ORDER

Consequent upon detection/reporting of Corona Positive Cases in different parts of the territorial jurisdiction of districts Sirsa from various Viral Research and Diagnostic Laboratories (VRDL) by RT-PCR/Rapid Antigen Testing, Containment Zones and Buffer zones are demarcated from time to time to prevent spread of COVID-19 in the adjoining areas and action plan as provided under the protocol, active search for cases through physical house to house surveillance; testing of all suspect cases as per sampling guidelines; contact tracing; strict enforcement of social distancing; clinical management of all confirmed cases; quarantine; isolation and other public health measures in the Containment Zones and passive search in Buffer Zone is also being carried out by the Health Authorities. After accomplishment of the surveillance operations in the Containment Zones/Buffer Zones are being scaled-down as per the protocol.

Now, the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare (Directorate General of Health Services-Government of India) has issued a Office Memorandum vide F.No.Z.28015/30/2020-EMR dated 29th July, 2020 prescribing the following guidelines for Scaling Down the Surveillance Operations; De-notification of the Containment Zones:

"In view of the hardships faced by residents, States having such Containment Zones with prolonged lockdowns, may opt for the following:

i) The surveillance operations will be scaled down if no laboratory confirmed COVID-19 case is reported from the Containment Zone for at-least 14 days after the last confirmed case has been isolated and all the contacts of the confirmed case have been followed up for 14 days.

ii) De-notification of the Containment Zone will be done 14 days after discharge of last confirmed case (instead of 28 days)

iii) However, the surveillance for I.I.I./S.A.R.I. and their rigorous testing will continue in the de-notified Containment and Buffer Zones. If further positive cases emerge in the de-notified Containment or Buffer Zone, the area will again be declared as Containment Zone and the containment process shall begin afresh.

iv) The City/District/State will be declared free from the disease outbreak only after 28 days have passed since the last confirmed case has tested negative by RT-PCR.

In pursuance to afore-mentioned instructions/guidelines issued by the MOH&FW, GOI, Civil Surgeon, Sirsa vide his office letter No. IDSP/20/2874 dated 14.08.2020 has suggested to scale-down surveillance operations/containment activities in Band Gali, Near Durga Mandir, B-Block, Ward No. 28, Sirsa Containment Zone declared on 31.07.2020 as referred at (i) above.

Hence, as proposed and suggested by Civil Surgeon, Sirsa, it is hereby ordered to scale-down the ongoing surveillance operations/containment activities in respect of Containment Zone in Band Gali, Near Durga Mandir, B-Block, Ward No. 28, Sirsa w.e.f. 14.08.2020 i.e. after completing 14 days period with further directions to Civil Surgeon, Sirsa to carry out passive reporting of ILI/SARI cases accordingly in the Containment Zones to be scaled down.

14th Aug., 2020

Deputy Commissioner,
Sirsa.
Endst.No. 53121-53150 /MA Dated: 14/08/2020

A copy is forwarded to the following for information and strict compliance, wherever necessary:

1. Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana, Chandigarh.
2. Financial Commissioner Revenue & Addl. Chief Secretary and to Government, Haryana, Revenue & Disaster Management Department, Chandigarh.
3. Addl. Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana Home Department, Chandigarh.
4. Addl. Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana, Health Department, Chandigarh.
5. Commissioner, Hisar Division, Hisar.
6. DIG-cum-Superintendent of Police, Sirsa.
8. Sub Divisional Magistrate, Sirsa
9. Civil Surgeon, Sirsa
10. DRO, Sirsa
11. DDPO, Sirsa
12. Tehsildar, Sirsa
13. BDPO, Sirsa
14. District Education Officer, Sirsa
15. District Programme Officer, Women & Child Development Department
17. DFSC, Sirsa/AFSO Sirsa
18. All Incharge Control Room of Containment Zone (Band Gali, Near Durga Mandir, B-Block, Ward No. 28, Sirsa)
19. All Concerned Duty Magistrates through Pr. GPW/Pr. GNC/Pr. CMK/DEO, Sirsa
20. Executive Engineer, PWD (B&R) Divn.I,II Sirsa
21. Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Sirsa
22. Secretary, Market Committee, Sirsa
23. All other concerned
24. DIPRO, Sirsa
25. PA/DC Sirsa.

Deputy Commissioner, Sirsa.