ORDER

Whereas, the Union Home Secretary & Chairperson of National Executive Committee has issued directions to implement lockdown measures to contain spread of COVID-19 vide Order No. 40-3/2020-DM-I(A) dated, 30.05.2020.

AND

Whereas, in areas outside containment zone, all activities except those listed in para 1 of the guidelines for phased re-opening (Unlock 1) have been allowed.

AND

Whereas, the following activities have been allowed wef 8th June, 2020 observing SOP to be issued by MoHFW (Ministry of Health & Family Welfare),
(1) Religious places/ places of worship for public
(2) Hotels, restaurants and other hospitality services
(3) Shopping Malls

AND

Whereas, the timings for Night Curfew has been changed from 9 PM to 5 AM.

AND

Whereas, no restriction has been imposed on inter and intra state movement of goods and persons, but states can regulate movement of persons after giving wide publicity.

Now therefore, the order of Chairman, NEC will be implemented in the state up to 30.6.2020 with following clarifications and additional measures:
Order for Night Curfew will be issued by respective District Magistrates with timings from 9 PM to 5 AM.

The lockdown measures as mentioned in para 4 of the guidelines will be limited to Containment Zones, notified by D. M. & Collectors. However, as per the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare D.O. No. Z-21020/16/2020-PH dated, 15th April, 2020, if no cases reported in last 14 days, the containment Zones will be treated as Orange Zones where those restrictions as decided by concerned DM will apply. However, the containment operation will continue till the time no case is reported in last 28 days. Thereafter, the containment area will be free from any restriction.

As per Ministry of Home Affairs Order No. 40-3/2020-DM-I(A) dated, 17th May, 2020, the hotels and other hospitality services meant for housing health/ police/ government officials/ health care workers/ stranded persons including tourists and for quarantine facilities, were allowed. The decision conveyed vide order dated 24th May, 2020 that the hotels can start functioning to provide accommodation to tourists / visitors/ business related travel etc. on production of evidence like flight/ train/ bus tickets etc will continue. However, the restaurants will open only wef 8th June, 2020. They will have to follow SOP of MoHFW and ensure social distancing as well as proper hygiene and regular sanitization.

The religious places/ places of worship will open only from 8th June, 2020 with SOP to be issued by MoHFW. However, arrangement for orderly visit of devotees observing social distancing norm will have to be made by the management of these institutions. Moreover, religious functions & congregations still remain prohibited.

The shopping malls will open only from 8th June, 2020 with SOP to be issued by MoHFW. However, there is no restriction on
functioning of stand-alone shops, neighborhood shops, market complexes and markets. But, there should be no crowding in shopping areas. The market committees/ associations will appoint volunteers to regulate shoppers for maintaining physical distancing. They may also take responsibility of sanitization at least twice a day. Use of mask will be compulsory for both shopkeepers and shoppers.

vi. The tourist places will be allowed for visitors with arrangement for orderly visit of tourists observing social distancing norm.

vii. Though there is no restriction on intra state movement of any vehicle outside the containment zone, social distancing will have to be observed.

viii. Inter-State road passenger movement will be allowed to ply only for stranded people, people with medical needs, business related travel and other urgent needs after observing physical distancing. The passengers will be medically screened/tested at the point of entry as per SOP.

ix. Though decision regarding opening of Schools, Colleges, educational/training/coaching institutions etc. will be taken in July by Government of India, they may start preparation for opening. For this purpose, limited no. of teachers & staff may attend the schools/ colleges, on roster duty, to make preparation of social distancing, mid-day meal programme etc. The teachers may undertake student contact programme to motivate students for online/distance learning etc.

x. The high risk group like old age people, persons with co-morbidities, immuno compromised persons may remain at home and their health conditions will be monitored regularly.

xi. Use of Aarogya Setu App will be compulsory for all persons coming from other states, persons going out of the state, persons
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in containment & buffer zones, all persons having SARI/ILI symptoms as well as government/PSU employees and pensioners.

The District Administration will ensure compliance of the Order with the help of all available officers at district level like Food Department, Health Department, Police Department etc.

This order may be deemed to have been issued under DMA Act, 2005 and takes immediate effect.

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(State Executive Committee)

To

1. Additional Chief Secretary, Health & Family Welfare.
2. All Secretaries-in-Charge, Govt. of Tripura.
3. Director General of Police (in-Charge), Govt. of Tripura.
4. All D. M. & Collectors, Govt. of Tripura.
5. All Superintendents of Police, Govt. of Tripura.
6. The Director, ICA for information with a request for wide publicity.
7. All Chief Medical Officers, Govt. of Tripura.
8. The State Surveillance Officer, Health & FW.