

Government of Karnataka

No.158 TNR 2020

Government of Karnataka, Secretariat
Vidhanasoudha, Bengaluru,
Date: 28-04-2021

Request

In order to prevent the spread of Covid-19 in the state, guidelines are issued under the Disaster Management Act, Case 24 of 2005 order dated 20-04-2021.

In this order, weekdays and weekend curfews are imposed to prevent the spread of infection. Further, Curfew period was extended to 12.05.2021, as per order dated: 26.04.2021 and with the mandate of the public to follow even more stringent measures which has been decided and ordered.

The number of cases of Covid-19 and the incidence of Covid infection are on the rise. The current scenario is seen as taking very stringent regulatory measures to break the chain of transmission. Also, in such a worst situation, many landlords /House/ Mansions / PG's / Shop owners have taken steps to clear the places offered by the tenants on basis of rent and lease / clear homes from tenants.

The government has noticed a move by employers to remove its employees from duty during this curfew.

The government has also noticed that shop owners are working to clear the shop and similar places rented out for rent.

Therefore, in the public interest and the need to eradicate the Covid-19, as the Chairman of the State Executive Committee, the exercise of the powers vested Disaster Management Act, 24 of the 2005 Case. I am hereby requesting as below.

No employers can fire their employees during the curfew and not to cut their wages as appealed.

The house owners, the tenants who rented the house / PG / shop on a lease or rent basis, pleaded not to evict them by forcefully.

P. Ravikumar
Chief Secretary to the Government and
Chairman of the State Executive Committee of the
Karnataka Disaster Management Authority.