

**GOVERNMENT OF NAGALAND
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SECRETARY
NAGALAND::KOHIMA**

NO.CSO/GAB-I/COM/GEN-I/2020

Kohima, dated, the 19th March, 2021

ORDER

In partial modification of this Office Order of even number dated 31st August 2020 issued under Section 22 (2) (b) and Section 22 (2) (h) of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, for preventing the spread of COVID-19, all the vehicles are hereby permitted to operate with up to 100% passenger capacity with immediate effect in the State subject to the following conditions:

- (a) In both private and commercial passenger vehicles, everyone including the Drivers, Attendants shall mandatorily wear mask at all times. No passenger shall be allowed to travel without **mask worn correctly**.
- (b) In no case, any vehicle shall carry more than the total seating capacity. There should not be any standing passenger in any vehicle.
- (c) All passenger vehicles shall mandatorily maintain a daily log book of all travelers with the following details: Name, Phone, and date of travel.
- (d) Hand sanitizer shall be carried at all times and all passengers must sanitize their hands before boarding.
- (e) The Driver/Attendant shall mandatorily carry appropriate disinfectants and periodically disinfect frequently touched surfaces of the vehicle such as doors and window handles, seats, overhead hand grips, etc.
- (f) The vehicles must be washed daily and disinfected periodically.
- (g) Drivers/attendants will not assemble or gather in groups at bus/taxi/auto rickshaw stands.
- (h) The Municipal/Town Council will ensure installation of adequate hand washing facilities- soap and running water or foot-operated alcohol-based Hand Sanitizer - at the bus/taxi/auto rickshaw stand and display adequate IEC materials (posters/ pamphlets/ flex banners).
- (i) The Municipal/Town Council in collaboration with concerned Union/Association of passenger vehicles will conduct orientation programme on standard preventive measure for Drivers and travelers. Necessary technical support will be provided by District Task Force.

2. In view of all the categories of passenger vehicles being now allowed to carry up to their maximum capacity, the RTAs/DTAs shall revisit the existing fares/rates and



consider revising them downwards suitably, if there were enhancements made earlier on grounds of restrictions on passenger capacity in the vehicles.

Sd/-
J. ALAM, IAS
Chief Secretary

To

1. All DCs/ CP/SPs for information and necessary action
2. All Regional/District Transport Officers for information and necessary action

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Copy to:

1. The Commissioner & Secretary to Governor, Nagaland for kind information.
2. The Principal Secretary to Chief Minister, Nagaland for kind information.
3. The Sr. PS to Deputy Chief Minister, Nagaland for kind information.
4. The Sr. PS to Minister, Transport for kind information
5. The Director General of Police for kind information.
6. The Commissioner, Nagaland for kind information.
7. All AHoDs for kind information.
8. The Secretary, Transport, for information and necessary action.
9. All HODs for information.
10. The Transport Commissioner for information and necessary action.
11. The Station Director, AIR and Doordarshan, Kohima for information and publicity.
12. The Director, IPR for wide publicity.


(ABHIJIT SINHA) IAS
Principal Secretary, Home