

**GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT
DISPUR :: GUWAHATI-6**

No.HLA.310/2020/92

Dated Dispur, the 26th February, 2021

ORDER

Whereas, there has been recently a gradual increase in the incidence of COVID-19 cases in few States;

Whereas, new strain of COVID-19 has been discovered in some locations in the country;

Whereas, the COVID-19 vaccination has started and it will take some time for a large segment of the population to be vaccinated;

Whereas, it is now essential that all precautions continue to be taken to contain the spread of COVID-19;

Now, therefore, the order No.HLA.310/2020/90 dated 18/02/2021 (Annexure-I) regarding discontinuation of mandatory COVID-19 testing at airport and railway stations in Assam with effect from 1st March 2021, is hereby kept in abeyance until further orders. COVID-19 screening and testing will continue in all the airports of the State i.e. Guwahati, Silchar, Dibrugarh, Jorhat, Tezpur & Lakhimpur and the railway stations as before, as per extant protocols.

Further, the concerned district administration/ Integrated Disease Surveillance Programme (IDSP) officials will ensure that contact tracing protocol is strictly adhered to.



(Samir K. Sinha, IAS)

Principal Secretary to the Government of Assam

Health & Family Welfare Department

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1. Chief Secretary, Assam.
2. Additional Chief Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Assam.
3. Principal Secretary, Home & Political and Social Welfare Department, Assam.
4. Director General of Police, Assam.
5. ADGP (L&O) / ADGP (S).
6. Principal Secretary, Health & Family Welfare Department, Assam.
7. Commissioner & Secretary, Transport Department, Dispur.
8. Chief Executive Officer, Assam State Disaster Management Authority.
9. Mission Director, National Health Mission, Assam.
10. All Deputy Commissioners / Sub-Divisional Officers (Civil).
11. All Superintendents of Police
12. Director of Medical Education/ Director of Health Services, Assam.
13. All Joint Directors of Health Services, Assam.
14. P.S. to Hon'ble Minister, Health & Family Welfare, Assam.
15. P.S. to Hon'ble Minister of State, Health & Family Welfare, Assam.
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