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Shri Paresh Tripathi Chief Standing Counsel High Court of Uttarakhand Nainital

Dehradun

19 May, 2020

Sub.: Writ Petition (PIL) No. 62 of 2020 Preetam Singh Panwar v/s Union of India and others.

Dear. Sir,

With reference to the above mentioned Writ Petition and your letter dated 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2020 the following facts may kindly be brought to the knowledge of the Hon'ble High Court:

- 1. Total number of 1,508 bus journeys were arranged by Uttarakhand Transport Corporation for bringing back the people of Uttarakhand from various other states.
- 2. 349 bus journeys were arranged by Uttarakhand Transport Corporation for the transportation of the persons reaching Uttarakhand by train (from the rail head to their destination).
- 3. Apart from this individuals wishing to travel by their own vehicles are being issued e-pass and accordingly 34,127 passes have so far been issued to persons for coming to Uttarakhand and 7,730 for those travelling out of Uttarakhand.
- 4. As regards the steps taken for bringing back the migrants the State Government is operating an online portal for the registration of persons wishing to come back to Uttarakhand.
- 5. The directions of the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India with regard to the movement of the migrant population require consent of both recipient and dispatching states before initiating the movement. Accordingly the State

Government officials are in touch with the officials of other states and accordingly arranging for travel and medical screening of the migrants.

- 6. 12,464 persons have reached Uttarakhand by trains from Surat, Pune, Bangalore, Ahmedabad, Jaipur, Hyderabad and Goa as per the enclosed details.
- 7. The persons reaching Uttarakhand are being kept under both institutional and home quarantine for the specified duration of 14 days as prescribed by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India.
- 8. All District Magistrates have been directed to appoint government personnel to monitor people in home quarantine.
- 9. The State Government has also involved Local Self Government institutions and has given the Gram Pradhans responsibility of quarantine and surveillance of all persons reaching the village and the order relating to the same is enclosed.
- 10. Services of Block Response Teams / City Response Teams are also being taken for contact tracing as also surveillance and monitoring of home quarantined persons and order issued to this regard is enclosed.

**Encl.: As above** 

Yours sincerely,

(Amit Singh Negi) Secretary

## Details of the persons reaching Uttarakhand by train

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| Sl. No. | Date                       | From      | То                          | Number of  |  |
|         |                            |           |                             | passengers |  |
| 1.      | 11 <sup>th</sup> May, 2020 | Surat     | Kathgodam                   | 1,028      |  |
| 2.      | 11 <sup>th</sup> May, 2020 | Pune      | Haridwar                    | 1,219      |  |
| 3.      | 12 <sup>th</sup> May, 2020 | Bangalore | Haridwar                    | 1,076      |  |
| 4.      | 11 <sup>th</sup> May, 2020 | Surat     | Haridwar                    | 1,173      |  |
| 5.      | 14 <sup>th</sup> May, 2020 | Ahmedabad | Haridwar                    | 1,631      |  |
| 6.      | 15 <sup>th</sup> May, 2020 | Jaipur    | Haridwar                    | 1,325      |  |
| 7.      | 16 <sup>th</sup> May, 2020 | Ahmedabad | Lalkuan                     | 1,166      |  |
| 8.      | 16 <sup>th</sup> May, 2020 | Hyderabad | Haridwar                    | 1,177      |  |
| 9.      | 17 <sup>th</sup> May, 2020 | Surat     | Lalkuan                     | 1,378      |  |
| 10.     | 17 <sup>th</sup> May, 2020 | Goa       | Haridwar                    | 1,291      |  |
| Total   |                            |           |                             |            |  |
| i otal  |                            |           |                             | 12,464     |  |