

Government of Odisha
Department of Water Resources

Letter No: 212/SWR

Dated: 25.03.2020

All Collectors
All Superintendents of Police

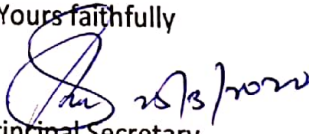
Sub: Unhindered movement of Goods Transport Vehicle Opening of Dhabas – Regarding

Sir,

The nationwide lockdown to combat COVID-19 is extremely critical to stop the disease from spreading. However, during this period of lockdown, provisioning of essential commodities will be very important to ensure that people remain indoors and do not panic. With a view to achieve this and in order to facilitate smooth Inter/Intra State movement of goods, the road side Dhabas, vehicle repair shops, spare part shops which are located alongside the National and State highways must be opened at the rate of 1 every 20 Kilometers or as deemed fit by the District Administration, taking due care that it is located away from the Towns and cities. Collectors to decide and grant permission accordingly through the CSOs/RTOs. Superintendents of Police are advised to personally ensure that there is facilitation in this regard. No goods vehicle, carrying essential, Non-essential or empty shall be stopped by Police or any other authority. No passes are required for any goods vehicle across Odisha including Bhubaneswar & Cuttack. Highway patrol will ensure that there is no congregation at any particular Dhabas. Also that except goods carriers, none other persons are allowed.

This may be brought to the notice of all concerned. This must also be duly publicised.

Yours faithfully

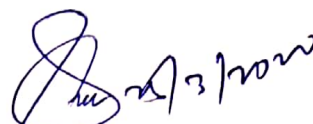


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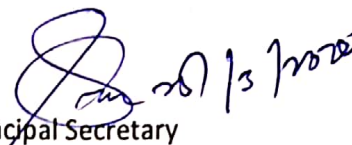
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