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Mission for Elimination of Poverty in Municipal Areas (MEPMA)

Municipal Adminstration and Urban Development, Government of Telangana

From To

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S The Project Directors of Warangal Urban, Nizamabad, Siddipet, Suryapet, Mission Director, Peddapalli, Mahabubnagar, Nalgonda, Khammam, Adilabad, Jagitial,

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Sub: MEPMA-DAY-NULM –Shelter for Urban Less (SUH) - Sanitization and disinfection of DAY-NULM shelters during COVID-19 outbreak -instructions issued –Reg

Ref: 1.File.No.k-12/20/2017-UPA-II-section-MHUPA (FTS-9021581) GOI, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs UPA-II division) from the under Secretary, MHUPA, GOI to the Mission Directors of all the states Dated 28.03.2020.

File No.K-12/20/2017-UPA-II-Section-MHUPA (FTS-9021581) from the Under Secretary
Ministry of the Housing and Urban Affairs to all the Mission Directors Dated 31.03.2020

I invite your kind attention reference to the subject and reference cited above, the Under Secretary to

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the GOI , MHUPA informed to provide three meals a day to the inmates of the DAY-NULM shelters during the period of lockdown enforced to check the spread of Corona virus.

It is further informed that since the shelters for urban homeless accommodate the some of the most vulnerable section of the society i.e. elderly people, it is quite important to maintain hygiene as per the guidelines of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare and educate the inmates regarding Dos and Don'ts to be observed strictly during this period.

In this connection, the following measures are advised for management of the shelters of Urban homeless during COVID-19 outbreak:

- **a.** Shelters should be disinfected with prescribed chemical sprays on appropriate periodicity, in consultation with the Health Department.
- **b.** The homeless population should be sensitized about the COVID-19, especially regarding the need for maintaining hygiene & cleanliness. The Dos and Don'ts should be displayed at vantage locations in the shelters.
- **C.** Regular supply of soaps and sanitizers may be ensured in shelters and their use may be encouraged.
- **d.** Visit of any outsiders may be allowed only after his / her hands are sanitized and subject to the conditions imposed by the district administration.
- **e.** The inmates suspected of having symptoms of COVID-19 should be provided mandated medical care.
 - **a.** The entry of new inmates should be allowed only after thermal scanning and the prescribed protocol of health department is fully observed.

Therefore, the additional Commissioner UCD GHMC and Project Directors MEPMA of concerned Districts are instructed to take the necessary steps in Sanitization and disinfection of DAY-NULM shelters during COVID-19 and provide the information on above subject to the shelter NGOs and MEPMA staff of DMCs, TMCs and COs in management of DAY-NULM shelters during the COVID-19 out break .

Yours Faithfully

MISSION DIRECTOR

To

The Commissioner, GHMC for information.

The Commissioners of the Adilabad, Nizamabad, Khammam, Warangal, Nalgonda, Miryalguda, Ramagundam, Siddipet, Mahabubnagar, Jagitial, Karimnagar, Suryapet ULBs for taking necessary action

copy submitted to The Principal Secretary MA & UD Dept. Government of Telangana for information

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