

**GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
PUDUCHERRY STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

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No.104/PSEC/COVID19/2021

Puducherry, dt. 26.04.2021

ORDER

Sub: PSEC -Containment of Resurgence of COVID 19 - Instructions-
Issued

- Ref: 1. The Order No.40-3/2020-DM-I(A) dt.23/03/2021 of the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India.
2. The Order No.even dated 12-04-2021 of the State Executive Committee, Puducherry.
3. The Order No.even dated 20-04-2021 of the State Executive Committee, Puducherry.
4. The Order No.even dated 21-04-2021 of the State Executive Committee, Puducherry.


Whereas an Orders have been issued, vide ref. 2 to 4 cited above, to contain the fresh surge in COVID-19 cases. As the case have risen further since then, the matter has been reviewed on 25-04-2021 in the High Level meeting chaired by Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor. Consequent to the meeting the following directions under Disaster Management Act, 2005, with immediate effect upto 30.04.2021 mid night for strict compliance by all concerned.

1.	Corona Night Curfew	There shall be Corona Curfew from 10.00 pm till 5.00 am every day.
2.	Lockdown/ Restrictions	<p>In addition to the aforesaid Corona Night Curfew, the following restrictions shall be in force with immediate effect and running upto Friday, 30th April, 2021 midnight. Only the activities mentioned below as per terms and conditions herein shall be permitted.</p> <p>a) Provision Stores, Vegetable Shops, shops dealing with food, groceries, fruits, dairy and milk booth, meat and fish, animal fodder shall be permitted. Big format shops, Shopping Complex and Malls, shall however not be permitted to operate. Routine maintenance of the malls and other closed establishments is permitted.</p> <p>b) Only delivery of foods by way of home delivery/take away by restaurants/eateries is permitted. Food shall be served to the Guests in Hotels and Lodges in their rooms only and the Guests shall not be permitted to dine in the restaurants attached to Hotels and Lodges. However dine in facility in Restaurants, Hotels, Mess shall not be permitted. Likewise, tea shops and eateries shall not be permitted.</p> <p>c) Hospitals, medical labs, Pharmaceuticals, Opticians, medicines and medical equipments, distribution of news papers, ambulance and hearse vehicle services, medical and its allied activities, all medical emergency cases shall be permitted.</p> <p>d) Goods transport and public passenger transport (buses/auto/taxis), vehicles carrying agricultural produce of farmers, Agriculture & its allied activities shall be permitted. The passengers shall be restricted to the seating capacity only. Rental vehicles and Taxis including Cab aggregation shall be permitted to ply with three passengers excluding driver. Autos shall be permitted to ply with two passengers excluding driver.</p>

	<p>e) All religious places / places of worship shall be closed for public worship. However, essential Poojas / Prarthanas / Rituals are permitted to be conducted only by the priests/employees of the respective religious place. Further Religious congregations/ gatherings and Tiruvizhakkal are prohibited. However, "Kudamuzhukku" shall be permitted without participation of the General Public and with the participation of priests/employees of the temple only by following the Standard Operating Procedure.</p> <p>f) Marriage related gathering shall be permitted but with guests not exceeding 50.</p> <p>g) Funeral/last rites are permitted with participants not exceeding 25.</p> <p>h) Industrial production/industries shall be permitted.</p> <p>i) Following essential services shall be permitted:</p> <p>POL Bunks, Banks Insurance Offices and ATMs, SEBI/stock relates offices, Telecommunication, Internet services, Broadcasting and Cable services, Media, IT and IT enabled services, Water supply, Sanitation, Electricity supply, Cold storages and ware housing services, private security services, Law and order/emergency/municipal/fire/election related services, Courts as per orders of High Court.</p> <p>j) All E-Commerce activities shall be permitted</p> <p>Persons involved in the Govt. essential services shall be allowed to carry on their activities on production of their ID cards. The passengers shall be allowed to travel on production of valid ticket. Persons involved in aforesaid permitted activities shall follow COVID appropriate behaviour and national directives issued by MHA. Action shall be taken against violators.</p>
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2. There shall be strict enforcement by Police/Revenue/LAD in containment zones as per extant guidelines of MoH&FW.

3. Further Health department shall carry out aggressive testing in hotspots and ramp up RTPCR testing.


26.4.21

(ASHOK KUMAR, I.A.S.)
SECRETARY (R&R) /
MEMBER SECRETARY (SEC)

To

1. All Members of the State Executive Committee, Puducherry
2. All Secretaries to Government, Puducherry
3. The Director General of Police, Puducherry.
4. The District Collector - Cum - Chairman, DDMA, Puducherry / Karaikal.
5. The Regional Administrator, Mahe / Yanam.
6. All Heads of Departments, Puducherry

Copy to :

1. The Advisors to HLG, Puducherry.
2. The Chief Secretary to Govt., Puducherry
3. The Secretary to HLG. Puducherry.