GOVERNMENT OF ARUNACHAL PRADESH  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SECRETARY  
BLOCK NO.2, 5TH FLOOR, ITANAGAR

NO. CS/COVID-19/01/2020/32  
Dated Itanagar, the 4th May’2020

ORDER

(i) NDMA Order No.1-29/2020-PP dated 01.05.2020
(ii) MHA Order No.40-3/2020-DM-1(A) dated 01.05.2020

Vide order No 1-29/2020-PP dated 01.05.2020 NDMA has issued order directing Ministries/Departments of Government of India and State/Union Territory authorities to take effective measures to prevent spread of Covid-19 in the Country.

2. In compliance of NDMA Order No 1-29/2020-PP dated 01.05.2020 MHA has issued new guidelines vide order No. 40-3/2020-DM-1(A) dated 01.05.2020 as annexed-1 which will come into effect from 04.05.2020 for period of 2 weeks.

3. Whereas MHA has allowed activity into districts based on category decided by Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt.of India. All district authorities to implement/allow/ regulate the permitted activities as per their category i.e. Green, Orange and Red zones.

4. Whereas MHA allowed State authorities to put additional measures/restrictions as per their assessment of situation. The State Government has decided to regulate some other activities to prevent spread of Covid virus which is annexed as Annexure-2.

5. Deputy Commissioners shall ensure strict compliance of the National directives for Covid Management. All districts authorities are hereby directed to strictly implement the guidelines which are annexed as Annexure (1), (2) and (3).

DCs and SPs shall be personally responsible for strict compliance of MHA order and additional restriction directed by State Government as annexed.

[Naresh Kumar] 
Chief Secretary 
Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh

Copy to:
All Deputy Commissioners/Superintendents of Police of the Districts for information and compliance.

[As per Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) Order No. 40-3/2020-DM-I (A) dated 1st May, 2020]

1. With the extension of the Lockdown period for a further period of two weeks with effect from 4th May 2020, new guidelines, as under, will be applicable based on the risk profiling of the districts into Red (Hotspot), Green and Orange zones.

2. Identification of Red (Hotspots), Green and Orange Zones
   i. Based on their risk profile, the criteria for dividing the districts of the country into three zones, viz., green, red and orange, will be as follows:
      a. Green Zones: Green Zones shall be defined as per the following criteria: districts with zero confirmed case till date; or; districts with no confirmed case in the last 21 days.
      b. Red Zones or Hotspot Districts: Districts shall be defined as Red Zones or Hotspot districts, by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHFW), Government of India (GoI), taking into account total number of active cases, doubling rate of confirmed cases, extent of testing and surveillance feedback.
      c. Orange Zones: Districts, which are neither defined as Red nor as Green Zones, shall be Orange Zones.

   ii. MoHFW will share the list of Red Zone (Hotspot), Orange Zone and Green Zone districts and related information with State/ UTs on a weekly basis or earlier as required. States/ UTs, on review, may consider inclusion of additional districts as Red Zone (Hotspots) and Orange Zone districts depending on the extent of spread of COVID-19 infection. However, States and UTs may not lower the classification of any district, that is included in the list of Red Zone (Hotspots) and Orange Zone districts by MoHFW.

   iii. Districts classified either as Red or Orange Zones, may have one or more Municipal Corporation (MC) areas. In such cases, States/ UTs and District administrations may make an assessment of the distribution of cases - within the jurisdiction of the MC(s); and the area falling outside the MC(s) boundaries. In such cases, the classification of zones shall be as follows:
      a. In case the district is classified as a Red Zone, and, there is no confirmed case in the last 21 days in the area of the district outside the limits of the MC(s), this area may be labeled as an Orange Zone. However, due caution may be exercised in such areas so that they remain free from COVID-19 cases.
      b. In case the district is classified as an Orange Zone, and, there is no confirmed case in the last 21 days in the area of the district outside the limits of the MC(s), this area may be labeled as a Green Zone. However, due caution may be exercised in such areas so that they remain free from COVID-19 cases.
      c. In case in the area of the district outside the limits of the MC (s) does have one or more confirmed case(s) in the last 21 days, this part of the
district shall continue to be labeled as a Red or Orange Zone, as per
the classification of the district.

d. While assessing the classification of a zone, cases should be registered
in the zone where the case originates, rather than where it is treated.

