

Office of the District Magistrate, District Hamirpur

NO./ DCH/RELIEF/DMC/2020- 10672

Dated : 26th November, 2020

ORDER UNDER SECTION 34 OF THE DISASTER MANAGEMENT ACT 2005

WHEREAS, there has been a huge spike in the number of COVID-19 cases in recent days after re-opening of more activities and particularly during the gatherings of large number of people in different locations due to social/academic/sports/entertainment/cultural/religious/ political/ and other congregations, etc;

WHEREAS, there is a real and imminent threat to life of the people in District Hamirpur particularly due to recent surge of COVID-19 positive cases in every part of the district and it has become necessary to take preventive measures for the purpose of containing and mitigating it in response to any threatening disaster situation. Further possibility of its spread cannot be ruled out if certain restrictions are not imposed;

THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 34 of Disaster Management Act-2005 and in view of notification no. Rev (DMC) (C) 20-2/2020-Covid-19 dated 24th November, 2020, from Government of Himachal Pradesh, I, Debasweta Banik (IAS), District Magistrate, District Hamirpur, do hereby order that all the shops, restaurants/eaterias, markets in District Hamirpur will remain closed on Sunday except the shops or stores selling essential items like groceries, milk, bread, fruits, vegetables, meat, fish, chemist shops.

Any obstruction, resistance or refusal by any officer, official or any other person to comply with the directions as aforesaid shall render such person liable to prosecution under Sections 188, 269, 270 of IPC, 1860 and Sections 51, 52 of Disaster Management Act-2005;

THIS order shall come into effect immediately and shall remain valid till 15th December, 2020;

ISSUED under my hand and seal on 26th November, 2020.

District Magistrate
District Hamirpur (H.P)

Copy is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

1. The Additional Chief Secretary (Health) to Government of Himachal Pradesh.
2. The Divisional Commissioner, Division Mandi Division H.P.
3. The Superintendent of Police, Hamirpur, District Hamirpur (H.P.).
4. The Chief Medical Officer, Hamirpur, District Hamirpur (HP).
5. All Sub-Divisional Magistrates in District Hamirpur H.P.
6. The District Public Relation Officer Hamirpur for information and wide publicity.
7. DIO Hamirpur with the request to upload the order on official website of the District Administration.



District Magistrate
District Hamirpur (H.P.)