



OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE & COLLECTOR, JHARSUGUDA

OFFICE ORDER

No. 10954/Emg.

Dated: 22.07.2020

Whereas the District Disaster Management Authority has the power to take necessary measures U/s 30 & 34 of Disaster Management Act to prevent the spread of this disaster.

Whereas the signatory of this order has been empowered U/s-8 of Covid-19 Regulations-2020 framed by Government of Odisha to take effective measures for containment of the epidemic which has already been declared a pandemic.

Whereas in the Order No. 3856/R&DM(DM) dated. 30.06.2020 of Office of the Special Relief Commissioner, Government of Odisha, the District Collectors/Municipal Commissioners have been authorized to impose area specific additional restrictions on activities outside the Containment zones, or impose such restrictions as deemed necessary for containing the spread of COVID-19.

Whereas the objective of the district administration is to go for contingent measures to contain the spread of COVID-19 in Jharsuguda District.

Whereas in Jharsuguda district after the relaxation in lock down conditions and opening up of economic activities, people have started coming from other districts of the State and it is observed that incomers/returnees from hotspot areas of the State have been found positive for COVID-19 and being asymptomatic, they may infect the neighbourhood unnoticed.

Whereas it is further observed that foot fall from some hot spot areas of the State in Jharsuguda has increased in last few days, i.e. mostly by unguided travel.

Now having the perspective of public interest in the background and for the containment of COVID-19 in the District of Jharsuguda, I Saroj Kumar Samal, OAS, Collector & DM, Jharsuguda order implementation of the following direction.

That the bus service having its origin or destination point at Jharsuguda town or any place of the district of Jharsuguda to or/and from any of the following places will remain suspended until this order is rescinded or withdrawn:-

- 1) Jharsuguda to Berhampur or any places of the District Ganjam and back. And Berhampur to Jharsuguda and back.
- 2) Jharsuguda to Bhubaneswar & Bhubaneswar to Jharsuguda and back.
- 3) Balasore to Jharsuguda and back
- 4) Bhadrak to Jharsuguda and back
- 5) Jharsuguda to Rourkela & back
- 6) Rourkela to Jharsuguda & back

However buses to pass through Jharsuguda can ply

The concerned Bus Owners, partners, Managers and the employees in any other designation are hereby directed for strict implementation of the above order and any deviation from such order will make them liable U/s 57 of Disaster Management Act-2005 and relevant provisions of COVID regulation, 2009. Further any person violating the above order shall be deemed to have committed an offence punishable under section 188 of Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860).

The RTO, Jharsuguda will ensure compliance of the order.

This order will come into force with immediate effect and shall remain as such until the same is either rescinded or withdrawn.


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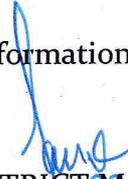
Copy forwarded to the Superintendent of Police, Jharsuguda for information and necessary action. He is requested to direct the IICs concerned that no such Bus is allowed to ply in our District until further orders.


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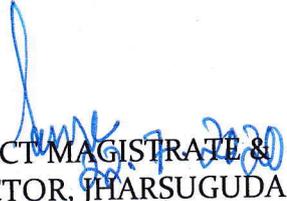

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