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IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.MANU

MONDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2026 / 13TH ASWINA, 1948

WP(C) NO. 5357 OF 2026

PETITIONER(S):

M/S GRADIASO EVENTS & ENTERTAINMENTS PVT.LTD,
36/26C, 1ST FLOOR, ELAR ENCLAVE,
ST. FRANCIS CHURCH ROAD,
ERNAKULAM NORTH P.O., ERNAKULAM,
REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR,
DILEEP V KAIMAL,
PIN – 682018.

BY ADVS.
SRI.K.V.KRISHNAKUMAR
SMT. BHAVYA DAS

RESPONDENT(S):

1 **MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES FACILITATION COUNCIL ERNAKULAM REPRESENTED BY ITS CHAIRPERSON,**
DISTRICT INDUSTRIES CENTRE,
KAKKANAD, ERNAKULAM,
PIN – 682030.

2 **M/S TATA AIA INSURANCE COMPANY LTD,**
RAINBOW ARCADE,
NAGAMPADOM, KOTTAYAM,
REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR,
PIN – 686001.

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BY ADVS.
SRI.JITHIN SAJI ISAAC
SHRI.K.J.SAJI ISAAC

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 05.10.2026, ALONG WITH WP(C).5341/2026, 5351/2026 AND CONNECTED CASES, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.MANU

MONDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2026 / 13TH ASWINA, 1948

WP(C) NO. 5341 OF 2026

PETITIONER(S):

M/S GRADIASO EVENTS & ENTERTAINMENTS PVT. LTD,
36/26C, 1ST FLOOR, ELAR ENCLAVE,
ST. FRANCIS CHURCH ROAD,
ERNAKULAM NORTH P.O., ERNAKULAM,
REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR,
DILEEP V KAIMAL,
PIN – 682018.

BY ADVS.
SRI.K.V.KRISHNAKUMAR
SMT. BHAVYA DAS

RESPONDENT(S):

1 **MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES FACILITATION COUNCIL ERNAKULAM REPRESENTED BY ITS CHAIRPERSON,**
DISTRICT INDUSTRIES CENTRE,
KAKKANAD, ERNAKULAM,
PIN – 682030.

2 **M/S TATA AIA INSURANCE COMPANY LTD,**
2ND FLOOR, SL PLAZA,
PALARIVATTOM, ERNAKULAM



REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR,
PIN – 682025.

BY ADVS.
GOVERNMENT PLEADER
SRI.JITHIN SAJI ISAAC
SHRI.K.J.SAJI ISAAC

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 05.10.2026, ALONG WITH WP(C).5357/2026 AND CONNECTED CASES, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.MANU

MONDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2026 / 13TH ASWINA, 1948

WP(C) NO. 5351 OF 2026

PETITIONER(S):

M/S GRADIASO EVENTS & ENTERTAINMENTS PVT. LTD,
36/26C, 1ST FLOOR, ELAR ENCLAVE,
ST. FRANCIS CHURCH ROAD,
ERNAKULAM NORTH P.O, ERNAKULAM
REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR,
DILEEP V KAIMAL,
PIN – 682018.

BY ADVS.
SRI.K.V.KRISHNAKUMAR
SMT. BHAVYA DAS

RESPONDENT(S):

1 **MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES FACILITATION COUNCIL ERNAKULAM REPRESENTED BY ITS CHAIRPERSON,**
DISTRICT INDUSTRIES CENTRE,
KAKKANAD, ERNAKULAM,
PIN – 682030.

2 **M/S TATA AIA INSURANCE COMPANY LTD,**
1ST FLOOR, SREELAKSHMI BUILDING,
SHORANUR ROAD, THRISSUR.



REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR,
PIN – 680001.

BY ADVS.
SRI.JITHIN SAJI ISAAC
SHRI.K.J.SAJI ISAAC
DR.ELIZABETH VARKEY
SHRI.ABHISHEK S. KUMAR
SHRI.JOSHUA SEBASTIAN

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 05.10.2026, ALONG WITH WP(C).5357/2026 AND CONNECTED CASES, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S.MANU

MONDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2026 / 13TH ASWINA, 1948

WP(C) NO. 5469 OF 2026

PETITIONER(S):

M/S GRADIASO EVENTS & ENTERTAINMENTS PVT. LTD,
36/26C, 1ST FLOOR, ELAR ENCLAVE,
ST. FRANCIS CHURCH ROAD,
ERNAKULAM NORTH P.O., ERNAKULAM,
REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR,
DILEEP V KAIMAL,
PIN – 682018.

