GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
HEALTH MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Order No.55/COVID-19/2020, Date:30.05.2020

COVID Instant Order-55

Ref: 1. DO No.T 454/COVID Spl Trains/GM South Central Railway, Dt: 28.5.2020
2. COVID Instant Order No. 52 & 53 dated: 25th May 2020

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The South-Central Railway is going to run Special trains from 1.6.2020 till further orders. The list of such trains is attached as annexure I to this order. For ensuring that the movement of these trains does not lead to increased infection the following precautions shall be taken.

1. In all the Railway stations mentioned in annexure I proper reception arrangements shall be made during the operation of these trains. Teams shall be positioned during the operation of these trains.

2. All passengers travelling between various stations situated within the state of Andhra pradesh shall not be quarantined unless they are symptomatic. The above can be ascertained from checking their ticket itself.

3. Every passenger shall be thermally screened on disembarkation and if he is asymptomatic, he shall be allowed to go home without any further checking.

4. All passengers coming from other states shall be subject to the procedure given in COVID order no. 52 i.e., passengers coming from High Incidence areas of Maharashtra, Gujarat, Rajasthan, Delhi, Madhya Pradesh, and Chennai shall be sent to 7 days Institutional Quarantine followed by 7 days Home Quarantine.

5. Exemption from institutional quarantine is given to
   A) Passengers aged above 60
   B) Passengers aged below 10.
   C) Pregnant and lactating mothers.
   D) Terminally ill passengers.

6. The above categories shall however have to undergo 14 days home quarantine and their swab shall be collected at the railway station.

7. Exemption is also given to passengers who are government officials on government duty and businesspersons on business visits. Medical professional
are also exempt from institutional quarantine. However all the above three categories shall carry a COVID negative certificate from a ICMR recognized lab issued within last three days of such travel.

8. Passengers coming from other than the above high incidence states shall be allowed to go for 14 days home quarantine after taking their swab at the railway station itself.

9. However since large number of passengers are expected from Hyderabad random sampling shall be followed for trains originating in Telengana.

10. For this purpose 5% of passengers in each compartment shall be tested for understanding the prevalence of infection. After observing the pattern of positivity for a week this sampling may be modified.

11. Data of all passengers coming from outside the state shall be captured in the migrant movement app compulsorily. Their home quarantine shall be monitored on regular basis.

All Collectors and Superintendents of police shall take action accordingly.

Spl. Chief Secretary to Govt.,

To
All the Collector and District Magistrates
All the Superintendents of Police
All the DM&HOs in the State