Government of Haryana Haryana State Disaster Management Authority

No. DMC-SPO-2020/12773

ORDER

Dated: 27.11.2021

Whereas vide order No. DMC-SPO-2020/5215 dated 02.05.2021, the State Executive Committee had initially declared a lockdown from 03.05.2021 (05:00 am onwards) to 10.05.2021 (till 05:00 am) and subsequently the same was extended from time to time, till 28.11.2021 in the State of Haryana.

Now, after duly considering the fact although the COVID-19 positivity rate and the number of new COVID-19 positive cases have declined, so as to continue the preventive and the precautionary measures to contain the COVID-19 pandemic, in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 22(2)(h) of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, the undersigned in my capacity as Chairperson, State Executive Committee hereby extends the Mahamari Alert–Surakshit Haryana महामारी अलर्ट—सुरक्षित हरियाणा' from 28.11.2021 (05:00 am onwards) to 31.12.2021 (till 05:00 am) in the State of Haryana alongwith guidelines to be implemented (during this period) issued vide earlier orders.

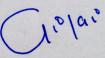
The following relaxations are provided in modification of earlier orders:-

 Deputy Commissioners are hereby authorised to allow gatherings in open spaces exceeding 500 persons subject to strict observance of COVID-19 appropriate behavioural norms and social distancing.

The following relaxations shall continue as permitted vide earlier orders:-

- a. Restaurants, bars (including in hotels and in malls), gyms, spas and club houses/ restaurants/ bars of the Golf Courses are allowed to open to their full capacity with adherence to requisite social distancing and other COVID-19 appropriate safety norms.
- b. Cinema Halls (in malls and stand alone) are allowed to open to their full capacity with adherence to requisite social distancing norms, COVID-19 appropriate behavioural norms, the guidelines as indicated in the SOPs released by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, GOI, as well as regular sanitisation of the premises.
- c. Fully residential Universities in the State are directed to plan re-opening their campuses for physical classes as per their respective Semester Schedules after adopting SOPs for COVID appropriate behaviour. University Administration may endeavour to get all students, faculty members and staff (including the outsourced ones) fully vaccinated.
- d. In Indoor spaces, gatherings of upto 50% of the hall capacity are allowed with a ceiling of maximum 200 persons whereas, in open spaces, gatherings will be allowed upto 500 persons. For gatherings in open spaces exceeding 500 persons prior approval of Deputy Commissioners shall be required subject to strict observance of COVID-19 appropriate behavioural norms and social distancing.

- e. Colleges and Polytechnics are allowed to re-open for students with strict adherence to requisite social distancing norms, Covid appropriate behavioural norms, regular sanitisation of the premises, the guidelines as indicated in the SOPs released by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, GoI and as per the guidelines of Department of Higher Education and Department of Technical Education, Haryana released for implementation of these orders.
- f. Conduct of entrance and recruitment examinations by different Universities/Institutes/ Government Departments and Recruitment Agencies are allowed in the State with strict implementation of "Revised SOP issued by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, GOI dated 10.09.2020 regarding preventive measures to contain spread of COVID-19" as well as guidelines released by Central/State Government/Departments time to time.
 - g. Training centers in Haryana State established under the aegis of Haryana Skill Development Mission are allowed to open (by staggering of the trainees for maintaining social distancing as per prescribed Standing Operating Procedures and Guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs, GOI, State Disaster Management Authority, Haryana, National Skill Development Corporation and Local Administration from time to time).
 - h. Coaching institutions, Libraries and Training Institutes (whether Government or private) are allowed to open with strict adherence to requisite social distancing norms, Covid appropriate behavioural norms guidelines as indicated in the SOPs released by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, GOI and regular sanitisation of premises.
 - i. Industrial Training institutes (ITIs) are allowed to open for students with 100% attendance with strict adherence to requisite social distancing norms, regular sanitisation of the premises, Covid appropriate behavioural norms and guidelines as indicated in the SOPs released by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, GOI and guidelines of Department of Skill Development & Industrial Training, Haryana released for implementation of these orders.
 - All shops and malls are allowed to open with adherence to requisite social distancing norms, regular sanitisation and COVID-19 appropriate behavioural norms.
 - k. Swimming Pools are allowed to open after adopting requisite social distancing norms, regular sanitisation and Covid appropriate behavioural norms. All swimmers/ practitioners /eligible visitors and staff to preferably get vaccinated with both doses of COVID-19 vaccine.
 - Sports Complexes, Stadia are permitted to open for sports activities including for outdoor sports activities except contact sports. Sports Authorities shall ensure adherence to requisite social distancing norms, regular sanitisation of the premises and COVID-19 appropriate behavioural norms.



- m. Religious places are allowed to open with 50 persons at one time with the condition that they shall follow requisite social distancing norms, regular sanitisation and COVID-19 appropriate behavioural norms.
- n. Corporate Offices are permitted to open with full attendance subject to strict observance of social distancing, COVID-19 appropriate behavioural norms and regular sanitisation.
- All production units, establishments, Industries are permitted to function.
 However they shall strictly adhere to COVID-19 appropriate and prescribed guidelines, behavioural norms and Social distancing.
- p. In coming months, various festivities will follow one after the other till 31st December, 2021 such Christmas and New year's Eve. This is a critical period as there may be tendency to violate COVID appropriate behavior during festivals, resulting in large gatherings, events, fairs etc. Therefore, adherence to guidelines to allow festivities in a safe and COVID appropriate manner especially in religious places may be strictly enforced by district administration.

It is also advised that "No Mask-No Service" will be strictly observed on the State. People with face cover/mask only will be allowed to board public/private transport and enter any other government and private establishment for availing any services/goods.

There will be continuous focus on the fivefold strategy for effective management of COVID-19 i.e. Test-Trace-Track-Vaccination and adherence of COVID-19 appropriate behaviour.

The Deputy Commissioners of the concerned districts are hereby directed/authorised to implement the above mentioned relaxations strictly. For the enforcement of social distancing measures Deputy Commissioner may, if necessary, invoke the provisions, as per law. Any person violating these measures will be liable to be proceeded against as per the provisions of Section 51 to 60 of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, besides legal action under Section 188 of the IPC, and other legal provisions as applicable.

(VIJAI VARDHAN)

Chief Secretary-cum-Chairperson Haryana State Executive Committee

To

- 1. All Administrative Secretaries in the State of Haryana.
- 2. The Director General of Police.
- 3. All Deputy Commissioners in the State of Haryana.

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