

UT ADMINISTRATION OF DAMAN & DIU
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR-CUM-DISTRICT MAGISTRATE
COLLECTORATE, DAMAN

No.COL/DMN/EST/2019/ 2000

Dated: 30 /07/2019

ORDER

(Under Section 144 Cr.PC)

WHEREAS an information has been received from the District Vector Borne Disease Control Programme Officer that there is a likelihood of outbreak of malaria, dengue, chikungunya or any other vector borne diseases in the District of Damam in the ensuing monsoon season.

AND WHEREAS the reason for such an outbreak is the stagnancy of water which is an ideal location for the breeding of mosquitoes.

AND WHEREAS a survey was done by the office of DVBDPC and it was found that there are certain areas such as bars , restaurants, new construction sites, tyre vendors, scrap dealers etc. which are prone to water logging and breeding of mosquitos.

AND WHEREAS it is necessary to restrict such water stagnation and all concerned have to take precautionary measure to check any outbreak of vector borne disease during the monsoon season.

THEREFORE, I, Rakesh Minhas, Collector-cum-District Magistrate, Damam, hereby direct the following under Section 144 CrPC:

- (a) CEO(DP) and CO(DMC) have to ensure that all the potholes, pits etc which are prone to water logging are levelled and filled up.
- (b) All residents will ensure that the water in air-coolers and stored in containers such as drums, buckets or other similar utensils are kept clean. And the water is changed every third day.
- (c) The industrial units are informed that since the temporary sheds erected by them are a source of mosquito growth, therefore, such units shall remove any sheds constructed with tarpaulin or bamboo, so that water collected in these sheds does not contribute to the spread of any vector-borne disease.

- (d) It is the responsibility of the respective building contractors, government agencies, or any other individual/entity carrying out construction, to ensure that no water accumulation takes place on any of their construction sites.
- (e) Scrap merchants and dealers will ensure that none of the material found at their site shall become a source of mosquito breeding. In this regard, they shall ensure that items such as bottles, drums, tyres, etc, are not kept in the open.
- (f) All bars and restaurants shall ensure that all the water generated by them is properly disposed off. They shall ensure that their neighbourhood shall remain clean and waste generated by them should not contribute to spreading of vector-borne diseases. The bars and restaurants will have to cooperate with DVBCPO to see to it that regular fogging is done in their premises.
- (g) The Public Works Department (PWD) will ensure that sludge is properly disposed off after the completion of their work. They shall pay special attention to correct any leakage in pipelines, and make sure all manholes are covered.
- (h) It shall be the responsibility of the District Vector Borne Disease Control Programme Officer (DVBCPO) to take the required steps for spraying of chemicals to prevent any type of mosquito breeding in sites where rain water has a tendency to accumulate. The Officer is directed to begin anti-larval activities with immediate effect.
- (i) Since mosquitoes find a favourable home in rubber tyres, shops selling tyres or those indulging in repair of tyres, are informed to ensure no water accumulation should be allowed to happen inside tyres at or near their premises.
- (j) The DVBCPO has to take all required steps to enter residential and commercial premises to check anti-larval activities. In cases where the concerned officer finds resistance from the owner/occupants of the premises, he/she shall take the necessary assistance from the concerned SHO.

- (k) It shall be the responsibility of the CEO (District Panchayat) and CO (District Municipal Council) to carry out special drives to find out any violators of the said order, and take necessary action, including registration of a police complaint. A list of all such violators shall be prepared and be shared with the District Magistrate for necessary action.

Any violation shall invite action under Section 188 of the Indian Penal Code.

Rakesh
29/7/11

(Dr. Rakesh Minhas), IAS
Collector-cum-District Magistrate
Daman.

To,

1. The Superintendent of Police, Daman.
2. The Chief Executive Officer, District Panchayat, Daman.
3. The Chief Officer, D.M.C., Daman for wide circulation among all concerned in the urban areas.
4. The Sub Divisional Magistrate, Collectorate, Daman.
5. The Deputy Collector (Gen.), Collectorate, Daman.
6. The Sub Divisional Police Officer, Daman.
7. The B.D.O., Daman for wide circulation among all concerned in the rural areas.
8. The Mamlatdar, Daman.
9. The District Vector Borne Disease Control Programme Officer, Daman for circulation of this copy to all concerned.
10. All SHO's Daman.
11. All Head of Offices, Daman.
12. The Field Publicity Officer, Daman for wide publicity in media.

Copy for information to :

1. The PPS to Hon'ble Administrator, DD & DNH, Secretariat, Daman.
2. The Advisor to Hon'ble Administrator, DD & DNH, Secretariat, Daman.