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No: - DMP/ PA/8068-79
Date:- 05-08-2020

Subject: - **Prohibitory order under section 144 of CrPC for containment of COVID-19 for two weeks w.e.f. 05-08-2020.**

ORDER

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

Whereas, Government of Jammu & Kashmir/State Disaster Management Authority has issued guidelines/instructions/Standard Operating Procedure for effective management/containment of COVID-19 pandemic;

Whereas, in view of the guidelines/instructions/SOPs issued by the Government/SDMA and 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;

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 ***no any movement of vehicles public/private for non-essential activities between 10:00 PM to 05:00 AM*** shall be permitted within the area of Poonch District without the permission of District Magistrate Poonch except medical exigency or vehicles of security forces for effective containment of COVID-19 w.e.f. 05th August 2020 till further order.

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;

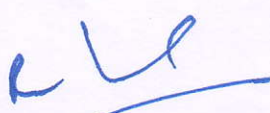
This order shall remain in force with immediate effect on 05-08-2020 (10:00 PM) and shall remain in force till further order.

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 load 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 5th of August, 2020.




(Rahul Yadav) IAS
District Magistrate
Poonch
**District Magistrate
Poonch (J&K)**

Copy to:-

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.