

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE, CHANDIGARH

ORDER

No. DM/MA/2020/1293

Dated: 23.03.2020

Whereas, in exercise of powers under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, the Administrator, U.T., Chandigarh has already issued the Epidemic Diseases, COVID-19 Regulations, 2020 for the containment & prevention of the spread of COVID-19.

Whereas, the Chandigarh Administration has notified a lockdown in the territorial jurisdiction of the entire U.T. of Chandigarh in public interest, w.e.f. 00:00 Hrs. on 23.03.2020 until 24:00 Hrs. on 31.03.2020.

Whereas, it is imperative to put in place strict measures of isolation and social distancing to contain the spread of COVID-19 in the District as a lot of non-essential movement of people and vehicles has been reported.

And whereas, I am satisfied that such movement poses a threat to public health by the spread of COVID-19 which poses a danger to human life, health and safety.

And therefore, I, Mandip Singh Brar, I.A.S., District Magistrate, Chandigarh in exercise of powers conferred under section 144 of the Cr.P.C., hereby order that **CURFEW** shall be imposed in the District. No person shall leave their homes or shall move on foot, or by vehicle or travel or stand or roam around on any road or public places (except for emergency medical aid). Further, any assembly of 5 or more persons shall not be allowed anywhere in the District.

This shall not apply to those tasked with law & order/emergency and municipal services/duties including Executive Magistrates, Police personnel, Military/C.A.P.F. personnel in uniform, health, electricity, fire, media and Government machinery tasked with COVID-19 related duties (all on production of Identity Card), any other category exempted by order of District Magistrate and those especially issued a permit by the D.M./A.D.M./S.D.M. or other officer authorized in this behalf.


This order shall come into force w.e.f. 00:00 Hrs. on 24.03.2020 till further orders.

In view of the emergent nature of the order, it is being issued ex-parte and addressed to the Public in general.

The compliance of these orders shall be ensured by the Executive Magistrates (including those especially appointed) and Police officers/officials. Violation may be strictly dealt with under relevant provisions of the I.P.C.

This order shall be promulgated by the announcement through publicity vans and through press notes for publication in the newspapers having circulation in the area.

Given under my hand and seal on 23.03.2020.


Mandip Singh Brar, I.A.S.,
District Magistrate,
Chandigarh

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7294

Dated, Chandigarh, the

A copy is forwarded to the Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi for information & necessary action.

for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7295

Dated, Chandigarh, the

A copy is forwarded to the Advisor to the Administrator, Chandigarh for information & necessary action.

for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7296-97

Dated, Chandigarh, the

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1. Chief Secretary to Govt. Punjab, Chandigarh.
2. Chief Secretary to Govt. Haryana, Chandigarh.

for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7298-7300

Dated, Chandigarh, the

A copy is forwarded to the following for information & necessary action.

1. The Home Secretary to Govt. Punjab, Chandigarh.
2. The Home Secretary to Govt. Haryana, Chandigarh.
3. The Principal Secretary Home, Chandigarh Administration, Chandigarh.

for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7301

Dated, Chandigarh, the

A copy is forwarded to Director General of Police, UT Chandigarh for information & necessary action.

for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7302

Dated, Chandigarh, the

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for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7303-04

Dated, Chandigarh, the

A copy is forwarded to the following for Information & necessary action.

1. Deputy Inspector General of Police (CID), Punjab Chandigarh.
2. Deputy Inspector General of Police (CID), Haryana Chandigarh.


for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7305-06

Dated, Chandigarh, the 23.03.2020

A copy is forwarded to the following for information & necessary action.

1. Sr. Superintendent of Police, U.T., Chandigarh.
2. Superintendent of Police (Traffic & Security), U.T., Chandigarh.


for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7307-09

Dated, Chandigarh, the 23.03.2020

A copy is forwarded to the following for information & necessary action.

1. Director, Public Relations, Chandigarh Administration with 10 spare copies. He will please given widest possible publicity to this order in Chandigarh by announcement through publicity vans and also by press and radio.
2. Director of Prosecution, U.T., Chandigarh
3. District Attorney, Chandigarh.


for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7310

Dated, Chandigarh, the 23.03.2020

A copy is forwarded to the Director Health Services, U.T. Chandigarh, for information and necessary action.


for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7311-14

Dated, Chandigarh, the 23.03.2020

A copy is forwarded to the following for information & necessary action.

1. District Magistrate, Patiala.
2. District Magistrate, Panchkula.
3. District Magistrate, Mohali.
4. District Magistrate, Ambala.


for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7315

Dated, Chandigarh, the 23.03.2020

A copy is forwarded to the Superintendent-cum-Nodal Officer, DC Office, Chandigarh for uploading on the website of the Chandigarh Administration.


for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.

Endst. No. DM/MA/2020/7316

Dated, Chandigarh, the 23.03.2020

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for District Magistrate,
Chandigarh.