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Government of NCT of Delhi
DELHI DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

No. F.2/07/2020/S.I/ 96

Dated: 24/04/2020

CLARIFICATION

Whereas, the Delhi Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) is satisfied that the NCT of Delhi is threatened with the spread of COVID-19 epidemic, which has already been declared as a pandemic by the World Health Organization, and has considered it necessary to take effective measures to prevent its spread in NCT of Delhi;

And whereas, Delhi Disaster Management Authority has issued various orders/instructions from time to time to all authorities concerned to take all required measures to appropriately deal with the situation;

And whereas, vide the Order No. F.2/07/2020/S.I/53 dated 15.04.2020 read with subsequent No. F/02/07/2020/S.I/83 dated 23.04.2020, consolidated revised guidelines on the measures to be taken by the Departments of Government of NCT of Delhi for containment of COVID-19 had been issued;

And whereas, MHA vide letter No. 21.04.2020 has conveyed that certain queries have been received with regard to exemptions of specific services/activities within the categories already allowed in the guidelines issued under the above referred orders;

And whereas, it is **clarified that:**

- i. Social sector under clause 8(i) include bed side attendants and care givers of senior citizens residing in their homes.
- ii. Public utilities under clause 11 (v) include recharge facilities for prepaid mobile connection.
- iii. Supply of essential goods under clause 13 (i) include food processing units such as bread factories, milk processing plants, flour mills, dal mills etc. located in urban areas.

And whereas, it is reiterated that as specified in the lockdown measures, National COVID-19 Directives and Standard Operating Procedure for social distancing for offices, workshops, factories and establishments must be ensured;

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Now therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 22 of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, the undersigned, in his capacity as Chairperson, State Executive Committee, hereby issues directions to the concerned authorities to bring these clarifications to the notice of their district authorities and field offices so as to avoid ambiguity at the ground level.



(Vijay Dev)
Chief Secretary, Delhi

To,

1. All Additional Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries/Secretaries/HODs of Government of NCT.
2. Commissioner of Police, Delhi
3. Chairman, New Delhi Municipal Council.
4. Pr. Secretary (DIP), Govt. of NCT of Delhi for wide publicity.
5. Commissioner (South DMC/East DMC/North DMC).
6. CEO, Delhi Cantonment Board.

Copy for information to:

1. Pr. Secretary to Hon'ble Lt. Governor, Delhi.
2. Addl. Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, GNCTD
3. Secretary to Hon'ble Dy. Chief Minister, GNCTD.
4. Secretary to Hon'ble Health Minister, GNCTD
5. Secretary to Hon'ble Labour Minister, GNCTD
6. Secretary to Hon'ble Revenue Minister, GNCTD
7. Secretary to Hon'ble Social Welfare Minister, GNCTD
8. Secretary to Hon'ble F&S Minister, GNCTD
9. Addl. Chief Secretary (Home), GNCTD
10. Pr. Secretary (Health & Family Welfare), GNCTD
11. Pr. Secretary (Revenue)-cum-Divisional Commissioner, GNCTD
12. All members of State Executive Committee, DDMA, GNCTD.
13. Director, DIP, Govt. of NCT of Delhi for wide publicity.
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