Lalith Babu

No. Cj3-12614/54/CS, Dated, April 29, 1955 എന്ന സർക്കാർ ഉത്തരവ് പ്രകാരം 1955 മേയ് 1 മുതൽ ജഡീഷ്യറി എക്സിക്യൂട്ടീവിൽ നിന്നും വേർപ്പെടുത്തപ്പെട്ട

The Collectors (Division Peishkars) in the erstwhile Travancore State, were functioning as Magistrates, for the administration of criminal justice within the scope of the Criminal Procedure Code. Government have separated the judiciary from the executive with effect from May 1, 1955 (Vide Ci3-12614/54/CS, Dated, April 29, 1955) As a result of this separation, the Collector and the Magistrates subordinate to him were deprived of their judicial functions. But the responsibility of maintaining Law and Order continues to rest with the Collector. This responsibility calls for certain mgisterial powers of an executive character.