

## Minutes of Meeting of the State Executive Committee held at the Forest Bhavan, on 12th May, 2020

On 12/05/2020, a meeting of State Executive Committee (SEC) was held under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary (also Principal Secretary, PWD), Goa and the following other members of the SEC also attended:

1. Shri S.K. Bhandari, Secretary, Transport
2. Shri Sanjay Kumar, Secretary Revenue, Member Secretary, SEC & SDMA

The SEC was briefed about the reports on Law & Order, Trucks Movement, Relief & Shelters, and Covid Status Report (copy attached). The other officers (as per the list Annexed), also attended the meeting as special invitees.

After deliberation on the current situation, the SEC noted and decided the following:

1. **Status of COVID19:** Secretary Health informed that no new Covid-19 case has been detected after 3rd April 2020. As on date, Goa has had seven positive cases of Covid-19, and all seven patients have recovered. After recovery, these patients were shifted to a Quarantine facility outside the Covid Hospital, as per norms for further institutional quarantine of 14 days, and they all have thereafter been sent for home quarantine as per laid down protocols. 413 tests for Covid (this includes tests done on the samples collected so far of those who were surveyed during the House-to-House survey), were done during the last 24 hours, on SARI/ILI patients, all of which were negative. The SEC noted with caution that Goa had not yet faced any community transmission.
2. The SEC discussed the issue of movement of passengers to Goa through trains, as they are coming without any prior permission from Goa. After discussion, the SEC decided that:
  - o The State government should request Chairman, Railway Board to allow incoming trains only at Margao for the time being.
  - o Secretary, Health explained that the passengers' swab for testing could be either taken either at the Railway Station or at the new South District Hospital. Thereafter, the passengers will be moved to Fatorda stadium by buses to be kept in isolation till the receipt of the test results.
  - o Testing cost needs to be factor in, as the cost involved for testing is rising with the increasing numbers of incoming travellers. The State government would also incur the additional cost in local transport of such people and keeping them in

holding areas. The SEC felt that a mechanism needs to be put in place for recovery of this cost. A uniform testing charge should be levied on the incoming persons irrespective of the mode of travel and place of entry. In any case, the people who are coming from abroad, give an undertaking before boarding the flight that they would bear the cost of paid quarantine for 14 days.

3. As asked by the SEC, the Principal Secretary and Collectors visited many places which could be used as holding areas for people coming in large groups. In such areas those incoming persons could wait for 5-6 hours till the testing results are received. The SEC agreed for the use of such places as temporary isolation/holding areas to improve the turnover of people waiting for test results and ensure effective use of the existing quarantine centres.
4. Director, Transport informed that the movement of vehicles across the State borders is subject to payment of road tax and permit fee. The SEC asked the Collectors to facilitate the collection of these levies by the Transport department.
5. MD, KTCL flagged the issue of fixing a location for testing of the passengers who are coming from outside in KTCL buses. After discussion, the SEC decided that such buses can be sent directly to the new South District Hospital. The passengers can wait either in the buses or could be taken to Fatorda Stadium (holding area) for being kept in isolation till the test results are received. The SEC asked the Collector, South-Goa and Secretary, Health to plan accordingly.
6. PCE(PWD) informed the water supply is normal except for some supply related issues at the tail end of the distribution system, which are normally experienced during this period.
7. CE(Electricity) informed that the power supply got adversely affected due to the inclement weather in the Bicholim area. However, the same was restored within a couple of hours.
8. Shri Kunal, the Nodal officer, raised the issues related to collecting the fare for the migrants who are moving by train. After discussion, the SEC decided that the Nodal officers of the other States be asked to deposit the money directly with the Railways, as was done by J&K, Madhya Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh, etc. for facilitating smooth movement of the stranded labour of the respective States.
9. Commissioner (Excise) informed that the liquor manufacturers have produced about 5.75 lakh liters of hand sanitisers.
10. Secretary, Law informed that the Registration process has picked up and the department has registered 52 documents and 11 marriages during the day. The SEC advised the



department to keep the process staggered to ensure the social distancing and other safety norms.

11. The Nodal Officer (Foreigners) informed that till date 6926 foreigners have left Goa in 35 special ferry flights from the Goa Airport.
12. The Nodal Officer for Quarantine facilities informed that a total of 285 persons are sheltered in 11 quarantine facilities.
13. Secretary, Port informed that the crew of Marella Discovery has completed the mandatory quarantine period and have been sent for home quarantine of 14 days as per the laid down protocol of Gol.
14. PCCF informed that the department received information about four incidents of forest fires, the same were extinguished promptly.
15. Shri Keshav, District Observer informed that he visited the Patradevi border checkpost and observed that the vehicle movement had improved after the introduction of new mechanisms for the movement of vehicles across the border.
16. MD, KTCL informed that 162 KTCL buses were operational today. He also informed that five KTCL buses are planned to return today with stranded Goans from outside the State and two buses are planned for transporting persons stranded in Goa from other States.
17. IGP informed that the police have so far taken action against 8398 persons for non-wearing of masks and against 6203 persons for spitting at public places. The SEC advised the continuation of the strict action in this regard.
18. Secretary, Agriculture informed that the agricultural activities are normal. With 10 Harvesters working in the fields, 95% harvesting is complete, and sowing for vegetables is on.
19. Director, IT informed that around 3283 people have departed from Goa (Government Assistance-Bus with valid travel permit), 6486 (by own vehicles with valid inter state travel permit), 3003 (through Shramik Express-Train) since 29th April 2020. Thus a total of 12,772 have gone out. Around 221 people have arrived in Goa through Govt Assistance (Bus) and around 1587 have entered Goa by their own vehicle (with interstate travel permit). A total of around 1808 people have arrived in Goa. The SEC asked all concerned to ensure that the Arogya Setu app is compulsorily downloaded by all persons coming to Goa.