3. Identification of Containment Zones

i. Containment Zones shall be demarcated within Red (Hotspots) and Orange
Zones by States/UTs and District Administrations based on the guidelines of
MoHFW. The boundary of the Containment Zone shall be defined by District
Administrations taking into account the following factors: mapping of cases
and contacts; geographical dispersion of cases and contacts; area with well
demarcated perimeter; and enforceability.

ii. The boundary of the Containment Zone will be a residential colony, mohalla,
municipal ward, municipal zone, Police Station area, towns etc., in case of
urban areas; and, a village, cluster of villages, Gram Panchayats, group of
Police Stations, blocks etc., in case of rural areas.

Protocol within Containment Zones:

iii. Intensive surveillance mechanism as outlined in the Standard Operating
Protocol (SOP) issued by MoHFW is to be established within the Containment
Zone. The local authority shall ensure 100% coverage of Aarogya Setu
app among the residents of Containment Zones.

iv. In the Containment Zone, following activities shall be undertaken by the local
authorities:

a. Contact Tracing.

b. Home or Institutional quarantining of individuals based on risk
assessment by medical officers. This risk assessment will be based on
symptoms, contact with confirmed cases, and travel history.

c. Testing of all cases with Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI),
Influenza Like Illness (ILI) and other symptoms specified by MOHFW.

d. House to house surveillance by special teams constituted for this
purpose.

e. Clinical management of all cases as per protocol.

f. Counselling and educating people; and establishing effective
communication strategies.

v. In these Containment Zones, within Red (Hotspots) and Orange Zones,
where maximum precaution is required, there shall be strict perimeter
control to ensure that there is no movement of population in or out of these
zones except for medical emergencies and for maintaining supply of essential
goods and services. The guidelines issued in this regard by MoHFW will be
strictly implemented by State/UT Governments and the local district
authorities.

4. The following activities will continue to remain prohibited across the
country, irrespective of the Zone, for a period of two weeks with effect
from 4th May, 2020:

i. All domestic and international air travel of passengers, except for medical
services, air ambulance and for security purposes or for purposes as permitted
by MHA.

ii. All passenger movement by trains, except for security purposes or for
purposes as permitted by MHA.
iii. Inter-State Buses for public transport, except as permitted by MHA.
iv. Metro rail services.
v. Inter-State movement of individuals except for medical reasons or for activities as permitted by MHA.
vi. All schools, colleges, educational/training/coaching institutions etc. However, online/distance learning shall be permitted.
vii. Hospitality services other than those used for housing health/police/Government officials/healthcare workers, stranded persons including tourists, and those used for quarantine facilities.
viii. All cinema halls, shopping malls, gymnasiaums, sports complexes, swimming pools, entertainment parks, theatres, bars and auditoriums, assembly halls and similar places.
ix. All social/political/sports/entertainment/academic/cultural/religious functions/other gatherings.
x. All religious places/places of worship shall be closed for public. Religious congregations are strictly prohibited.

5. Measures for well being and safety of persons

i. The movement of individuals, for all non-essential activities, shall remain strictly prohibited between 7 pm to 7 am. Local authorities shall issue orders under appropriate provisions of law, such as prohibitory orders [curfew] under Section 144 of CrPC, for this purpose, and ensure strict compliance.

ii. In all zones, persons above 65 years of age, persons with co-morbidities, pregnant women, and children below the age of 10 years, shall stay at home, except for meeting essential requirements and for health purposes, as per the National Directives.

iii. In Containment Zones, Out-Patient Departments (OPDs) and Medical clinics shall not be permitted to operate. However, these may be permitted to operate in Red, Orange and Green Zones, with social distancing norms and other safety precautions.

