

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE, U.T., CHANDIGARH.

No. DM/MA/2024/ 6081

Dated: 18/3/2024

ORDER UNDER SECTION 144 CR.P.C.

Whereas, it has been made appear to me that there is likelihood of causing annoyance, obstruction or injury to persons, danger to human life and property, disturbance of public peace and law and order, cheating by unlawful means such as use of photostat machine or illegal aid from law coaching centres in the vicinity of examination centre on account of main written Examination of Additional District and Sessions Judges to be held from **22.03.2024 (Friday) to 24.03.2024 (Sunday)** from **09:00 AM to 05:00 PM** at GGDSD College, Sector-32, Chandigarh.

Whereas, it has also been made to appear to me that the gathering of four or more persons, carrying of fire arms and other weapons/articles capable of causing injury, raising slogans and displaying placards, opening of photostat machine shop and law coaching centres near examination centre is likely to cause obstruction in the maintenance of peace and law and order and in conducting the examination properly and therefore, I am satisfied that it has become necessary to issue directions to prevent such obstructions as mentioned above.

Now therefore, I, Vinay Pratap Singh, I.A.S., District Magistrate, U.T., Chandigarh in exercise of the powers vested in me by virtue of section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 do hereby prohibit the gathering of four or more persons (except the candidates for examination), carrying any fire arms and other weapons/articles capable of causing injury, raising slogans and displaying placards in the area of 100 meters around the examination centre i.e. GGDSD College, Sector-32, U.T., Chandigarh from 22.03.2024 (Friday) to 24.03.2024 (Sunday). It is further ordered that all the photostat machine shops within 200 meters around the examination centres and law coaching centers in the vicinity of examination centre shall remain closed from 22.03.2024 to 24.03.2024, till examination is over on each day.

This order shall not apply to the police, para-military, military or any other government servant on official duties.

This order shall remain in force w.e.f. 00:01 hours on 22.03.2024 upto 23:59 hours of 24.03.2024.

In view of the emergent nature of this order, it is being issued ex-parte and is addressed to the public in general. Any breach of this order would invite action under section 188 of the Indian Penal Code and other relevant laws.

This order shall be promulgated by affixing copy thereof at the Notice Boards of the office of the undersigned as well as District Courts, Chandigarh and publication in the newspaper having circulation in the area, through the office of the D.P.R., Chandigarh.

Given under my hand and seal on 15/3/24



**VINAY PRATAP SINGH, I.A.S.,
DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
U.T., CHANDIGARH.**