Committee also conveyed to all concerned that as per MHA orders, any person violating these containment measures or not complying with the above directions will be liable to be proceeded against as per the provisions of Section 51 to 60 of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, besides legal action u/s 188 of the IPC.



(Sanjay Kumar)  
Secretary, Revenue  
Member Secretary, SEC & SDMA

**List of Special Invitees:**

1. Shri Subhash Chandra, PCCF
2. Shri Jaspal Singh, IGP
3. Shri Daulat Hawaldar Secretary Finance
4. Shri Santosh Kumar, Add. PCCF
5. Shri Kunal, CEO Goa
6. Ms Nila Mohanan, Secretary, Health
7. Shri Amit Satija, Commissioner, Excise
8. Shri P. S. Reddy, Secretary, Fisheries
9. Shri Keshav Kumar, CCF
10. Shri Paramaditya, DIG
11. Shri J. Ashok Kumar, Secretary, Tourism
12. Shri Sanjay Grihar, Secretary, Panchayats
13. Shri C.R. Garg, Secretary, Law
14. Shri Kuldeep Singh Gangar. Secretary Agriculture
15. Shri Tariq Thomas, DMA
16. Ms Isha Khosla, Secretary, Civil Supply
17. Shri Ajit Roy Collector South
18. Shri. Hemant Kumar, IAS
19. Shri U. P. Parsekar, Principal Chief Engineer (PWD)
20. Shri Narayan Gad, Director Panchayat
21. Shri Shrikant Patil C.E. (WRD)
22. Ms Meghana Shetgaonkar Director Information And Publicity
23. Shri. Venancio Furtado M.D. KTCL
24. Mr Anthony De'Souza, Joint Secretary, Revenue

DETAILS OF SUPPORT PROVIDED TO STRANDED MIGRANT POPULATION AND OTHER NEEDY PERSONS AS ON 12/05/2020

Name of the State : GOA.

Name and Mobile number of State Nodal Officer for Migrant Labour and Stranded persons: Hemant Kumar, IAS.  
(State Control Room I/c: 7875015991)

Name of District	Number of active Relief Camps and Shelters		Number of persons housed in Relief Camps and Shelters		Number of Food camps		Number of persons given food		Number of Workers given shelter and food by employers / industry where they were working	Remarks/ additional information
	Govt.	NGO	Govt.	NGO	Govt.	NGO	Govt.	NGO		
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)
North Goa	12	0	350	0	08	5	702	300		1) Dry ration provided to 612 persons. 2) Three meals are provided to all persons in shelter homes
South Goa	05	0	373	0	02	2	158	650		
	17	0	723	0	10	7	860	950		

Note.

- 1) Goa does not have any COVID-19 hotspot.
- 2) 11 Vegetables-on-Wheels: On trucks, vegetables are being sold in different parts of Goa.
- 3) 09 Fish-on-Wheels: On insulated-vans, fish is being sold in different parts of Goa.
- 4) 02 ATM-on-Wheels: SBI bank is running ATM-on-Wheels to disburse cash in different parts of Goa.

**REPORT (COVID-19) ON LAW & ORDER AND FACILITATION OF ESSENTIAL GOODS & SERVICE**

Date:- 12/05/2020

Time:- 20:00 hrs (Cumulative)

TABLE 1: LAW & ORDER

Sr No.	State/UT	Total number violation of Lock down/curfew orders	Remedial Steps taken against violations mentioned in column - 3				Total Number of Law & Order incidents reported	Action taken on incidents of Law & order reported in Column - 5.	Remarks
			Total Arrests made	Total vehicles seized	Total FIRs registered	Total Fines imposed (In Rs)			
-1	-2	-3	-4				-5	-6	-7
1	Goa Total	44693	1258	465	688	5183400		1. Strict enforcement of the lockdown is being enforced with simultaneous persuasion by patrolling staff to comply with the conditions of lockdown. 2. Appeal on Social Media through appropriate posters. 3. Video clips appeal to Citizens/Religious places against gathering. 4. Meetings with religious heads. 5. Patrolling has been intensified all over Goa and Nakas have been deployed at all exit points. 6. Traffic staff has been deployed along with district police at nakas/hands.	
	North Goa	12926	503	204	335	1360600	--		
	South Goa	31767	755	261	353	3822800	--		




Date: 12/05/2020

**MEDIA BULLETIN**

**STATUS OF COVID-19 IN GOA**

Sr. No.	Category	Cases on 12.05.2020	Cumulative no. of Cases since 29.01.2020
1	People under Home Quarantine- International Passengers	00	1794
2	People under Home Quarantine- Interstate Domestic Travellers	296	2859
3	Travellers in Facility Quarantine	303	2806
4	Suspects under Hospital Isolation	04	253
5	No. of samples sent for testing	418	5725
6	No. of reports received	413	5720
7	No. of samples tested Positive	00	07
8	No. of cured patients out of Positive	00	07

- Out of 418 Samples sent for testing, 413 are Negative – 05 Reports Awaited.
- At present patient in isolation ward GMC- 02
- At present patient in isolation ward North Goa District Hospital- 02
- At present people quarantined at Old Goa Residency- 33
- At present people quarantined at Margao Residency- 63
- At present people quarantined at Mayem Residency- 26
- At present people quarantined at Mapusa Residency- 18
- At present people quarantined at Farmagudi Residency- 29
- At present people quarantined at Vasco Residency- 64
- At present people quarantined at Calangute Residency- 05
- At present people quarantined at International Center Goa, Dona Paula- 05
- At present people quarantined at Acron Seaway Resort, Candolim- 06

  
Director of Health Services