

**ORDER UNDER SECTION 144 CrPC**

Dated Ampati, the 14<sup>th</sup> April, 2020

No. PA/DCA/DTFI-COVID-19/65/2020/133, In continuation of this Office Order vide No. PA/DCA/DTFI-COVID-19/65/2020/117 Dated Ampati, the 9<sup>th</sup> April, 2020, in view of the prevailing situation concerning COVID-19 in the country and globally,

And Whereas, a positive COVID-19 case has been detected in East Khasi Hills District and to contain and prevent the spread to South West Garo Hills District by way of observance of strict protocols of the Advisories issued by Government of Meghalaya in the Health & Family Welfare Department;

Now, therefore, I Shri. Ramakrishna Chitturi, IAS, District Magistrate, South West Garo Hills District, Ampati in exercise of the powers conferred upon me under section 144 Cr. P.C. read together with Regulation 3 of the Meghalaya Epidemic Disease, COVID-19 Regulations, 2020 do hereby promulgate **TOTAL CURFEW** and hereby order:

1. Complete closure of all Wine Shops and Bonded Warehouses.
2. No interstate and inter district movement of all private vehicles (except those with valid car passes issued by undersigned and Exempted categories).
3. Operations of all forms of **PUBLIC TRANSPORT** in entire district.
4. Operations of all weekly markets, regular markets, commercial and financial establishments in South West Garo Hills District.

This Order will **NOT** be applicable to:

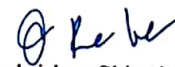
1. Security Forces, Medical Teams and Essential Services.
2. Pharmacies
3. MePDCL, PHE & PWD
4. Food & Civil Supply Deptt. And FCI Staff.
5. Telecom, Telegraph Communication & IT Services, NIC
6. Print & Electronic Media.
7. Banks & ATMs, Treasuries.
8. Postal Services.
9. Agricultural & Animal Husbandry Activities.
10. Vehicles carrying Essential Commodities, food items, medical equipments or other good, Home delivery, Community delivery vehicles.

The District Administration will be activating Contact Tracing of all persons who have visited Bethany Hospital Shillong or Bethany Hospital Nongpoh, and those with travel history from East & West Khasi Hills District and Ribhoi District on or after 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2020 are directed to register and call district control room numbers+91-6009944841, +91- 7629096742, +91- 6009919788 urgently. All are directed to stay at home, maintain social distance, practice hand hygiene and cough etiquette.

In view of the urgency of the matter, this order is being passed ex parte and it shall come into force with effect from 06:00 AM of 14<sup>th</sup> April, 2020 and shall remain in force until further orders.

Given under my hand and seal this the 14<sup>th</sup> of April, 2020.



  
(Ramakrishna Chitturi, IAS)  
District Magistrate,  
South West Garo Hills, Ampati

No. PA/DCA/DTFI-COVID-19/65/2020/133-A,  
Copy to:

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1. The Chief Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Shillong.
2. The Additional Chief Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Home (Police) Department,
3. The Additional Chief Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Political Department, Shillong.
4. The Commissioner & Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Health & Family Welfare Department, Meghalaya, Shillong.
5. The Commissioner of Division for Garo Hills Division, Tura.
6. The Superintendent of Police, South West Garo Hills, Ampati.
7. The DIPRO, Ampati for information and necessary action for wide publicity.

  
District Magistrate,  
South West Garo Hills, Ampati