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संदर्भ :- १) भारतीय साथ रोग नियंत्रण अधिनियम, १८९७

२) आपत्ती व्यवस्थापन अधिनियम, २००५

३) महाराष्ट्र शासन, अधिसूचना, सार्वजनिक आरोग्य विभाग, मंत्रालय, मुंबई, दि. १३ मार्च, २०२०

४) महसूल व वने, आपत्ती व्यवस्थापन, मदत व पुर्नवसन विभाग, महाराष्ट्र शासन यांचेकडील आदेश क्र. DMU-२०२०/C.R.१२/DisM-१, दि. ४ जून, २०२१, दि.१७ जून, २०२१, दि. २५ जून, २०२१

५) सार्वजनिक आरोग्य विभाग, महाराष्ट्र शासन यांचेकडील आदेश क्र.कोरोना २०२१/सी.आर.३६६/आरोग्य-५ दिनांक २४ सप्टेंबर, २०२१

ज्या अर्थी, सध्या जगभरात पसरलेल्या कोरोना विषाणूची लागण राज्यातील काही भागात झाली आहे. सदर रोगाचा प्रसार टाळण्यासाठी शासनाने राज्यभर अनेक प्रतिबंधात्मक उपाययोजना लागू केल्या आहेत. त्यादृष्टीने राज्य शासनाने कोरोना विषाणूचा (COVID-१९) प्रादुर्भाव रोखण्यासाठी राज्यात साथरोग प्रतिबंधात्मक कायदा, १८९७ दिनांक १३ मार्च, २०२० पासून लागू करून खंड २, ३ व ४ मधील तरतूदीनुसार अधिसूचना निर्गमित केलेली आहे.

ज्या अर्थी, वरील अधिनियम व नियमानुसार साथरोग अधिनियमाच्या खंड २(१) नुसार महानगरपालिका आयुक्त हे सक्षम प्राधिकारी घोषित करून त्यांना त्यांच्या कार्यक्षेत्रात कोव्हीड १९ वर नियंत्रण आणण्यासाठी व त्याचा प्रादुर्भाव रोखण्यासाठी ज्या उपाययोजना करणे आवश्यक आहे त्या करण्यासाठी ते सक्षम असतील असे घोषित करण्यात आले आहे.

ज्या अर्थी, संदर्भिय शासन आदेश क्र. ५ अन्वये दिनांक ७ ऑक्टोबर, २०२१ पासून राज्यातील धार्मिक स्थळे /प्रार्थना स्थळे (प्रतिबंधीत क्षेत्रातील धार्मिक स्थळे/प्रार्थना स्थळे वगळून) खुली करण्यास परवानगी देण्यात आलेली आहे. धार्मिक स्थळे/प्रार्थना स्थळे खुली झाल्यानंतर कोव्हीड १९ चा प्रादुर्भाव रोखण्यासाठी प्रतिबंधात्मक कार्यवाहीच्या दृष्टीने काही निर्बंध लागू करणे आवश्यक असून, यापूर्वी वेळोवेळी दिलेल्या मार्गदर्शक सूचना व नियमांचे पालन करणे बंधनकारक राहिल.

आणि ज्याअर्थी, मा.मुख्य सचिव, महाराष्ट्र शासन यांनी MISSION BEGIN AGAIN च्या अनुषंगाने यापूर्वी वेळोवेळी आदेश पारित केले आहेत. त्यासह सार्वजनिक आरोग्य विभाग यांनी दिनांक २४ सप्टेंबर, २०२१ रोजीच्या ब्रेक द चेन अंतर्गत सुधारित निर्देश संदर्भ क्र. ५ अन्वये पारित केलेले आहेत.