6. Activities in Containment Zones

i. Strict perimeter control.

ii. Establishment of clear entry and exit points.

iii. Movement of persons only for maintaining supply of goods and services; and for medical emergencies.

iv. No unchecked influx of people and transport.

v. Recording of details of people moving in and out of perimeter.

7. Activities in Red Zones (Hotspots) [Outside Containment Zones]

i. Apart from the prohibited activities mentioned at Para 4, the following activities shall not be permitted:

   a. Cycle rickshaws and auto rickshaws.
   b. Taxis and cab aggregators.
   c. Intra-district and inter-district plying of buses.
   d. Barber shops, spas and salons.

ii. The following activities shall be permitted with restrictions as specified:

   a. Movement of individuals and vehicles, only for permitted activities. Four wheeler vehicles will have maximum two passengers besides the vehicle driver; for two wheelers, pillion rider is not allowed.
9. **Activities in Green Zones**
   i. All activities are permitted in Green Zones, except those activities that are prohibited under Para 4.
   ii. Buses can operate with up to 50% seating capacity.
   iii. Bus depots can operate with up to 50% capacity.

10. All other activities will be permitted activities, which are not specifically prohibited/ permitted with restrictions in the various Zones, under these guidelines. However, States/ UTs, based on their assessment of the situation, and with the primary objective of keeping the spread of COVID-19 in check, may allow only select activities from out of the permitted activities, with such restrictions as felt necessary.

11. All States/ UTs shall allow inter-state movement of goods/ cargo, including empty trucks.

12. No State/ UT shall stop the movement of cargo for cross land-border trade under Treaties with neighbouring countries.

13. No separate/ fresh permissions are required from authorities for activities already permitted to operate under the guidelines on Lockdown measures up to May 3, 2020. The following Standard Operating Protocols (SOPs) issued by MHA will continue to operate:
   i. SOP on transit arrangement for foreign national(s) in India and release of quarantine persons, issued vide Order dated April 02, 2020.
   ii. SOP on movement of stranded labour within States/ UTs, issued vide Order dated April 19, 2020.
   iii. SOP on sign-on and sign-off of Indian seafarers, issued vide Order dated April 21, 2020.
   v. SOP on movement of stranded migrant workers, pilgrims, tourists, students and other persons by train, issued vide Order dated May 01, 2020.

14. **Strict enforcement of the lockdown guidelines**

State/ UT Governments shall not dilute these guidelines issued under the Disaster Management Act, 2005, in any manner, and shall strictly enforce the same.

15. **Instructions for enforcement of above lockdown measures:**
   i. All the district magistrates shall strictly enforce the above lockdown measures and the National Directives for COVID 19 Management, for public and work places, as specified in Annexure I.
   ii. In order to implement these containment measures, the District Magistrate will deploy Executive Magistrates as Incident Commanders in the respective local jurisdictions. The Incident Commander will be responsible for the overall implementation of these measures in their respective jurisdictions. All other line department officials in the specified area will work under the directions of such Incident Commander. The Incident Commander will issue passes for enabling essential movements as explained.
   iii. The Incident Commanders will in particular ensure that all efforts for mobilization of resources, workers and material for augmentation and expansion of hospital infrastructure shall continue without any hindrance.

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I. The movement of individuals, for all non-essential activities, shall remain strictly prohibited between 7 PM to 5 AM in all District Headquarters, Check gate areas and Capital Complex Region including Doimukh and Yupia. Local authorities shall issue orders as per appropriate provision of Law e.g. CRPC 144, Disaster Management Act.

II. The movement of people via other State i.e. Assam will be regulated through a non-stop Convoy led by the Police team of Arunachal Pradesh in both directions. For example movement between Capital Complex to East Siang Pasighat via Assam through Ruksin will be in a two convoy per day in each direction.

III. Asymptomatic Persons/individuals returning to Arunachal Pradesh shall be placed in Institutional quarantine facility, followed by mandatory sample collection for RT-PCR test after 3/14 days. Revised SOP is attached as annexed as Annexure-3.

IV. Restriction on ILP/PAP to be continued till further orders.

V. Weekly market will not be operational till further orders.