

**OULGARET MUNICIPALITY
PONDICHERRY – 5.**

F.No.32-72/JE(6)/OM/2016-17

Jawahar Nagar, the 08.03.2019

ORDER

Sub : O.M – Engg. – Maintenance of Burial Grounds and Crematorium – Designation of Traditional Caretaker – Collection of User charges – Orders Issued – Reg.
Ref: I.D. Note No. 32-72/JE(6)/OM/2016-17 dt.08.03.2019.

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Section 67(2)(h) of the Pondicherry Municipalities Act, 1973 empowers the Municipal Council to undertake and make reasonable provision for acquiring, maintaining, changing and regulating places for disposal of the dead. Accordingly, this Order is hereby issued for maintenance and regulation of Burial Ground and Crematorium as detailed below, located within the jurisdiction of Municipality.

2. Traditionally, some people are engaged in the disposal of dead bodies in various Burial Grounds and Cremation yards. Accordingly, the following Traditional Caretakers (also known as Vettians) are hereby designated to take care of Burial Grounds/Crematorium as mentioned below:

Sl. No.	Location of the Burial Ground/Cremation yard	Name of the Caretaker & Mobile No.
a	Karuvadikuppam	Thiru A. Arun Nehru S/o. M. Anandaraj Mobile No.:- 9629631844
b	Pavazhakaranchavady	Thiru K. Murugan, S/o. Kaliappan Mobile No.:- 9600829931
c	Shanmugapuram	Tmt. Punitha, D/o.Rajasundaram Mobile No.:- 9786552399

3. The above said Traditional Caretakers are hereby directed to maintain Burial Ground/Cremation yard/Crematorium in a proper and clean manner. They shall maintain proper records of the dead bodies that are buried/cremated in the said places. Accordingly, they shall maintain registers of Burial (or) Cremation Permits given by Police Stations and Municipalities.

4. In exercise of powers accorded to the Municipal Council as per the aforesaid section of the Pondicherry Municipalities Act, 1973, the Traditional Caretakers shall collect the following user charges per dead body as given below:

Burial	Cremation	Next day rites
Rs.2000	Rs.3500	Rs.500

5. The user charges shall be utilized by the Caretakers for undertaking their work and

6. The LPG Crematorium at Karuvadikuppam Burial ground shall be temporarily maintained for three months from the date of this order by the Traditional Caretaker, Thiru A. Arun Nehru, S/o. M. Anandaraj. For disposal of dead bodies at LPG Crematorium, user charges of Rs.2000/- per deadbody is hereby fixed. It is further directed that out of Rs.2000/-, Rs.1300/- shall be paid to this Municipality through appropriate billing and Rs.700/- could be utilized by Caretaker as service charge. If the performance of the Caretaker is not satisfactory, this Municipality shall make alternate arrangements for maintenance of LPG Crematorium and the said Caretaker will be disengaged forthwith.

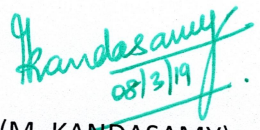
7. The Caretakers are hereby directed to collect the user charges from the relatives of the deceased at the rates mentioned in this Order only. Any deviations in this regard shall be viewed very seriously and strict action will be taken against the Caretakers who collect user charges higher than rates notified in this Order.

8. For redressal of complaints/grievances and suggestions for better maintenance of burial grounds/cremation yards, the following Officers are hereby notified:

a	Karuvadikuppam Crematorium/Burial Ground	The Junior Engineer, Kamaraj Nagar Constituency Mobile No.:- 9443960447
b	Shanmugapuram Burial Ground	The Junior Engineer, Kadhirkamam Constituency Mobile No.:- 9487735910
c	Pavazhakaranchavady Burial Ground	The Junior Engineer, Kadhirkamam Constituency Mobile No.:- 9487735910

9. Public can file complaints/grievances in 0413-2200382, Whatsapp No.7598171674 and by e-mail om.pon@nic.in.

//BY ORDER OF THE SPECIAL OFFICER//


(M. KANDASAMY)
COMMISSONER

To

1. Thiru A. Arun Nehru S/o. M. Anandaraj
Caretaker, Karuvadikuppam Graveyard
2. Thiru K. Murugan, S/o. Kaliappan,
Caretaker, Pavazhakaranchavady Graveyard
Mobile No.:- 9600829931
3. Tmt. Punitha, D/o.Rajasundaram
Caretaker, Shanmugapuram Graveyard
Mobile No.:- 9786552399

Copy to:

1. The Executive Engineer, Oulgaret Municipality.
2. The Assistant Engineer-I & II, Oulgaret Municipality
3. All Junior Engineers, Oulgaret Municipality.
4. The Station Master, Oulgaret Municipality.