

Salient Features of the Authority

Kolkata Metropolitan Water & Sanitation Authority was established on 26th May, 1966 under West Bengal; Act XIII of 1966 duly passed by the West Bengal Legislatures and assent of the President was published in the Calcutta Gazette. Extraordinary of the 26th May 1966.

This Authority has been established for the maintenance, development and regulation of Water-Supply, Sewerage and drainage services and for the collection and disposal of garbage in the Kolkata Metropolitan District with a view to promoting the Public Health and for matters connected therewith. State Govt. by a notification established this Authority to carryout the above works.

In exercise of the power conferred by Section (1), and in particular, by Clause (f) of Sub-section (2) of Section 93 of the Kolkata Metropolitan Water & Sanitation Authority Act, 1966 (W.B. Act XIII of 1966) the K.M.W.&S.A. framed two Regulations with the prior approval of State Govt. namely K.M.W.&S.A. (Service & Recruitment) Regulations 1968 and K.M.W.&S.A. (Accounts) Regulations 1968.

KMDA in its 37th meeting held on 25th March, 1974 framed a Regulations namely KMDA (Management of KMWSA) Regulations, 1974 and created a post namely, Officer on Special Duty to deal with the affairs of KMW&SA under section 3 of the KMW&SA Act 1966 (W.B. Act XIII of 1966) on its behalf.

Area : 1851.41 Sq.Km ; Population : 14.72 Million (2001 Census)

Elected Bodies

- i. Kolkata Municipal Corporation -
- ii. Howrah Municipal Corporation.
- iii. Municipalities -

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| a) Budge Budge | g) Uttarpara- Kotrang | m) Chinsura | s) Titagarh |
| b) Maheshtala | h) Konnagar | n) Bansberia | t) Barrackpore |
| c) Pujali | i) Serampore | o) Bally | u) North Barrackpore |
| d) Baruipur | j) Baidyabati | p) Uluberia | t) Halisahar |
| e) Rajpur Sonarpur | k) Chapdani | q) Panihati | u) Kanchrapara |
| f) Rishra | l) Bhadreswar | r) Khardah | v) Naihati |
| | | | w) Rajarhat Gopalpur |
| | | | v) |

iv. Panchayet Samiti (P.S.)

- a) Bally Jagacha P.S.
- b) Domjur P.S.
- c) Sankrail P.S.
- d) Uttarpara P.S.