

Government of Punjab
Department of Home Affairs and Justice

To

1. All the Divisional Commissioners and the Deputy Commissioners in the State
2. All the Zonal IGPs, Commissioners of Police, DIGs and SSPs in the State

No. SS/ACSH/2020/ 316

Dated, Chandigarh, the 20th April, 2020

Subject: Ban on e-commerce, distribution of books, opening of AC, cooler Shops and permission for movement of labourers within the state.

Kindly find attached herewith:-

1. Corrigendum (2) dated 19.04.2020 (copy enclosed) to the consolidated revised guidelines of the Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA), Government of India dated 15.04.2020 and corrigendum (1) dated 16.04.2020. Sub-clause (v) under clause 14 on Commercial and private establishments:

“ v. (E-commerce companies. Vehicles used by e-commerce operators will be allowed to ply with necessary permissions)” stands **Excluded.**

Accordingly, e-commerce is allowed only for essential commodities under clause 13(i) of the guidelines and not for other goods.

2. Order dated 19.04.2020 (copy enclosed) of MHA vide which stranded labour have been allowed to move within the state after screening. You may accordingly verify whether workers in any camp want to return to their place of work. If yes, necessary arrangements as per these guidelines be made.

3. Please refer to letter No.SS/ACSH/2020/313 dated 18.04.2020 of the Department of Home Affairs & Justice, Government of Punjab vide which MHA guidelines were communicated for compliance. Para 2(iv) of this letter regarding the distribution of books by book-shops and the sale of air-conditioners, coolers, etc is deleted.

District authorities are directed to comply with these instructions meticulously.

Darshan Wadhwa
Additional Chief Secretary Home

CC:

1. CPS/CM
2. CS
3. PSCM
4. DGP Punjab
5. ADGP-Law & Order

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