Rev (DMC) (C) 20-2/2021 - COVID 19 - III

**Government of Himachal Pradesh** 

Revenue Department – Disaster Management Cell

Shimla - 171002

Dated: 5th June, 2021

## Order

Whereas, the Himachal Pradesh Disaster Management Authority (HPSDMA) is satisfied that Himachal Pradesh continues to be threatened with the spread of COVID-19 epidemic, which has already been declared as a pandemic by the World Health Organization, and has considered it necessary to take effective measures to prevent its spread in the State;

And whereas, considering the unprecedented surge in COVID-19 cases with high positivity rate and in order to break the transmission chain of COVID-19 virus, HPSDMA had imposed Corona Curfew in the state of Himachal Pradesh with effect from 6:00 am on 07.05.2021 (Friday) to 6:00 am on 17.05.2021 (Monday) vide Order dated 05.05.2021, which was extended till 6:00 am on 26.05.2021 (Wednesday) vide Order dated 15.05.2021, further extended till 6:00 am on 31.05.2021 (Monday) vide Order dated 24.05.2021 and further extended till 6:00 am on 07.06.2021 (Monday) vide Order dated 28.05.2021, as an emergency measure;

And whereas, the situation of COVID-19 in the State has again been reviewed and it is observed that, though the number of COVID-19 patients and positivity rate is declining, the situation is still precarious. Therefore, to contain the spread of virus and to break the transmission chain, curfew needs to be further extended for another week in the State (except for essential and permitted activities / services).

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under section 22(2)(h) and section 24 of the Disaster Management Act 2005, the undersigned in the capacity of the Chairman (SEC), hereby directs to extend the 'Corona Curfew' till **6 AM of 14**<sup>th</sup> **June 2021 or till further order, whichever is earlier.** All restrictions and exemptions shall continue as per guidelines already issued vide order dated 28.05.2021.

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Approved by Chief Secretary cum Chairperson, State Executive Committee, Himachal Pradesh.

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