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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY  
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT

No. 1703/DRDM/DM/D2/2020/78(1).

Puducherry, dated 12th August 2020.

#### ORDER

Whereas, in the wake of the Novel Corona Virus (COVID-19) situation which has been declared as a Disaster under the provision of Disaster Management Act, 2005, has prompted this District Administration to take several preventive measures.

Whereas, the Government of Puducherry, after having satisfied that the Union territory of Puducherry is threatened with the spread of Covid-19 Virus, which has already been declared as a pandemic by World Health Organization, has issued lockdown orders with certain relaxations in order to sustain the State economy and livelihood of the citizens. However, the relaxations of lockdown have resulted in the fast spread of the Covid-19 Virus which is seen in the number of sudden increase in the recent past.

And whereas, as per the directions of the Chairman, PSDMA, after an elaborate discussion held on 12-08-2020, it is imperative and essential for this administration to impose restrictions in order to contain the spread of the disease. Accordingly, following directions are hereby given:-

1. All shops, establishments and private offices shall function from 6.00 a.m. to 7.00 p.m. only.
2. There shall be a complete lockdown on every Tuesday without any relaxation for the entire Union territory of Puducherry. During the complete lockdown, all shops, establishments, industries, Banks, Government offices, Private offices shall remain closed. There shall be no movement of bus, taxi, auto except on emergency/permitted purpose.

However, only medical shops/pharmacy and milk booths would remain open.

Whereas, any violation of the above instructions is punishable under the provisions of Disaster Management Act, 2005 and Epidemic Act, 1897.

The authorities concerned shall comply with the above instructions.

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Relief and Rehabilitation Commissioner.

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