

ABSTRACT

COVID-19 - Movement of stranded persons like migrant workers, pilgrims, tourists and students and other persons at difference places - Standard Operating Procedure Issued - Amendment - Issued.

REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT (DM-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.224

Dated: 06.05.2020 சார்வரி சித்திரை 23 திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு 2051

Read:

- 1) G.O.Ms.No.172, Revenue & Disaster Management (DM-II) Department, dated: 25.03.2020 and addendums issued thereon.
- 2) G.O.Ms.No.193, Revenue & Disaster Management (DM-II) Department, dated: 15.04.2020.
- 3) G.O.Ms.No.198, Revenue & Disaster Management, (DM-II) Department, Dated 20.4.2020.
- 4) Government of India, Ministry of External Affairs, Letter No.40-3/2020-DM-I(A) dated 29.04.2020.
- 5) GO.Ms.No.215, Revenue and Disaster Management (DM-II) Department, dated 30.4.2020.
- 6) GO.Ms.No.218, Revenue and Disaster Management (DM-II) Department, dated 3.5.2020

ORDER

In the Government Order sixth read above, orders were issued with regard to Standard Operating Procedure for smooth inter-state movement of stranded migrant workers, pilgrims, tourists, students and other persons across the State as per the guidelines issued by the Government of India. In the above orders, Para 1 of Title 5. Screening and Testing Facilities, it is ordered to adhere the following procedures in respect of Screening and Testing of migrant persons:

5. Screening and Testing Facilities:

All individual / group of people coming into Tamil Nadu will be tested for Covid-19 on arrival at the designated entry check post at a specified time or disembarkement station if it is train. Such person(s) would be tested for COVID-19 and kept in quarantine in nearby places. If results are negative (-ve), they will be sent for home quarantine for 28 days or in high risk cases, they will continue to be put in institutional quarantine and kept under

watch with frequent health check-ups. If test is found positive, they will be shifted to COVID hospital.

2. In continuation of the above orders, the Government hereby replaces the Para 1 of title No.5 titled Screening and Testing Facilities as follows:

5. Screening and Testing Facilities:

❖ The incoming passes issued by TNeGA will be checked for all individual/group of people coming into Tamil Nadu intercepted at border and details of passengers, and their destination will be recorded on arrival at the designated entry check post at a specified time or disembarkement station, if it is train. They will be allowed to go to their respective home districts where such persons(s) would be screened for COVID-19. If they are symptomatic they will be tested for COVID-19. If results turn positive, they will be isolated and send to hospital/care centre depending on symptoms. In mild symptom cases, where person is otherwise asymptomatic, option can be given to the person to opt for home treatment, with due precaution after obtaining under taking. If results turn negative, they can be sent to home quarantine. All such symptomatic person put for testing shall be kept in institutional quarantine, till the test result is obtained.

If the persons are asymptomatic they will be sent for home quarantine for 28 days or in high risk cases, they will continue to be put in institutional quarantine and kept under watch with frequent health check-ups.

(By order of the Governor)

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and Secretaries to the Government, Secretariat, Chennai.
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