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No: - DMP/ 6566-78  
Date:- 08-06-2020

Subject: - **Prohibitory order/Imposition of curfew under section 144 of CrPC for containment of COVID-19 during the extended period of lockdown w.e.f 8<sup>th</sup> June 2020.**

**ORDER**

Whereas, Novel Corona Virus (COVID-19) has been declared as global pandemic by World Health Organization (WHO) affecting several countries of the world including India;

Whereas, in view of the advisories issued by the Health Authorities to prevent the spread of COVID-19 pandemic and break the transmission chain of virus it is necessary to enforce certain restrictions in order to control the spread of virus in the District;

Whereas, State Disaster Management Authority have laid down certain instructions/Standard Operating Procedure to facilitate the functioning/availability of essential commodities and Government of Jammu & Kashmir vide its Order No: 61-JK(DMRRR) of 2020 dated: 07-06-2020 has issued new guidelines on the lockdown measures which came into effect from 08<sup>th</sup> June 2020 till 30<sup>th</sup> June 2020;

I have made in certain that certain restrictions are required to contain spread of COVID-19 to save the life of public at large.

Now, therefore, I, Rahul Yadav, IAS, District Magistrate, Poonch in exercise of powers vested in me under section 144 CrPC and Disaster Management Act 2005 do hereby order that ***movement of individuals for all non-essential activities between from 08:00 PM to 05:00 AM shall be prohibited*** and no movement shall be permitted within the area of Poonch District without the permission of District Magistrate Poonch except medical exigency or vehicles of security forces during this time period i.e., 08:00 PM to 05:00 AM for effective containment of COVID-19.

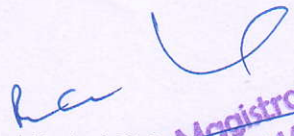
Provided that the above order shall not apply to Police or Para-military person or any other Government Servant on official duties for management of essential services with proper ID/pass;

This order shall remain in force with immediate effect on 08-06-2020 (8:00 PM) and shall remain in force till 30-06-2020.

In view of the emergent nature of the order, it is being passed ex-parte and addressed to the public in general. It shall be circulated in print, electronic, social media and through the medium of loud speakers for information of all concerned.

Any violation of this order shall invite action as per the provisions of section of the IPC and other legal provisions as applicable.

Issue under my seal and signature today on 8<sup>th</sup> of June 2020.

  
(Rahul Yadav) IAS  
District Magistrate  
Poonch

**District Magistrate  
Poonch (J&K)**

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1. Divisional Commissioner Jammu, Division Jammu for favour of information.
2. Sr. Superintendent of Police, Poonch for information and n/action.
3. Asstt. Commissioner (Rev) Poonch for compliance.
4. Sub Divisional Magistrate, Mendhar/Surankote for compliance.
5. District Information Officer, Poonch for publication in any two leading Daily Newspapers.
6. Tehsildars (all) for compliance.