## செய்தி வெளியீடு

"மழை வெள்ளத்தால் பாதிக்கப்பட்ட கேரள மாநில மக்களுக்கு உதவுவதற்கு தமிழ்நாட்டின் எல்லையோர ஆட்சித் மாவட்ட தலைவர்களுக்கு அறிவுறுத்தியுள்ளதாகவும், முல்லை பெரியாறு அணை தொடர்பாக இரண்டு மாநில மக்களின் நலனும் பாதுகாக்கப்படுவதை தமிழ்நாடு அரசு உறுதி செய்யும் மாண்புமிகு தமிழ்நாடு எனவம்" (முதலமைச்சர் திரு.மு.க.ஸ்டாலின் அவர்கள், மாண்புமிகு கேரளா முதலமைச்சர் திரு.பினராயி விஜயன் அவர்களுக்கு கடிதம் எழுதியுள்ளார்கள்.

P.R.No:957 Date: 27.10.2021

Text of the D.O letter no.3167/CMO/2021, DATED: 27-10-2021 of Thiru M.K. Stalin, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu addressed to Thiru Pinarayi Vijayan, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Kerala:

I greatly appreciate and wish to reciprocate the sentiments expressed by you in your letter dated 24.10.2021, that the historic ties and cordial relationship between the people of our states need to be strengthened further.

The Government of Tamil Nadu and our people are very concerned about the floods and the resultant damages suffered by Kerala and its people in the last 10 days. I wish to assure you that we will stand with you during these difficult times and would extend any help that is needed for alleviating the sufferings of the people. In this regard, I have already instructed the Collectors of the border districts of our state to extend all help and ensure the supply of all items needed for flood relief.

With reference to Mullai Periyar Dam, we are monitoring the water level closely and the officials from our side are in constant touch with your team. The water level as on today (27.10.2021) at 9.00 am is 137.60 feet, with an inflow of 2300 cusecs. We are already drawing the maximum quantity of water through the tunnel in Vaigai dam, as requested in your letter. Currently 2300 cusecs of water is being drawn through the tunnel to Vaigai basin since 8.00am today

(27.10.2021). The current water level is well within the storage level permitted by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in its judgement and is also compliant with the upper rule levels approved by the CWC.

I have discussed the above position with the concerned officials and have directed them to continue to closely monitor the water levels and regulate the outflow accordingly. In addition, I have specifically asked them to share in advance, all the necessary information on water position and release, if any, so that your government can initiate such precautionary measures needed before the release of water.

I once again wish to assure you that my government will ensure that the interests of both states and our people are well safeguarded.

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