

GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE :: EAST KHASI HILLS DISTRICT
:: S H I L L O N G ::

ORDER

No. DDMA.EKH/119/2020/VOL-V/324

Dated Shillong, the 22nd May, 2021.

Whereas, report has been received from the Incident Commander-cum-Block Development Officer, Mawryngkneng C&RD Block and the Medical & Health Officer In-charge of Jongksha PHC that the 17 (seventeen) high-risk primary contacts of the COVID-19 positive cases who resides at Nongthymmai, Dienglieng and Lumkir Hamlets of Mawber village under Mawryngkneng C&RD Block have refused to undergo testing for COVID-19 and are found mingling around the village without following the isolation protocols as mandated by the Government;

And whereas, in view of the outright refusal, without which their COVID status is unknown, there is every apprehension that it could lead to spreading of infection and amount to endangering the health of the public at large, if the said high-risk primary contacts are able to move around freely;

And whereas, this would also enable the Medical Officer in-charge to closely monitor the health of the said high-risk primary contacts, including in the event of any of them developing symptoms;

Therefore, in the interest of the public in general and in exercise of the powers conferred under the Meghalaya Epidemic Diseases, COVID-19 Regulations 2020 and Amendments thereof, it is deemed necessary to declare the **Nongthymmai, Dienglieng and Lumkir Hamlets of Mawber village under Mawryngkneng C&RD Block as a containment Zone so as to restrict unregulated entry and exit on the site;**

- No person shall be allowed to move into the containment area and inhabitants within this area shall not move out.
- All the inhabitants within the containment area shall strictly remain inside their home.
- No gatherings, events, functions whatsoever of any nature and forms shall be allowed
- No Social, Political, Religious, Economic activities are allowed
- All the shopping establishments of whatsoever nature shall remain closed.
- The Incident Commander cum Block Development Officer, Mawryngkneng C&RD Block shall supervise and monitor strict compliance of the order.

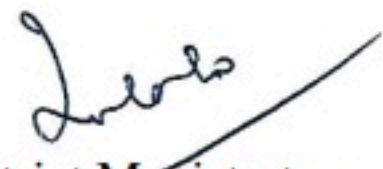
Any violation of this order shall entail prosecution under the penal provision of Disaster Management Act, 2005 and I.P.C.

Health workers, doctors, nurses and medical emergencies are permitted to move with the intimation/approval of the Incident Commander cum Block Development Officer, Mawryngkneng C&RD Block and CCTM. Persons moving for vaccination are also permitted with prior intimation.

In view of the urgency of the matter, this Order has been made ex parte.

Given under my hand and seal this 22nd May, 2021.




District Magistrate,
East Khasi Hills District,
Shillong.