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To
The Chief Secretaries of
All the States and Union Territories of India

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Disaster Management

24/4/2020

Subject: Strict enforcement of lockdown in all the Religious Places and Educational Institutions

Chief Secretary
Jharkhand, Ranchi

Dear Sirs,

As we all know the COVID-19 has seriously affected the world and Government of India, under the able leadership of our Prime Minister, is taking every possible measure to combat and limit the effect of this pandemic. To contain the spread of this disease, 21 day lockdown is in force countrywide. All the activities, except essential services, have been suspended and people have been asked to remain indoors. To further this cause, Friday Namaz and other religious congregations have already been stopped in all the religious places in the country which is appreciable.

But the incident of Nizamuddin (Delhi) where a Jamat was organized has done a big damage to the efforts of the Government to contain this virus. This amounts to serious violation of the lockdown and advisory to not hold any congregation at any religious place or educational institution. This has put lives of the fellow citizens at risk.

In view of the above, you are requested to strictly enforce the lockdown in all the religious places and educational institutions and prevent any gathering, if any, in such places. Strict action should be taken against the violators. Local religious leaders may also be roped in to make people aware about the guidelines of lockdown and prevent any gathering in such places. Urgent action should be initiated in this connection.

Thanks.

Sincerely,

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