# GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE & COLLECTOR WEST TRIPURA DISTRICT

No.F.4-(11)/DM/W/JDL/2020/4926-33

Dated, 12<sup>th</sup> May, 2021.

## ORDER UNDER SECTION 144 Cr.PC, 1973 (Containment Zone Area-COVID-19)

WHEREAS, it has been brought to the notice of the undersigned by the Health Department that sudden spurt of positive cases of COVID-19 has been found in the ward No 5, 21 and Ward No 46 of Agartala Municipal Corporation which may become a probable hotspot of COVID-19 unless strict measures are taken urgently for geographic quarantine of the concerned area and vicinity thereof;

#### AND

WHEREAS, it is a case of extreme emergency and the circumstances are such that serving of notice upon all persons residing in the jurisdiction/vicinity of the areas mentioned below is not practicable and possible and therefore, it is necessary and expedient to proceed ex-parte under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973;

#### AND

WHEREAS, under section 34(b) of Disaster Management Act, District Magistrate and Collector is empowered to control and restrict vehicular traffic to, from and within vulnerable or affected area and under 34(c) of the said Act control and restrict entry of any person into, his movement within, and departure from a vulnerable or affected area.

#### AND

**WHEREAS**, already notification issued by the chief Secretary Vide No.F.13(13-132)/DFWPM/IDSP/2020 (Sub- I) Dated 13<sup>th</sup> March' 2020 under the Epidemic Disease Act- 1897 has empowered the District Administration to implement Containment Measures.

THEREFORE, in view of the above mentioned circumstances and as an emergency containment measure, I, Shri Raval Hamendra Kumar, IAS, District Magistrate & Collector, West Tripura District in exercise of the powers vested in me under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 and 34(b) and 34(c) of Disaster Management Act, 2005 do hereby order and direct complete closure of following wards:-

Name of Sub- Division	Name of the ULB	Ward No	Containment Zone	Buffer Zone	Radius
Sadar	Agartala	Ward No 5, 21 & 46.	Name of habitation	Population	
			All habitations belonging	Ward No- 5: 11,024 Nos	2.00 KM
				Ward No- 21: 11,373 Nos	2.00 KM
				Ward No- 46: 14,400 Nos	2.00 KM

- 1. Under no circumstances there shall be any ingress/ outgress of any person or vehicle from the containment Zone at any time of the day except for persons/vehicles involved in the enforcement of containment plan and maintaining essential services including medical emergencies
- 2. Every Person residing within or entering the containment Zone shall wear a face cover/ mask
- 3. All shops, establishments, Parks shall remain closed within the containment zone except Grocery Shops (Provisional stores), medical shops & diary booths. These essential shops will remain open from <u>5 AM to 6 PM</u> in compliance with the timings of curfew already in force.
- 4. The movement of the Residents or persons of the ward shall be restricted. Within ward movement will be allowed only for purchasing of essential commodities only form the shop opened within the ward.
- 5. All roads within the wards shall remain closed except the road leading from GB Bazar to Circuit House (Main Road), the road leading from GB Bazar to Dhaleswar via ITI, Indranagar, Road from GB

Bazar to Banikya Chowmuhani and Road from GB Bazar to Old Motor Stand via Abhoynagar (in respect of Ward No- 5), Agartala Sabroom Road NH-08 (In respect of Ward No 46) and Assam Agartala Road, Road from Shibnagar Modern Club to Kalyani via PN Deb Road (in respect of Ward No- 21).

- 6. Assembly of two or more people shall not be allowed within the ward areas and SP West shall maintain close surveillance to enforce these restrictions within and at entry and exit points (Naka Points). He shall ensure that public movement would be allowed only for purchasing essential goods within ward. He shall also provide for necessary barricading and deployment of police personnel to ensure adequate security.
- 7. The movement of people engaged in maintaining essential services will be allowed into and outside these wards only after producing valid ID Card to the security personnel deployed at the entry gate of the containment zone.
- 8. Supply of essential goods shall be through the vendors identified by AMC for General Purchase by residents of concerned area.
- 9. Sanitization in the containment zone shall be done at regular intervals of time by AMC.
- 10. In order to contain further spread of COVID- 19, it is compulsory to test atleast 1 (one) member from each family besides the ILI/ARI cases & contact person the positive patient.
- 11. DWS will ensure proper water supply through water tankers in any emergency situation
- 12. TSECL will ensure regular electricity supply and keep its fault rectification team on standby for emergency situation
- 13. CMO West will ensure implementation of all protocols prescribed by MoHFW in containment zone.
- 14. The SDM- Sadar shall erect barricades/ Check Points & sheds with other logistics so as to conducive to maintain Containment Zone properly.

This order shall come into effect from 5AM 13/05/2021 and shall remain in force till 6PM on 22/05/2021.

Any person contravening this order shall be liable for prosecution under section 69,270 and 188 of IPC 1860, sections 51-60 of Disaster Management Act 2005.

Issued under my hand and seal on 12th May 2021

(SHRI RAVAL H. KUMAR, IAS) **District Magistrate & Collector** West Tripura District.

### Copy to:

- 1. The Addl. Chief Secretary (Health) to the Govt. of Tripura for favour of kind information.
- 2. The Principal Secretary, Home Deptt, Government of Tripura for information.
- 3. The Commissioner, Agartala Municipal Corporation for information & necessary action.
- 4. The Director, ICA Deptt, Government of Tripura for information & necessary action.
- 5. The Superintendent of Police, West Tripura District for information & necessary action.
- 6. The Medical Superintendent, AGMC & GBP Hospital for information & necessary action.
- 7. The Chief Medical Officer, West Tripura District for information & necessary action.
- 8. The Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Sadar for information & necessary action.

**District Magistrate & Collector** West Tripura District.



