

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE KULLU, DISTRICT-KULLU.

Notification

No.:- 6260-68/MA

Dated 07-10-2020

Whereas, the Atal Tunnel, Rohtang becomes one of the major attraction for tourists and local people since its inauguration on 03-10-2020 and a large number of public gathering and some incidents of nuisance viz. over speeding, unnecessary stoppage, outrageous driving etc. was brought in the notice of undersigned which needs immediate action for public safety.

And whereas, the Superintendent of Police, Kullu vide their office letter no. 50960, dated 06-10-2020 has also brought these issues in notice and requested to issue necessary remedial measures in the interest of safety and security.

Therefore, in view of above circumstances, I, Dr. Richa Verma, IAS, District Magistrate Kullu, in exercise of powers vested in me under section 116 of Motor Vehicles Act 1988 and also under section 144 of Cr.P.C., do hereby order to regulate the traffic in newly inaugurated Atal Tunnel, Rohtang as under:

1. Unnecessary stoppage, over speeding (more than the speed limit mentioned in signboards), rash driving, wrong overtaking etc. inside the tunnel shall be strictly prohibited and strict action shall be initiated under new Motor Vehicle Act, 2019 for any violation.
2. There shall be complete ban of unnecessary movement in emergency exits tunnel and any violation shall attract action under section 144 of Cr.P.C.
3. There shall be complete ban on photography and videography for area starting from 200 meters before south portal up to end of tunnel.

Any violation of this order shall attract strict action under prevailing provisions of act, ibid.

Issued under my hand and seal on 7th day of October, 2020.



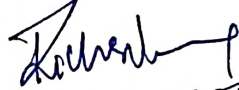
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(Dr. Richa Verma, I.A.S.)
District Magistrate
Kullu, H.P.

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1. The Superintendent of Police Kullu for information and necessary action please.

2. The Chief Engineer, Border Road Organization, C/o 56 APO District Kullu H.P.
3. The Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Manali for information and necessary action.
4. The Deputy Director (Tourism & Civil Aviation), Kullu at Manali.
5. The R.M. HRTC, Kullu for information and necessary action.
6. The Divisional Tourism Development Officer, Manali.
7. The R.T.O., Kullu
8. The R.T.O. Flying Squared, Kullu
9. The DPRO, Kullu for information and wide publicity through print and electronic media.


(Dr. Richa Verma, I.A.S.)
District Magistrate
Kullu, H.P.