NOTIFICATION

1. In exercise of powers conferred under Section 60 of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, the State Government hereby authorizes—
   (i) all the Officers In-Charge of Police Stations (SHOs) in the state for offences under Sections 51 to 57 of the said Act; and
   (ii) all the District Magistrates in the state for offences under Section 58 of the said Act;

to act as authorized officers to file complaints in the respective jurisdiction courts.

2. Further, in exercise of powers conferred under Section 59 of the said Act, the State Government hereby authorizes —
   (i) all the District Magistrates in the State in respect of Group B, C & D employees; and
   (ii) the State Government in the concerned Department in respect of Group-A employees;

to act as authorized officers to grant sanction for prosecution for offences punishable under Section 55 and 56 of the said Act.

Chandigarh,
the 30th April, 2020

(Satish Chandra),
Additional Chief Secretary (Home)

A copy is forwarded to :-
1. All the Administrative Secretaries in the State
2. The Director General of Police, Punjab
3. All the Divisional Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioners in the State
4. All the Zonal IGP's, Commissioners of Police, DIGs and SSPs in the State
5. All the Officers In-charge (SHOs) of Police Stations in Punjab,
for taking immediate necessary action in the matter.

Additional Chief Secretary (Home)

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