BY ADVS.
SRI.K.V.KRISHNAKUMAR
SMT. BHAVYA DAS

RESPONDENT(S):

1 **MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES FACILITATION COUNCIL ERNAKULAM REPRESENTED BY ITS CHAIRPERSON,**
DISTRICT INDUSTRIES CENTRE,
KAKKANAD, ERNAKULAM,
PIN – 682030.

2 **M/S TATA AIA INSURANCE COMPANY LTD,**
ED HEIGHTS, 3RD FLOOR, PATTOM,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM,



REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR,
PIN - 695004

BY ADVS.
SRI.JITHIN SAJI ISAAC
SHRI.K.J.SAJI ISAAC

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 05.10.2026, ALONG WITH WP(C).5357/2026 AND CONNECTED CASES, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

JUDGMENT

Parties are common in these writ petitions. Grievance of the petitioner is also same. Petitioner has approached the 1st respondent-Council under Section 18 of the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006, seeking reliefs. It is submitted that four different references under Section 18 were submitted to the 1st respondent – Council in July, 2025. Petitioner is aggrieved by the delay in considering the references. The main relief sought is for a direction to the 1st respondent – Council to consider and pass appropriate orders in the references in a time bound manner.

2. Under Rule 13(2) of the Kerala Micro and Small Enterprises Facilitation Council Rules, 2023, every reference made in this Sub-Section (1) of Section 18 of the Act to the Council shall be decided upon within a period of 90 days.

3. Since the references were lodged way back in July 2025 and taking note Rule 13(2) of the Kerala Rules, I find it appropriate

to fix a time limit for consideration of the references submitted by the petitioner. Therefore, the writ petitions are disposed of directing the 1st respondent – Council to adjudicate and decide O.A Nos.122 of 2025, 123 of 2025, 124 of 2025 and 125 of 2025 within a period of 90 days from the date of issuance of a copy of this judgment. The Council shall permit the 2nd respondent to submit its objections and provide sufficient opportunity to both sides to present their contentions before final decision is taken. Petitioner shall submit a copy of this judgment to the Chairman of the Council for information, within a week.

With above directions the writ petitions are disposed of.

Sd/-
S.MANU
JUDGE

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APPENDIX OF WP(C) NO. 5357 OF 2026

PETITIONER'S EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT P1	**TRUE COPY OF THE STATEMENT OF FACTS AND STATEMENT OF CLAIM DATED 03.07.2025 IN O.A. NO.122 OF 2025 PENDING BEFORE THE 1ST RESPONDENT**
EXHIBIT P2	**TRUE COPY OF THE HEARING NOTICE DATED 16.07.2025 ISSUED BY THE 1ST RESPONDENT IN O.A. NO.122 OF 2025**

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APPENDIX OF WP(C) NO. 5341 OF 2026

PETITIONER'S EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT P1	**TRUE COPY OF THE STATEMENT OF FACTS AND STATEMENT OF CLAIM DATED 03.07.2025 IN O.A. NO.123 OF 2025 PENDING BEFORE THE 1ST RESPONDENT**
EXHIBIT P2	**TRUE COPY OF THE HEARING NOTICE DATED 16.07.2025 ISSUED BY THE 1ST RESPONDENT IN O.A. NO.123 OF 2025**

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APPENDIX OF WP(C) NO. 5351 OF 2026

PETITIONER'S EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT P1	**TRUE COPY OF THE STATEMENT OF FACTS AND STATEMENT OF CLAIM DATED 03.07.2025 IN O.A. NO.124 OF 2025 PENDING BEFORE THE 1ST RESPONDENT**
EXHIBIT P2	**TRUE COPY OF THE HEARING NOTICE DATED 16.07.2025 ISSUED BY THE 1ST RESPONDENT IN O.A. NO.124 OF 2025**

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APPENDIX OF WP(C) NO. 5469 OF 2026

PETITIONER'S EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT P1	**TRUE COPY OF THE STATEMENT OF FACTS AND STATEMENT OF CLAIM DATED 03.07.2025 IN O.A. NO.125 OF 2025 PENDING BEFORE THE 1ST RESPONDENT**
EXHIBIT P2	**TRUE COPY OF THE HEARING NOTICE DATED 16.07.2025 ISSUED BY THE 1ST RESPONDENT IN O.A. NO.125 OF 2025**