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## **Appeal in view of Coronavirus (COVID-19)**

As everybody is aware of the fact that COVID-19 popularly known as Novel Coronavirus has been declared as Pandemic by the World Health Organization with more than 100 positive cases in the country, it becomes imperative upon all the citizens to cooperate with the authorities to prevent / contain this outbreak. The Government has taken a slew of measures in terms of screening of people particularly inbound travelers, surveillance & quarantining/isolation of suspects and is continuously monitoring the situation on a minute to minute basis.

In this backdrop, through the medium of this communication, the people of the valley are urged not to panic, but at the same time the general public is requested to act and adhere to the advisories and do's & dont's issued by the Government to help contain the incidence of COVID-19.

As such, as a precautionary measure, people are requested not to visit hospitals unnecessarily or in case of minor ailments. Besides, it is also advised to limit the number of attendants accompanying the patient to maximum one person in case of extremely sick/emergency patients.

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