



**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

**Abstract**

Disaster Management Department - Containment Activities - Lockdown in the State from 10th June to 16th June 2021 - Additional guidelines - Orders issued.

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**DISASTER MANAGEMENT (A) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.(Rt)No.459/2021/DMD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 07/06/2021

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Read 1. GO(Rt)No.404/2021/DMD dated 06.05.2021.

2. GO(Rt)No.444/2021/DMD dated 29.05.2021.

3. GO(Rt)No.455/2021/DMD dated 03.06.2021.

**ORDER**

As per Government Orders referred above, certain restrictions in the form of lockdown are being implemented in the State from 8<sup>th</sup> May to 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 to contain the spread of COVID-19 pandemic. Now it is observed that further reduction of infections and Test Positivity Rate (TPR) is essential.

2) Hence, in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 20(3) of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, the undersigned in the capacity of the Chairman, Executive Committee of the State Disaster Management Authority hereby orders extension of the State-wide lockdown from 00:00 Hrs of 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 to 23:59 Hrs of 16<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 as follows :

1. The shops and establishments permitted to function on 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 including the shops trading in rubber will continue to be allowed to function with the following additional guidelines.
2. Staff deployment upto 50% ordered from 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 vide G.O 3rd cited above will be effective only from 17<sup>th</sup> June, 2021.
3. For permitted construction activities during lockdown, site engineers/supervisors shall also be allowed free movement on production of their ID cards/authorization letters to their work sites and back home.
4. Banks and Financial Institutions will function on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 (Thursday) and 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 (Tuesday) will be holidays under Negotiable Instrument Act 1881.
5. All the shops that were permitted to function on 4<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 vide G.O 3rd cited above including textiles, stationery, jewellery, opticals, hearing aids,

women hygiene products, footwear, bookshops and repair shops will be allowed to function on Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 also from 7 AM to 7 PM. Vehicle showrooms will be permitted to open on 11<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 from 7 AM to 2 PM only for essential maintenance of vehicles. Sale of vehicles shall not be allowed.

6. During the lockdown period, additional enhanced stringent restrictions will be imposed on 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 with only the permissible activities as shown in the annexure.

(By order of the Governor)

**Dr V P Joy**  
**Chief Secretary**

Additional Chief Secretary, Home & Vigilance Department

Additional Chief Secretary, Revenue & DM Department

Principal Secretary, Health & Family Welfare Dept.

All Additional Chief Secretaries/ Principal Secretaries/ Secretaries

All Heads of Departments including State Police Chief

All District Collectors

All District Police Chiefs

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Private Secretary to Chief Minister

Private Secretary to all Ministers

Special Secretary to Chief Secretary

Director, I&PRD/Web and New Media

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Section Officer

### **Annexure**

1. All State and Central Government Offices and their autonomous bodies, Corporations etc. dealing with emergency and essential services and COVID-19 containment and management duties shall be fully functional and officers/personnel of the same shall be allowed unrestricted movement.
2. All Industries/companies/organizations dealing with emergency and essential services and requiring operations 24x7 shall be permitted to operate. Movement of employees of such organizations shall be allowed on producing valid ID card issued by the respective organizations/institutions.

3. Employees and vehicles of Telecom and internet service providers shall be allowed movement on producing valid ID cards issued by their respective organization/institution. Only essential staff/employees of IT and ITeS organizations shall work from office.
4. Patients and their attendants/persons requiring emergency need, eligible people intending to take vaccination shall be allowed movement with valid ID proof.
5. Only neighborhood shops dealing with food, groceries, fruits and vegetables, dairy and milk booths, toddy, meat and fish are allowed to function from 7 AM to 7 PM. Home delivery of essential items shall be encouraged to minimize movement of individuals outside their homes.
6. Restaurants and bakeries shall be permitted only for take away and home delivery from 7 AM to 7 PM.
7. Movement of long-distance bus services, trains and air travel are permitted. Movement of public transport, goods carriage vehicles and private vehicles and taxis, (including cabs by aggregators) to and from airports, railway stations and bus terminals/stops/stands is allowed for facilitating movement of passengers by air, rail and road. The movement will be allowed only on displaying valid travel documents/tickets and strictly adhering to COVID protocol.
8. Marriages and housewarming ceremonies registered in COVID jagratha portal are permitted strictly adhering to COVID protocols.