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Calicut at a Glance

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Summary:

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Once the capital of the powerful Zamorins and a prominent trade and commerce center, Kozhikode

Calicut is the anglicized form of Kalikut, the Arabic for the Malayalam Kozhikode. It is also

The district has a coastal length about 80 kms. It is situated on the south west coast of India

The history of Kozhikode as an administrative unit begins from January 1957. When the states of

The Kozhikode city, known as the second Mecca of football lovers (first being Kolkatta) has a

Kozhikode City continues to be a centre of flourishing domestic and international trade. It is

The district has an intermediate port at Kozhikode (including Beypore) and minor port at Vadak

Places of Interest

Kozhikode beach : Two sea piers almost 125 years old extending well inside the sea are a special

Mananchira : Associated with the Zamorins is Kottaparamba where stood their ancient palace. Ma

SM Street : Sweet Meat Street is the busiest shopping center and is perhaps the oldest street

Kallai : This was once the second largest timber trading centre in Asia. A steel bridge built

Beypore : (9.65 kms south of Kozhikode) It is situated at the mouth of Chaliyar river. Tipu Su

Kappad : (16 kms from Kozhikode) This is the historic beach where Vasco da Gamma, landed on th

Planetarium : Situated near Jaffar Khan Colony at Mavoor road, unveils the mysteries of univer

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