



District Magistrate, Kapurthala.
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Order


The Government of Punjab notified a Curfew in the territorial jurisdiction of the entire state of Punjab in public Interest until 14 April, 2020, accordingly the District Kapurthala imposed Curfew under Section 144 of the Cr.P.C., Act, 1973 for the prevention and containment and prevention of the spread of COVID-19. To prevent the spread of Coronavirus (COVID-19) and other infectious diseases dangerous to life, it is expedient in the interest of public health to prohibit production, manufacture, import, export, transport, sale distribution storage advertisement and use of smokeless tobacco, pan masala and the like products which induce or encourage spitting or its use in District Kapurthala as it increase the incident of coronavirus' spread.

Whereas, production, manufacture, import, export, transport, sale distribution storage, advertisement and use of smokeless tobacco, pan masala and the like products which induce or encourage spitting or its use, results in causing public nuisance and spread of infection of disease dangerous to life and is therefore a punishable offence under section 268, 269, 270 of the Indian Penal Code.

Therefore, I, Deepti Uppal, IAS, District Magistrate, Kapurthala in exercise of the powers conferred upon me under Section 144 of the Cr.P.C., Act 1973 do hereby order in public interest prohibits production, manufacture, import, export, transport, sale, distribution, storage, advertisement and use of smokeless tobacco, pan masala and the like products which induce or encourage spitting or its use and spread of dangerous and epidemic disease. Any violation of this order shall entail strict action under section 188, 268, 269 and 270 of the Indian Penal Code.

This order shall be promulgated by the beat of drum in the village and towns of the district and also through the publicity van of the Public Relation Department and by affixing copies of this order on the notice boards of the offices of the this office, SSP/ Corporations/SDMs/ Tehsildars & Naib Tehsildars/ BDPOs/EOMCs/ Gram Panchayats within the district and at other conspicuous places.

Given under my hand and seal of office on the 22.04.2020


**District Magistrate,
Kapurthala**

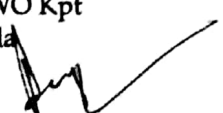


Dist No. 2299-2364/MA

Dated 23/04/2020

A copy is forwarded to the following :-

1. The Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab, Chandigarh.
2. The Principal Secretary, Deptt. of Home Affairs, Punjab, Chandigarh.
3. The Commissioner, Jalandhar Division, Jalandhar.
4. All District Magistrates in the Punjab State.
5. Senior Superintendent of Police, Kapurthala/DPRO Kapurthala.
6. Commissioner, Corporation Kapurthala/Phagwara.
7. ADC (Gen) Kapurthala/Phagwara, ADC(Dev.) Kapurthala
8. Sub Divisional Magistrate Kapurthala/Phagwara/Sultanpur Lodhi/ Bholath.
9. Civil Surgeon, Kapurthala
10. DDPO/CAO, / Dy. Dir. Horticulture/Dy. Dir AH, /Dy Dir. Fisheries, DSWO Kpt
11. All Tehsildars/Naib Tehsildars/EOMCs/BDPOs in the District Kapurthala
12. P.A to D.M/ Steno to A.D.M/ AC(G)/ DRO Kapurthala
for information and necessary action.


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