

Abstract

GAD- Regulations to contain COVID-19 pandemic- General lock down order- lifting of regulations regarding indoor shooting of cinema/television-revised- orders issued

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SECRET SECTION) DEPARTMENT

G.O (Ms) No. 116/2020/GAD

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram,

18.06.2020

Read: 1, G.O (Ms) No. 106/2020/GAD dated 01.06.2020

2. Representation dated 06.06.2020 received from the President, Kerala Television Federation, Thiruvananthapuram

ORDER

As a part of COVID-19 containment activities, Government as per order read above have permitted the indoor shooting of Cinema and TV serials, subject to the condition that all health protocols shall be followed and the maximum crew members shall not exceed 50 and 25 respectively, provided all of them should be tested COVID negative.

- 2. The President, Kerala Television Federation, Thiruvananthapuram has informed Government that stringent measures are being adopted by the concerned for the containment of COVID-19 pandemic by all the possible means in the shooting sets and hence they may be exempted from the mandatory COVID negative certification of all the crew members.
- 3. Government, after examining the matter in detail, are pleased to order that any crew member with history of contact with people coming from containment zone or having influenza like symptoms, common cold, sore throat, fever, cough, breathlessness to be tested with RtPCR by the respective TV Channel-in-charge/ Production Manager and report be submitted to Health Department. The same shall be applicable for the indoor shooting of Movies also.
- 4. Government order read as paper 1 above stands modified to the above extent.

(By Order of the Governor)

K R J YOTHILAL PRINCIPAL SECRETARY

To

Additional Chief Secretary to Government (Home & Vigilance)

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All District Collectors
All District Police Chiefs
All heads of departments concerned
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