ORDER

Sub: DM - Preventive measures to contain the spread of Novel Corona Virus -
Closing of Shops and Establishments -Orders issued - reg.

Ref: 1. Order under Section 144 of CrPC dated 21.03.2020 of District Magistrate,
Puducherry
2. G.O. Ms. No. 03/2020 Dated: 23.03.2020 of the Department of Revenue &
Disaster Management, Puducherry.

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Whereas 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 has also notified lockdown order in the entire UT of
Puducherry vide G.O cited under reference 2.

Whereas it felt that further clarification is required to be given as follows:

All the shop would be closed up to 28/03/2020 except the following:

a) Groceries Shop
b) Pharmacy / Medical shops
c) Ponlait Milk Booths
d) Petrol pumps
e) Vegetable / fruit shops
f) All other services and activities permitted vide order dt:23/03/2020

The above restrictions shall be strictly adhered to failing which penal action as deemed proper
will be taken against the erring shops/ establishments.

(Dr. T. ARUN, I.A.S.)
DISTRICT MAGISTRATE

To

All concerned

Copy to:
1. All Secretaries, Govt. of Puducherry.
2. All Head of Departments, Puducherry
3. The Sr. Supdt. of Police (Law & Order), Puducherry.
4. The Sub Divisional Magistrate (North/South/Mahe/Yanam), Puducherry
5. The Director, Department of Information & Publicity, Puducherry

6. The Superintendent of Police (North/East/West/South/Mahe/Yanam), Puducherry
07. The Enforcement Team Heads – for strict enforcement.

Copy to:
1. The PS to the Hon'ble Lt. Governor, Puducherry.
2. The PS to the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Puducherry.
3. The PS to the Hon'ble Speaker, Puducherry.
4. The PS to the Hon'ble Ministers of Puducherry.
5. The PS to the Chief Secretary, Puducherry.