ORDER

Whereas, the Novel Corona-Virus (COVID-19) is one of the highly contagious viruses and it has posed a severe threat to the people across the world. A large number of people in various states of our country have also found corona positive which is a matter of great concern to all and sundry.

Whereas, the Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Paonta Sahib, District Sirmaur, H.P. has informed this office vide letter No. SDM-Paonta-SDKCOVID-19/2020 dated 26th June, 2020 that two persons of residing at Shamsherpur, Paonta Sahib, District Sirmaur has been tested corona positive on 25th June, 2020. As per his travel history, he travelled from Dehli to Yamuna-Nagar and then from Yamuna-Nagar to Paonta Sahib in hired vehicle No. HR-55AG-4375. With a view to following up this corona positive case, the Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Paonta Sahib, District Sirmaur has recommended the following right side area of NH-72(W.No.1) near the Khemji Dhaba upto Sharma petrol pump, in West side from Sharma petrol pump upto the house of Sh. S.S. Chetri, in North side from the house of Sh. S.S. Chetri upto the house of Sh. Raghbir Singh & Sons, in East side from the house of Sh. Raghbir Singh upto Khemji Dhaba, left side area of NH-72 (W.No.2) from Gali near Coopperative Bank upto the Singla Brothers General Store, W.No.2, Badripur, Paonta Sahib to be declared as containment zone and areas of W.No.1, North side from the Shop of Sh. Khapra Ply and Glass house upto the shop of Sh. Inderjeet Chawla, in West side from the Shop of Sh. Inderjeet Chawla upto the shop of Sh. Satish opposite, Shiv Mandir, in South side from the shop of Sh. Satish upto the house of Sh. Kulbhushan, in East side from the house of Sh. Kulbhushan upto the house of Sh. Raj Kumar, left side area of NH-72 (W.No.2) from
Singla Brothers General Store to south side upto the Shop of Sh. Ravi Kumar, in North Side from the Gali near HP State Cooperative Bank upto the shop of Ranbir hair dresser, Badripur Chowk, Paonta Sahib, W.No.2 be declared as buffer zone.

Whereas, keeping in view the positive testing of two case in MC, Paonta Sahib and subsequent recommendation of the Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Paonta Sahib, right side area of NH-72(W.No.1) near the Khemji Dhaba upto Sharma petrol pump, in West side from Sharma petrol pump upto the house of Sh. S.S. Chetri, in North side from the house of Sh. S.S. Chetri upto the house of Sh. Raghubir Singh & Sons, in East side from the house of Sh. Raghubir Singh upto Khemji Dhaba, left side area of NH-72 (W.No.2) from Gali near Cooporative Bank upto the Singla Brothers General Store, W.No.2, Badripur, Paonta Sahib to be declared as containment zone and areas of W.No.1, North side from the Shop of Sh. Khapra Ply and Glass house upto the shop of Sh. Inderjeet Chawla, in West side from the Shop of Sh. Inderjeet Chawla upto the shop of Sh. Satish opposite, Shiv Mandir, in South side from the shop of Sh. Satish upto the house of Sh. Kulbhushan, in East side from the house of Sh. Kulbhushan upto the house of Sh. Raj Kumar, left side area of NH-72 (W.No.2) from Singla Brothers General Store to south side upto the Shop of Sh. Ravi Kumar, in North Side from the Gali near HP State Cooperative Bank upto the shop of Ranbir hair dresser, Badripur Chowk, Paonta Sahib, W.No.2 be declared as buffer zone require to be cordoned off for containing the spread of infection. Thus, the complete restrictions on the movement of vehicles, people residing in aforementioned areas are required to be imposed.

Whereas, I am satisfied that aforementioned area is required to be cordoned off/sealed immediately to contain the spread of infection of the said Virus as recommended by the Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Paonta Sahib vide aforementioned letter.
Whereas, it is a case of Health Emergency and the circumstances are so grave that serving of notice upon all persons residing in areas mentioned above is not practicable or possible at this juncture and therefore, it is necessary and expedient to proceed ex-parte under Section 144(2) of Cr.P.C. 1973.

Therefore, I, Dr. R.K. Pruthi, IAS, District Magistrate, District Sirmaur in exercise of the powers vested in me under Section 144(1)(2) of the Cr.P.C. 1973 do hereby order and direct that:

- right side area of NH-72(W.No.1) near the Khemji Dhaba upto Sharma petrol pump, in West side from Sharma petrol pump upto the house of Sh. S.S. Chetri, in North side from the house of Sh. S.S. Chetri upto the house of Sh. Raghbir Singh & Sons, in East side from the house of Sh. Raghbir Singh upto Khemji Dhaba, left side area of NH-72 (W.No.2) from Gali near Cooperative Bank upto the Singla Brothers General Store, W.No.2, Badripur, Paonta Sahib to be declared as containment zone is cordoned off and no person residing in the said areas shall be allowed to assemble, gather or congregate at any place of the said area and they shall remain inside their houses except in case of emergency.

