

GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM  
HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT  
DISPUR ::: GUWAHATI

No.HLB. 111/2020/29

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STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES

FOR  
RETURN OF RESIDENTS OF ASSAM STRANDED IN OTHER PARTS OF INDIA BY  
ROAD TO ASSAM

In view of COVID pandemic, Government of India has enforced complete lockdown throughout India. A huge number of people belonging to Assam state are stranded in various states and cities of India as all modes of transportation for mass movement are temporarily closed all over India.

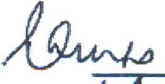
In this scenario, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India has come up with fresh orders dated 29<sup>th</sup> April 2020 for facilitating such movement of stranded people to their home states in a planned manner.

Subsequently, State Level Empowered Committee, COVID-19, Government of Assam constituted a committee to formulate Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) for bringing Migrant workers, Pilgrims, Tourists, Students and Other persons stranded at different places to the state in a phased manner. The SOP for persons returning by road transportation is as follows:

**1. Nodal Authorities/ Officers**

1.1. Shri G P Singh, IPS, ADGP (L&O) and Shri Harmeet Singh, IPS, ADGP (S) have been designated as Nodal Officer and Alternate Nodal Officer for inter-State movement of all persons stranded in other parts of the country and also State of Assam vide Assam Disaster Management Authority order No. ASDMA/23/2020/Pt I/20 dated 30/04/2020. The above officers or those authorised by them will undertake the coordination with all other States/ UTs and mutually agree to the movement of the stranded persons.

1.2. All inward and outward movement of persons will be undertaken only with the prior permission of the Nodal Officer/ Alternate Nodal Officer or those authorised by Nodal Officer.

  
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