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Directorate of Family Welfare & PM
Government of Tripura

Dated, Agartala, the 24th May, 2020

To
The Chief Medical Officer
West Tripura/Sepahijala/Khowai/Gomati/
South Tripura/Dhalai/Unakoti/North Tripura

Sub: Standard Operating Procedure (SoP) for Receiving Persons from outside The State Arriving By Flights at Agartala regarding.

Sir,

As per approval of the competent authority dated, 24th May, 2020, the Standard Operating Procedure (SoP) for Air Travellers for receiving persons from outside the State arriving by Air at MBB Airport, Agartala is appended herewith.

This is for your kind information and necessary action please.

Enclo: As stated

Yours Faithfully

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Copy to:
1. The District Magistrate & Collector, West District
2. The Superintendent of Police, West District
3. The Mission Director, NHM
4. The Director of Health Services
5. The Airport Authority, MBB Airport, Agartala, for information.

Copy also to:
1. The PS to the Addl. Chief Secretary, Health Deptt. Govt. of Tripura, for kind information of the Addl. Chief Secretary.
Department of Health & Family Welfare
Government of Tripura

Standard Operating Procedure for Air Travellers

Ministry of Civil Aviation and Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India have issued guidelines regarding protocols to be followed for passengers travelling by air. In continuation of these guidelines, following procedure shall be followed for all passengers arriving at Maharaja Bir Bikram Airport, Agartala:-

i) Thermal screening of all passengers shall be done on the exit point.

ii) All passengers with foreign travel history in last 28 days, foreign passport holders and having symptoms will be taken to nearby facility centre for collection of samples from each passenger. They will be kept in facility quarantine till result is declared. If a Bangladesh passport holder passenger is interested in going to Bangladesh by Akhaura check-post, he will be transported to Akhaura check-post immediately by a special vehicle, against payment, and permitted to emigrate to Bangladesh following due procedure.

iii) Asymptomatic passengers having confirmed return ticket within 72 hours of arrival will be permitted to go with the advice that they self-monitor their health and in case they develop any symptoms, they will inform the District Surveillance Officer or the State Control room No-0381-241-2424 or national call centre (1075).

iv) Sample will be collected for all asymptomatic passengers who are not Tripura residents and are coming here for stay more than 72 hours. Their place of stay in Tripura will be collected and they will be left with the advice that they self-monitor their health and in case they develop any symptoms, they will inform the District Surveillance Officer or the State Control room No-0381-241-2424 or national call centre (1075).
v) For all other passengers, sample will be taken on random basis for every 5th passenger. After taking sample, these passengers will be left with advice to self-monitor their health for 14-days and remain in home quarantine. In case to develop any symptom, they shall immediately informed District Surveillance Officer.

All other instructions issued in the guidelines issued by Ministry of Civil Aviation, Govt. of India will be followed strictly.

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