



**GOVERNMENT OF KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA
RELIEF REHABILITATION & SETTLEMENT
DEPARTMENT**

Dated Peshawar the 18th March, 2020

NOTIFICATION

No. SO (Admn)/RR&SD/2-49/ 2020: In continuation to this Department Notification of even no. dated 16th March, 2020, and in pursuance of decisions of the meeting held by the Chief Minister, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa on 18-03-2020 regarding the preventive and precautionary measures to control spread of Corona Virus and attended by the Provincial Ministers, Chief Secretary and concerned Secretaries, the following decisions are hereby notified for strict compliance and required actions:

- i. Entry of General Public to all Secretariat, Directorates, District Offices (except District Administration) has been stopped forthwith as it is for their protection and social distancing, as a preventive measures.
- ii. All private ceremonies in homes, closed compounds shall stand banned.
- iii. Grocery, medicine and essential items shops shall remain open 24/7. All other shops shall remain open only from 10:00 am to 07:00 pm. An appeal is made to the public to avoid making rush in bazaars during these hours.
- iv. All tourist spots will be vacated, including in upper parts of the Province, aside rivers and other spots. Further, Information Department will inform the intending tourists through media to forewarn them to avoid visiting tourist destinations for time being, as the schools and colleges were closed off due to increase social distancing, which is the most suitable way for reducing and curbing the spread of Corona Virus.
- v. Timings of all government offices has been revisited. From Monday to Thursday essential offices shall remain open from 10:00 am to 04:00 pm. On Friday, the offices shall close at 12:00 hours. Secretaries shall ensure on-call availability after these timings of staff for urgent work.
- vi. All official meetings of more 5 people have been suspended. Meetings will preferably be held on Videocon, speaker-phone or other electronic methods.
- vii. Offices of all Ministers, Advisors, Special Assistants shall be closed except for Minister Health and Advisor Information.
- viii. All Restaurants, eateries, fast food joints have been closed till 5th April – Home delivery & take away has been allowed.
- ix. Barbers, Beauty Parlours will remain closed for next 15 days.
- x. All the banks shall be intimated that installation and availability of sanitizers at the ATM machines must be ensured.

Secretary

Relief, Rehabilitation & Settlement Department

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