

GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE : : EAST KHASI HILLS DISTRICT
::: SHILLONG :::

ORDER UNDER SECTION 163 BNSS

Whereas, it has been observed that several NGOs/Groups/Organisations carry out Processions/Rallies/Demonstrations within the district from time to time;

And whereas I am of the opinion that such demonstration if allowed to be held will cause obstruction, hinder the movement of traffic and lead to crowding and congestion and may also result in disturbance of public peace and tranquillity;

Now, therefore, being so satisfied, I, Smti. Rosetta Mary Kurbah, IAS, District Magistrate, East Khasi Hills, Shillong, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me under Section **163 BNSS**, do hereby prohibit as under:-

1. Any person or group of person for holding demonstration/rally within 200 metres radius of the Meghalaya Secretariat building, Additional Secretariat building and Raj Bhavan Shillong.
2. Carrying of arms and any other lethal weapons or any other item/materials having the potential to be used as a weapon which can likely cause grievous injury or harm to any person(s).

Any violation of the said order will attract penal provisions under Section 223 of the BNS and any other Section as deemed fit and appropriate.

In view of the urgency of the matter, this order is being passed ex parte and it shall come into force with immediate effect and remain in force until further orders

Given under my hand and seal this day, the 13th June, 2025.

Sd/-
District Magistrate,
East Khasi Hills District,
Shillong.

Memo. No. C&S.14/163BNSS/2024/78-A

Dated Shillong, the 13th June, 2025

Copy to :-

1. The P. S to the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Meghalaya, for kind information of the Hon'ble Chief Minister.
2. The P. S to the Chief Secretary, Meghalaya, Shillong, for kind information of the Chief Secretary.
3. The P. S to the Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, A. H & Vety./Arts & Culture Department etc. cum Commissioner of Division, Khasi/Jaintia & Ri Bhoi District, for kind information of the Principal Secretary.
4. The P. S to the Commissioner and Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Home(Political) Department for kind information of the Commissioner & Secretary.
5. The Superintendent of Police, East Khasi Hills District, Shillong for information and necessary action.
6. The Director of Information and Public Relations, Meghalaya, Shillong for favour of giving wide publicity through the Press.
7. All ADM/EM/Sector Officers, East Khasi Hills District, Shillong for favour of information and necessary action.
8. The District Informatics Officer, East Khasi Hills District, Shillong with a request to upload the order in the District Website.



District Magistrate,
East Khasi Hills District,
Shillong.