त्याअर्थी, साथरोग प्रतिबंधक अधिनियम १८९७ च्या कलम २ अन्वये, तसेच आपत्ती व्यवस्थापन अधिनियम, २००५ च्या सर्व संबंधित तरतुदींसह प्राप्त अधिकारांचा वापर करुन आयुक्त, उल्हासनगर महानगरपालिका, उल्हासनगर हे शासनाने जाहीर केल्याप्रमाणे धार्मिक स्थळे व प्रार्थना स्थळांसाठी (प्रतिबंधीत क्षेत्रातील धार्मिक स्थळे/प्रार्थना स्थळे वगळून) संदर्भ क्र. ५ मधील शासन आदेशातील अटी व शर्ती उल्हासनगर महानगरपालिका हद्दीमध्ये दिनांक ७ ऑक्टोबर, २०२१ रोजीपासून जसेच्या तसे लागू करीत आहे. सर्व संबंधितांनी याची नोंद घ्यावी.

तसेच दरम्यानच्या कालावधीत शासनाकडून अन्य कोणत्याही सूचना/आदेश प्राप्त झाल्यास त्यांचे अनुपालन करणे देखील बंधनकारक असेल.

उक्त आदेशाची सर्व संबंधितांनी तात्काळ अंमलबजावणी करावी. सदरहू आदेशाची अंमलबजावणी करण्यास कोणत्याही व्यक्तीने टाळाटाळ केल्यास विरोध दर्शविल्यास संबंधितांचे विरुद्ध आपत्ती व्यवस्थापन अधिनियम, २००५ मधील कलम ५१ ते ६०, साथरोग नियंत्रण अधिनियम, १८९७ व भारतीय दंड संहिता, १८६० कलम, १८८ मधील तरतुदीनुसार दंडनीय व कायदेशीर कारवाई करण्यात येईल.

सदर आदेशाची काटेकोरपणे अंमलबजावणी करण्यात यावी.

सहपत्र :- शासन आदेश


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प्रत-

१. मा. मुख्यमंत्री महोदयांचे प्रधान सचिव.
२. मा. पालकमंत्री तथा मंत्री नगरविकास विभाग महोदयांचे खाजगी सचिव.
३. मा. मुख्य सचिव महोदयांचे विशेष कार्य अधिकारी.
४. मा. विभागीय आयुक्त, कोकण विभाग.
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७. मा.महापौर, मा.उप महापौर, मा.सभापती स्थायी समिती, मा.सभागृह नेता, मा.विरोधी पक्षनेता, मा.सभापती प्रभाग समिती, सर्व गटनेता, सर्व सन्माननीय महापालिका सदस्य यांचेकडे माहितीसाठी.
८. मा.सभापती, महिला व बालकल्याण समिती/आरोग्य परिक्षण व वैद्यकीय सहाय्य समिती/महसूल समिती/पाणी पुरवठा व मलनिस्सारण समिती/सार्वजनिक बांधकाम समिती/नियोजन व विकास समिती/पूर्व प्राथमिक व माध्यमिक शिक्षण समिती/गलिच्छ वस्ती निर्मुलन समिती/क्रिडा समाज कल्याण व सांस्कृतिक कार्यक्रम समिती.
९. मा.पोलिस उप आयुक्त, परिमंडळ - ४, उल्हासनगर.
१०. सहाय्यक पोलिस आयुक्त, उल्हासनगर/अंबरनाथ.
११. वरिष्ठ पोलिस निरीक्षक, उल्हासनगर/मध्यवर्ती/विठ्ठलवाडी/हिललाईन/शिवाजीनगर पोलिस स्टेशन.
१२. जनसंपर्क अधिकारी, उ.म.पा. यांनी सदर आदेशाची उचित माध्यमांद्वारे जास्तीत जास्त प्रसिध्दी करावी.
१३. अतिरिक्त आयुक्त, उप आयुक्त(मुख्यालय), सर्व उप आयुक्त, सर्व विभागप्रमुख, उल्हासनगर महानगरपालिका.
१४. सर्व सहाय्यक आयुक्त, प्रभाग समिती कार्यालये.
१५. सिस्टीम मॅनेजर, संगणक विभाग यांजकडे महानगरपालिकेच्या संकेतस्थळावर प्रसिध्दीसाठी.
१६. सर्व धार्मिक स्थळे/प्रार्थना स्थळे व्यवस्थापक, उल्हासनगर

