Rev (DMC) (C) 20-2/2020 – COVID 19 Government of Himachal Pradesh Revenue Department – Disaster Management Cell

Shimla – 171002

Dated: 14th June 2020

ORDER

In continuation of State Executive Committee's Orders No. Rev (DMC)(C)20-2/2020-COVID 19 dated 31stMay 2020, and in exercise of the powers conferred under the Section 24 (e) of the DM Act 2005, the undersigned in capacity of the Chairman, State Executive Committee (SEC), hereby orders the following additions and amendments in the Orders and directs all the Departments& Organisations of the Government, District Magistrates, Police Officers/Officials and local authorities of the State to ensure strict implementation of the directions of the NDMA and NEC:

Additions & Amendments

Quarantine Requirements

The following points will be added:-

- 1) Persons covered under SOPs issued vide dated 23rd May 2020 for interstate movement of industrial workers, industrialists/ factory owners, traders, raw material suppliers, service providers, inspecting authorities will be exempted from purview of Home Quarantine.
- 2) The persons visiting the State for bonafide purpose of trade, business, job, project, service purpose, commission agents and *artihyas* with supporting documents and entering the State with valid permit/ epass and not coming from high covid 19 case load cities and other containment zones from rest of the country will also be exempted from the purview of quarantine.
- 3) The management, incharge or head of any NGO or any charitable organisation, which has branches in the State, and travels to the State of Himachal Pradesh in connection with its affairs or for an official meeting, for a short duration not exceeding 48 hours and don't mix with general masses, follows all social distancing and other Covid 19 prevention protocols/ norms, does not organize any social/ cultural or any other



gathering of any sort, shall be exempt from quarantine requirement in the State.

4) In addition to the instructions in the original Order, use of Aarogya Setu app shall be mandatory in all cases, including the above exempted categories.

The following amendments will be inserted:

5) Point no. (i) from the section 'Quarantine Requirements' will be amended with the following: -

"All persons coming from high case load COVID-19 infected cities will be institutionally quarantined. Only for exceptional and compelling reasons such as cases of human distress, pregnancy, death in family, serious illness, persons above 65 years of age with co-morbidities and parent(s) accompanied by children below 10 years may be permitted to be home quarantined, instead of institutional quarantine, for 14 days, subject to satisfaction of the concerned District Magistrate about satisfactory arrangements being available for such Home Quarantine.

6) Point no. (viii) from the section 'Quarantine Requirements' will be replaced with the following: -

"The migrant labourers coming in the State can be sent directly to the work site of the Orchardist/Agriculturist/Contractor/Project Proponents. The labour can start working at these sites immediately subject to observing all the due precautions including social distancing/ isolation and the constant monitoring for symptoms, as is being done for quarantined persons. The period of active surveillance shall however continue to be the same as per the period prescribed by the guidelines issued by the Department of Health & Family Welfare."

Issued under the Authority of Chief Secretary cum Chairperson, SEC Himachal Pradesh



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- 2. All the Head of Departments, Himachal Pradesh
- 3. All the Divisional Commissioners, Himachal Pradesh
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(D.C. Rana)

Director-cum-Special Secretary (Rev-DM) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh