

**GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
IN THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE AT PUDUCHERRY**

Dated: 30/06/2020

**Present: Dr. Arun.T, I.A.S.
District Magistrate, Puducherry**

Order under section 144 Cr.P.C

Whereas vide Order No.40-3/2020-DM-I(A) dated 24.03.2020 of the Union Home Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India had issued an order under section 10(2)(1) of Disaster Management Act, stipulating lockdown measures for containment of COVID-19 in the country.

Whereas, now the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India in continuation of that order has passed an order dated 29.06.2020 wherein lockdown has been extended in Containment zones up to 31.07.2020, and to re-open more activities in a phased manner, in areas outside Containment zones.

Whereas various guidelines have been issued in the above mentioned order including directions to the local authorities to issue prohibitory orders for prohibition of movement of individuals, for all non essential activities between 10.00 P.M to 5.00A.M.

Now, therefore, I, Dr. T. Arun .,L.A.S , District Magistrate, Puducherry in exercise of powers vested with me under section 144 of Cr.PC do hereby order that there shall be prohibition of movement of individuals for non essential activities between 10.00 P.M and 5.00 A.M. Any breach of this order shall invite action under section 188 of Indian Penal Code.

In order to enforce the prohibition of movements the following restrictions in Puducherry region (except Mahe and Yanam) shall be in force :

1. All shops, establishments (including petrol pumps, Restaurants) shall function from 6.00 am to 8.00 pm only.
2. The liquor shops shall open as per the license condition and shall close by 8.00 pm.
3. Milk Booths shall operate upto 10.00 pm.
4. The whole sale and retail medical shops / pharmacy are permitted to be open without any restriction.

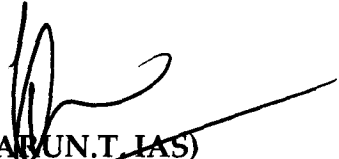
The restrictions shall come into force with effect from 03.07.2020 and shall remain in force till further orders. Any violation of the above instructions is punishable under the provisions of Disaster Management Act, 2005 and Epidemic Act, 1897.

This order shall not apply to agencies / officials of the Government involved in the enforcement of Law and Order, duty relating to containment of corona virus and the maintenance of essential services.

The authorities concerned shall comply with the above instruction.

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

At Puducherry, Dated 30th day of June 2020


(Dr. ABUN.T. IAS)
DISTRICT MAGISTRATE
PUDUCHERRY

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