

**DISTRICT MAGISTRATE, NORTH GOA IMPOSES STRICT DIRECTIONS TO  
CYBER CAFÉ**

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The District Magistrate, North Goa has ordered the strict directions to the owners of Cyber Cafes in the entire North Goa District. The owners of the Cyber Café should Prohibit the use of Cyber Café by unknown person and whose identity has not been established by the owner of the cafe, he/she should maintain a register for identity of the visitor / user, he/she should get an entry in the handwriting of the visitor / user mentioning name, address, telephone number and identity proof. The visitor / user should also sign the register kept for this purpose, the identity of the visitor / user should be established through Government Identity Card only; like Voter Card, Driving Licence, Smart Card, Passport etc, Activity server log should preserved in the main server and its record should be preserved for atleast six months, if any activity of the visitor is of suspicious nature, the owner of Cyber Cafe should immediately inform the nearest Police Station and the Police Control Room (P.C.R.), record should be maintained about the specific computer used by each visitor /user, CCTV cameras should be installed by the owner at the entry point of each cyber café.

This order will come into effect from November 11, 2017 and will be effective for a period of 60 days.

Any person violating this order will be punishable under Section 188 of the Indian Penal Code.