The areas of W.No.1, North side from the Shop of Sh. Khapra Play and Glass house upto the shop of Sh. Inderjeet Chawla, in West side from the Shop of Sh. Inderjeet Chawla upto the shop of S. Satish opposite, Shiv Mandir, in South side from the shop of Sh. Satish upto the house of Sh. Kulbhushan, in East side from the house of Sh. Kulbhushan upto the house of Sh. Raj Kumar, left side area of NH-72 (W.No.2 from Singla Brothers General Store to south side) upto the Shop of Sh. Ravi Kumar, in North Side from the Gali near HP State Cooperative Bank upto the shop of Ranbir hair dresser,
Badripur Chowk, Paonta Sahib, W.No.2 be declared as buffer zone is cordoned off and no person residing in the said areas shall be allowed to assemble, gather or congregate at any place of the said area and they shall remain inside their houses except in case of emergency.

- No person shall participate; organize any function(s), demonstration(s), meeting(s), procession(s), rally, picketing, workshop(s), community or religious events within the limits of the containment/buffer zones mentioned above.
- All shops/commercial establishments located inside the cordoned off areas shall remain closed except chemist shops.
- Banks and all business and other institutions situated within the containment zone shall remain closed.
- All Government Offices providing essential services shall remain open subject to the conditions to follow proper social distancing norms and apply rotation system as prescribed by the Government. Other offices located in the said areas shall remain closed.

All essential commodities shall be supplied door to door inside the containment area for the convenience of the people with the assistance of counsellor(s) of concerned ward(s) of MC and EO MC, Paonta Sahib.

- The personnel(s)/Officer(s)/Official(s) engaged in providing essential services shall attend their duties as usual and shall take all necessary precautions as defined by the MHA.
- No person/vehicle from outside shall travel/move inside the containment area except the authorized person/permitted vehicles.
- This order shall not apply on officers on Magisterial duty, Police personnel, officers/officials involved in enforcement of these orders and other authorized person(s)/vehicle(s)
engaged in supplying of essential commodities and health services.

- Sanitization in containment area on regular basis shall be carried out by the EO(MC), Paonta Sahib.
- The Chief Medical Officer, District Sirmaur shall ensure to keep a medical team constituted/stationed for this area round the clock to keep strict vigil on the health of the people.
- The Superintendent of Police, District Sirmaur shall ensure to keep a strict vigil on the enforcement of order in the aforementioned areas.

Any person contravening these orders shall be liable for prosecution under Section 269, 270 and 188 IPC and Section 51, 54 and 56, of the Disaster Management Act, 2005.

This order shall come into effect immediately from the date of issuance and shall remain enforced till further order.

Given under my hand and seal on 26th June, 2020.

Dr. R.K. Pruthi, IAS
District Magistrate,
District Sirmaur (HP)

Endst No. as above

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1. The Chief Secretary to the Government of H.P. Shimla for information please.
2. The Additional Chief Secretary (Health) to the Govt. of H.P. Shimla for information please.
3. The State Nodal Officer-cum-Joint Secretary (Home) to the Govt. of HP. Shimla for information.
4. The Superintendent of Police, District Sirmaur at Nahan for information and compliance.
5. The Additional Deputy Commissioner, District Sirmaur at Nahan for information and necessary action.
6. The Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Paonta Sahib, District Sirmaur for information and immediate necessary compliance.

7. The Sub-Divisional Magistrates (except Paonta Sahib) District Sirmaur for information.

8. The Chief Medical Officer, District Sirmaur at Nahan for information and compliance.

9. The District Revenue Officer, District Sirmaur at Nahan for information and necessary action.

11. The Assistant Drug Control, District Sirmaur at Nahan will ensure to supply necessary medicine to the people residing in above mentioned areas through chemist shop keepers.

12. The DFSC, District Sirmaur shall ensure door to door supply of essential commodities by keeping liaising with the concerned councillor(s) of concerned ward(s) of MC and EO MC, Paonta Sahib.

13. The Tehsildar, Paonta Sahib, District Sirmaur shall perform as Duty Magistrate for this containment area and he shall ensure proper implementation of this order and supply of essential commodities inside the above mentioned area.

14. All District Level Govt. Heads of Offices for information & necessary action.

15. The DPRO, District Sirmaur at Nahan for wide publicity.

16. The DIO, DC Office, District Sirmaur at Nahan for uploading the order on official website of the District Administration.

17. The Executive Officer (MC) Paonta Sahib, District Sirmaur for information and compliance.

18. The Councillor(s) of Ward No. 1 & 2 of MC Paonta Sahib through EO MC, Nahan for information and necessary action.