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Reference:

- 1) The Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897.
- 2) The Disaster Management Act, 2005
- 3) Indian Penal Code, 1860
- 4) Revenue and Forest, Disaster Management, Relief and Rehabilitation Department Order No. DMU 2020/ CR 92/Dis 1 dated 4th June, 2021 and 17th June, 2021 and 25th June, 2021.
- 5) Public Health Department Order No. Corona2021/CR366/Aa-5 Dated 11 Aug 2021
- 6) Public Health Department Order No. Corona2021/CR366/Aa-5 Dated 16 Aug 2021

ORDER

Break the Chain – Modified Guidelines

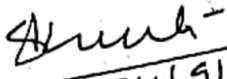
Whereas, in exercise of the powers, conferred under the Disaster Management Act 2005, the undersigned, in his capacity as Chairperson, State Executive Committee had issued the above mentioned Orders. Now by this order, Para No.11 in above mentioned order No.5 is modified to the extent mentioned below.

11. Religious Places

Religious places and places of worship for public will be allowed to open with effect from 7.10.2021, as per timings decided by the trust / board/ authority of the respective religious places , outside of containment zones only. Wearing of face masks , social distancing , provision for thermal scanning and hand wash or sanitizers will be mandatory. The SOP on preventive measures to contain spread of Covid 19 in religious places / places of worship is attached herewith as Annexure-A . The concerned local authorities in consultation with the relevant stakeholders can further add any directions to these guidelines taking into consideration the local conditions.

Further all norms of social distancing and precaution to prevent Covid-19 as prescribed in above referred orders shall be followed.

BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF MAHARASHTRA,


24/9/21
(SITARAM KUNTE)
CHIEF SECRETARY
GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA

Copy to:-

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- 2) Additional Chief Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- 3) Secretary to Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- 4) Chief Secretary, Maharashtra State, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- 5) All ACS/P.S./Secretary Government of Maharashtra Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- 6) Secretary to legislature of Maharashtra.
- 7) Commissioner, Health Services Cum Mission Director, National Health Mission, Mumbai.
- 8) Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Bandra, Mumbai.
- 9) All Municipal Commissioner.
- 10) All Police Commissioner.
- 11) All Collectors.
- 12) All Chief Executive Officers, Zillha Parishad
- 13) Director, Health Services, Mumbai/Pune.
- 14) Director, Medical Education and Research, Mumbai.
- 15) All Joint Directors/ Deputy Directors, Public Health Department.
- 16) All Deans of Government Medical Colleges.
- 17) All Civil Surgeons.
- 18) All District Health Officers.
- 19) Copy to select file Helath-5 / with C.R. 366/2021.

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ANNEXURE-A

**SOP on preventive measures to contain spread of Covid -19 in religious places /places of
worship**

1. Background –

Religious places /places of worship get frequented by large number of people. To prevent spread of Covid-19 infection, it is important that required social distancing and other preventive measures are followed in such premises.

2. Scope-

This document outlines various generic precautionary measures to be adopted in addition to specific measures to be taken at particular places to prevent spread of Covid -19. Religious places /places of worship for public in containment zones shall remain closed. Only those outside containment zones will be allowed to open up.

3. Generic Preventive Measures –

Person above 65 years of age, persons with comorbidities, pregnant women and children below the age of 10 years are advised to stay at home. Organisation managing the religious institutions to advise accordingly. The generic preventive measures include simple public health measures that are to be followed to reduce the risk of Covid-19. These measures need to be observed by all (workers and visitors) in these places all times. These include :

- I. Individuals must maintain a minimum distance of 6 feet in public places as far as feasible.
- II. Use of face covers/mask to be mandatory.

