

GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE RAMBAN

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Sub:- Order under section 144 CrPC for closure of all Schools/Colleges in District Ramban- regarding.

ORDER

Whereas, the prevailing health situation due to novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) has given rise to serious concerns in India and in J&K as well; and

Whereas, COVID-19 has a pattern of transmission at a rapid rate in case prescribed preventive protocols, like avoiding mass gatherings etc., are not strictly followed; and

Whereas, it is felt that students should not be sent to Schools/Colleges to avoid mass gatherings; and

Whereas, section 144 of CrPC empowers the undersigned to issue certain directions/orders in urgent cases of nuisances of apprehended danger when it is considered that such direction is likely to prevent danger to human life, health or safety.

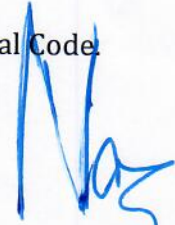
As such for reasons mentioned above, it is hereby ordered that the class work in all educational institutions (Schools & Colleges) of District Ramban (Govt. and Private) shall remain suspended with immediate effect. However, the staff shall remain present on duty. Board and College/Universities examinations shall be held as per schedule.

This order shall remain in effect till 31st of March 2020. Since, it is not possible to serve this order individually, it shall be circulated in Print, Electronic and Social Media for information of all concerned.

Any violation of this order shall invite action under Indian Penal Code.

No:- DMR/768-74
Date:- 11-03-2020




Nazim Zai Khan (KAS),
District Magistrate,
Ramban (J&K)

Copy to the:

1. Divisional Commissioner, Jammu for information.
2. Senior Superintendent of Police, Ramban for information.
3. Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Gool/Banihal/Ramsoo for information & n/a.
4. Principal, Govt. Degree College, Ramban/Batote/Gool/Ukhral/Banihal for info. & n/a.
5. Chief Education Officer, Ramban for information & n/a.
6. Tehsildar, Ramban/Banihal/Gool/Ramsoo/Ukhral/Khari/Batote/Rajgarh for info. & n/a.
7. District Information Officer, Ramban for vide circulation of the Order.
8. All concerned for compliance.