

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAHYA
HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT**

NOTIFICATION

Dated Shillong, the 23rd June, 2021.

No. Health.68/2020/95 : In exercise of the powers conferred under **Section 2, 3 and 4** of the **Epidemic Diseases Prevention Act, 1897**, the Department of Health and Family Welfare hereby makes the following regulations to amend "**The Meghalaya Epidemic Diseases, COVID-19 Regulations, 2020**", namely:-

1. These regulations may be called **The Meghalaya Epidemic Diseases, COVID-19 (Sixth Amendment) Regulations, 2021**.
2. They shall come into force from the date of notification by the Government.
3. **Amendment of Regulation 4**: In regulation 4, a new sub-section (iv) shall be inserted, as under, namely,

"The Government may also deploy Rapid Response Teams for COVID-19 in the communities to identify and test all individuals who are found to be high risk contacts by the Authorized persons or Medical Officers and such persons shall get themselves tested so that the spread of the disease can be contained and lives can be saved"
4. Notwithstanding such amendment, anything done or any action taken under the earlier provisions, before the amendment, shall be deemed to have been done or taken under the provisions of these amendment Regulations.

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(M. N. Nampui, IAS)

Commissioner Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya
Health & Family Welfare Department.

Memo No. Health.68/2020/95-A

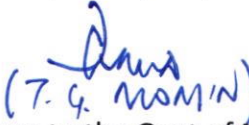
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1. The Secretary to the Governor of Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of Governor.
2. The Private Secretary to the Chief Minister, Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of Chief Minister
3. The Private Secretary to the Deputy Chief Minister, Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of Deputy Chief Minister.

4. The Private Secretary to the Health Minister, Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of Minister.
5. The Private Secretaries to all Ministers, Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of the Hon'ble Ministers.
6. Private Secretary to the Chief Secretary, Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of Chief Secretary.
7. The Additional Chief Secretaries / Principal Secretaries / Commissioner & Secretaries / Secretaries of all Departments, Government of Meghalaya.
8. The Director of Health Services (MI)/(MCH&FW)/(Research), Meghalaya, Shillong
9. The Director of Information & Public Relations for wide circulation in the Print and Electronic Media.
10. The Director of Printing & Stationery, Meghalaya, Shillong for publication in the Meghalaya Gazette.
11. The Director General of Police, Meghalaya.
12. All Deputy Commissioner for information.
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13. Joint Director of Health Services (MCH &FW), I/c IDSP Meghalaya, Shillong.
14. All Administrative Departments/Heads of Departments.
15. The State Informatics Officer, NIC, Meghalaya.

By order, etc.,


(T. G. MOMIN)

Joint Secretary to the Govt of Meghalaya,
Health & Family Welfare Department.