- III. Practice frequent handwashing with soap (for at least 40-60 seconds) even when hands are not visibly dirty. Use of alcohol based hand sanitizers (for at least 20seconds) can be made wherever feasible.
- IV. Respiratory etiquettes to be strictly followed. This involves strict practice of covering one's mouth and nose while coughing and sneezing with a tissue/ handkerchief/flexed elbow and disposing of used tissue properly.
- V. Self-monitoring of health by all and reporting any illness at the earliest to state and district helpline.
- VI. Spitting should be strictly prohibited. Penalty may be imposed as a deterrent.
- VII. Installation and use of Arogya Setu App shall be advised to all.

4.All religious places shall also ensure :

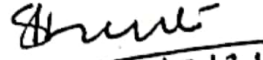
- I. Entrance to have mandatory hand hygiene (sanitizer dispenser) and thermal screening provisions.
- II. Only asymptomatic persons shall be allowed in the premises.
- III. All persons to be allowed entry only if using face covers /masks.
- IV. Posters/standees on preventive measures about Covid -19 to be displayed prominently . Audio and video clips to spread awareness on preventive measures for Covid -19 should be regularly played in all places of worship.
- V. Staggering of visitors to be done. The number of people allowed inside the premises in any particular time slot may be decided on factors such as the size of the structure, ventilation etc. by the trust /board along with the local authorities (District Collector/ Municipal corporation etc.).
- VI. Shoes/footware to be preferably taken off inside own vehicle. If needed they should kept in separate slots for each individual/family by the persons themselves.
- VII. Proper crowd management in the parking lots and outside the premises – duly following social distancing norms shall be organised.
- VIII. Any shops, stalls, cafeteria etc., outside the premises shall follow social distancing norms and all relevant guidelines at all times.
- IX. Specific markings may be made with sufficient distant to manage the queue and ensure social distancing in the premises.

- X. Preferably separate entry and exits for visitors shall be organised.
- XI. Maintain physical distancing of a minimum of 6 feet at all times when queuing up for entry. Management of the place of worship will be responsible for the same.
- XII. People should wash their hand & feet with soap & water before entering the premises.
- XII. Seating arrangement to be made in such a way that adequate social distancing is maintained. For air-conditions/ventilation, the guidelines of CPWD shall be followed which inter alia emphasises that the temperature setting of all air conditioning devices should be in the range of 24-30°C, relative humidity should be in the range of 40-70%, intake of fresh air should be as much as possible and cross ventilation should be adequate.
- XIV. Touching of status/idols/holy books etc. not to be allowed.
- XV. Large gatherings/congregation continue to remain prohibited.
- XVI. In view of potential threat of spread of infection, as far as feasible recorded devotional music/songs may be played and choir or singing groups should not be allowed.
- XVII. Avoid physical contact while greeting each other.
- XVII. Common prayer mats should be avoided and devotees should bring their own prayer mat or piece of cloth which they may take back with them.
- XIX. No physical offerings like Prasad/distribution or sprinkling of holy water, etc. to be allowed inside the religious place.
- XX. Effective sanitation within the premises shall be maintained with particular focus on lavatories, hand and foot-washing stations/areas.
- XXI. Frequent cleaning and disinfection to be maintained by the management of the religious place.
- XXII. The floors should particularly be cleaned multiple times in the premises.
- XXIII. Proper disposal of face covers/masks/gloves left over by visitors and/or employees should be ensured.
- XXIV. Worship place workers and personnel need to have Covid-19 safety protocol and pre-joining and weekly Covid test in highly exposed groups.
- XXV. Toilet and eating places need crowd control.

XXVI. Number, space and distance protocol to be maintained by each worship place with and undertaking to the Police and Collector for adherence.

XXVII. In case of a suspect or confirmed case in the premises.

- a. Place the ill person in a room or area where they are isolated from others.
- b. Provide a mask/face cover till such time he/she is examined by a doctor.
- c. Immediately inform the nearest medical facility(hospital/clinic) or call the state or district helpline.
- d. A risk assessment will be undertaken by the designated public health authority (district RRT/treating physician) and accordingly further action be initiated regarding management of case, his/her contacts and need for disinfection.
- e. Disinfection of the premises to be taken up if the person is found positive.


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