



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Disaster Management Department - Guidelines on the restrictions imposed in the State as part of COVID-19 containment activities from 26th July 2021 - Orders issued

DISASTER MANAGEMENT (A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.545/2021/DMD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 24/07/2021

- Read:-
1. GO(Rt)No.404/2021/DMD dated 06.05.2021
 2. GO(Rt)No.467/2021/DMD dated 15.06.2021
 3. GO(Rt)No.479/2021/DMD dated 22.06.2021
 4. GO(Rt)No.487/2021/DMD dated 29.06.2021
 5. GO(Rt) No.500/2021/DMD dated 06.07.2021
 6. GO(Rt) No.524/2021/DMD dated 10.07.2021
 7. GO (Rt) No.532/2021/DMD dated 17.07.2021
 8. GO (Rt) No.534/2021/DMD dated 20.07.2021

ORDER

As part of COVID- 19 containment activities, the Local Self Government Institutions(LSGIs) in the state were categorized based on the Test Positivity Rate(TPR) and certain relaxations on lock-down were extended to the areas where the TPR is less and special intensified stringent restrictions are being implemented in areas where TPR is high.

2) After assessing the current situation of the spread of COVID-19 pandemic in the State, the undersigned, in his capacity as Chairman of the State Executive Committee of State Disaster Management Authority, in exercise of the powers conferred under Sec 20(3) of the Disaster Management Act-2005, hereby issues the following additional guidelines for strict implementation by the enforcing authorities from 00:00 Hrs of 26th July 2021.

- i. Existing categorisation of LSGIs and restrictions/relaxations in respective categories will continue.
- ii. All Government offices, including PSUs, companies, autonomous

organizations, commissions etc. will function with 50% attendance in A and B category LSGIs and with 25% attendance in C categories except essential services which will function fully in all areas including D category LSGIs. However, employees connected with the ongoing Kerala Legislative Assembly questions and related activities shall attend office every day. Others shall be on 'work from home duty'. The heads of departments shall strictly monitor the work from home duty attended by employees before furnishing their attendance details.

- iii. There shall be no change in the functioning schedules of banks and other financial institutions.
- iv. District Collectors are authorized to ensure the services of government servants and employees of other Government agencies including PSUs, autonomous organizations, companies, commissions etc. for COVID-19 prevention and containment activities.
- v. District Collectors shall post sectoral magistrates wherever necessary and strictly enforce the activities for declaring micro-containment zones, contact tracing and quarantine.

(By order of the Governor)

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