

**U. T. Administration of
Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu,
(Law Section), Collectorate,
D. & N. H.**

No. ADM/LAW/154/2021/0072

Silvassa, Dated 06 /10/2021

Read: 1) ADDENDUM No. DHMS/COVID-19/2020/1010 dated 06.10.2021
2) Order No. DHMS/COVID-19/2020/1011 dated 06.10.2021.

C I R C U L A R


In the light of ensuing COVID-19 Pandemic and Order dtd.06/10/2021 referred above and ADDENDUM No.DHMS/COVID-19/2020/1010 dated 06.10.2021 referred in preamble (1) and (2) above, the U.T. Administration has permitted the upcoming festivities activities outside the Containment Zone subject to certain conditions:

The U.T. Administration of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu vide order dated 06.10.2021 has issued guidelines related to the upcoming Navratri Festival outside the Containment Zone.

Therefore, in view of above, the upcoming Navratri Festival and Durga Pooja :

1. No festive events in Containment Zone shall be allowed.
2. No gatherings shall be allowed in Public Places, Party Plots, Common Community Grounds/ Fields, Clubs, Hotels and other such open sites on Navratri Festival.
3. Setting up of stalls and pandals at public places during Navratri shall not be allowed.
4. Garba/ Durga Pooja gatherings at ceiling limit of 200 persons shall be allowed in Housing societies/Residential Colonies, subject to strict adherence to COVID appropriate behaviour & SOPs issued by UT Administration.
5. The organizers of Navratri and Durga Pooja shall ensure that all the people participating in the festival events are fully vaccinated.
6. On immersion days, not more than twenty (20) people will be allowed to carry the idol to water bodies, subject to the condition of wearing masks, Thermal screening, Social Distancing and use of Sanitizers.

However, prior permission for any congregation for social/academic/ sports/ entertainment/cultural/religious/political functions outside Containment Zone shall be mandatorily taken from the Collectorate, Dadra & Nagar Haveli.



(Dr. Rakesh Minhas, I.A. S.)
District Magistrate
Dadra and Nagar Haveli,
Silvassa.

Copy to:-

1. The Superintendent of Police, DNH, Silvassa.
2. The Resident Deputy Collector (S)/SDM, DNH.
3. The Resident Deputy Collector (K)/SDM, DNH.
4. The Asstt. Director (IT), DNH to upload the circular on the UT Website.
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