File No. UD-F(10) – 1/2020-Loose Government of Himachal Pradesh. Urban Development Department.

From

The Secretary (UD) to the

Government of Himachal Pradesh.

To

The Director, Urban Development Department, Palika Bhawan, Shimla-2.

Dated: Shimla-2

1st April, 2020

Subject:-

Steps for mitigating suffering of people of the State due to COVID-19

virus outbreak.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of Order No. REV (DMC) (C)/20-3/2020 dated 31.03.2020 (copy enclosed) received from the Chief Secretary to the Government of Himachal Pradesh on the subject cited above and to request you to examine the problem areas pertaining to Urban Development Department in view of the outbreak of COVID-19 pandemic and prepare a draft Action Taken Report as desired in Para 4 of the aforesaid Order and same be submitted to this office within a week for further necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

(Surject Singh Rathore)
Joint Secretary (UD) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

No. REV(DMC)(C)/ 20-3/ 2020 COVID-19- State Control Room DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE-DM CELL GOVERNMENT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH

Dated:- 31st March, 2020

ORDER

Subject: Steps for mitigating suffering of people of the State due to COVID-19 Virus Outbreak.

- 1. The pandemic of COVID-19 has engulfed the entire world and the country, posing serious challenges for the health and economic security of millions of people worldwide, in the country and our State too. During this unprecedented situation for effectively assessing the issues, constraints and scenarios, a well-planned and coordinated emergency response has become essential.
- 2. The measures taken hitherto have been effective in containing the pandemic so far. However, considering the gravity and magnitude of the challenges, which are emerging with every passing day, there is a pressing need to augment and synchronise efforts cutting across various Departments/ Organisations of the State so that the impact of pandemic on economic and social life of the people of the State can be reduced.
- 3. Keeping in view the need for such comprehensive actions and integrated response, in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 24 (e) of the Disaster Management Act-2005, the undersigned in the capacity as Chairperson, State Executive Committee, hereby asks

all the Administrative Secretaries of all the Departments to identify problem areas and provide effective solutions thereof; frame policy, formulate plans, strategize operations and take all necessary steps for effective and time bound implementation of these plans/ policies/ strategies / decisions in their respective areas, so that suffering of the people of the state due to COVID-19 may be mitigated.

4. Action Taken Reports in this regard may be submitted to the undersigned within a period of 15 days positively. The Action Taken Reports may contain the actions which have already been taken and details of proposal, which will be implemented in due course of time with clear implementation timelines.

Anil Kumar Kháchi

Chief Secretary

Government of Himachal Pradesh.

To

All the Administrative Secretaries to the Government of HP

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1. The Deputy Commissioner, All Districts

2. The Heads of Department, Government of HP