruvananthapuram, 20th March, 2014

S. R. O. No. 215/2014—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 (Central Act 14 of 2013), the Government of Kerala hereby notify the District Collectors of all Districts in the State as the District Officers for the purpose of exercising and discharging all the powers and functions under the said Act.

By order of the Governor,

DR. K. M. ABRAHAM,
Additional Chief Secretary to Government.

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Explanatory Note

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

Section 5 of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 (Central Act 14 of 2013), empowers the State Government to notify a District Magistrate or Additional District Magistrate or the Collector or Deputy Collector as a District Officer for every District, to exercise powers or discharge functions under the said Act. Now, Government of Kerala have decided to notify the District Collectors of all Districts as the District Officers for the purposes of the said Act.

This notification is intended to achieve the above object.