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Subject : Travel to Kerala: In view of increasing COVID - 19 cases in the State of Kerala : Regarding.

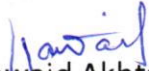
Reference: Meeting held under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Chief Minister, GoK on 5.9.2021, at Krishna, Bengaluru.

In view of the prevailing COVID-19 situation in Kerala, special measure are already in place for arrivals from Kerala. Further, it has been observed that students and employees arriving to Karnataka from Kerala though bringing Negative RT – PCR reports are testing Covid 19 Positive during repeat test and number of such case are considerably high in Dakshina Kannada and Udupi. In this regard instructions have been issued from time to time for arrivals from Kerala for control and prevention of COVID-19 in Karnataka.

Further, the following instructions are given in connection with travel to Kerala:

1. All Administrators / Principals of the Educational / Nursing / Paramedical Institutions are advised to instruct their wards who have not yet returned to Karnataka to defer / postpone their return till the end of October, 2021. Further, they should also advise their wards not to travel to Kerala till the end of October, 2021.
2. All Administrators / owners of Hospitals, Nursing Homes, Offices, Hotels, Factories, Industries, etc, to instruct their wards who have not yet returned to Karnataka to defer / postpone their return till the end of October, 2021. Further, they should also advise their wards not to travel to Kerala till the end of October, 2021.

3. Public is advised to defer their plan to visit Kerala till the end of October, 2021, if there is no emergency / urgency with a view to avoid 3rd wave of COVID-19 in Karnataka in the larger interest of Public Health.


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To:

1. The Deputy Commissioners of all districts
2. CEO, ZP of all districts
3. The Special Commissioner – Health, BBMP, Bengaluru
4. The District Health and Family Welfare officers of all districts
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6. The Director, Health & Family Welfare Services
7. PS to Hon'ble Minister for HFW and Medical Education.