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Kindly find enclosed herewith Office Memorandum No.11013/9/2014-Estt.A.III dated 19-03-2020 issued by the Department of Personnel and Training Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension, Govt. of India, New Delhi, endorsed the same by the Council vide No.GAC-32-32/2020-CDN dated 19th March, 2020 regarding preventive measures to contain the spread of COVID 19.

All Head/Officer Incharge of Divisions/Sections/Unit/Centre for information and compliance as per instructions issued vide aforesaid O.M. dated 19-03-2020.

This issued with the approval of the Director, ICAR-CAZRI, Jodhpur.

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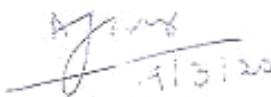
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ENDORSEMENT

Department of Personnel and Training, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Government of India, New Delhi has issued O.M. No. 11013/9/2014-Estt.A.III dated 19.3.2020 regarding preventive measures to contain the spread of COVID19. The above mentioned O.M. dated 19.3.2020 is being uploaded on the ICAR website www.icar.org.in and e-office for information and necessary action.


Ajai Verma
(Ajai Verma)
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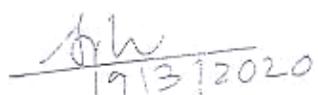
OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Preventive measures to contain the spread of COVID19.

In continuation of this Department OM of even no. dated 17th March, 2020 (Copy Enclosed), the following further instructions are issued:

- (i) Heads of Department (HoDs) may ensure that 50 per cent of Group B and C employees are required to attend office every day, and the remaining 50 per cent staff should be instructed to work from home. All HoDs are advised to draft a weekly roster of duty for Group B and C staff and ask them to attend office on alternate weeks. While deciding the roster for the first week, HoDs are advised to include officials who are residing in close proximity to their office or use their own transport to travel to the offices.
- (ii) Further, the working hours for all employees who attend office on a particular day should be staggered. It is suggested that three groups of employees may be formed and asked to attend office as per the following timings:-
 - (a) 9 AM to 5.30 PM
 - (b) 9.30 AM to 6 PM
 - (c) 10 AM to 6.30 PM
- (iii) The officials who are working from home on a particular day as per the roster drawn up should be available on telephone and electronic means of communication at all times. They should attend office, if called for any exigency of work.

- (iv) Similar instructions may be issued to Attached/Subordinate Offices, Autonomous/Statutory Bodies.
- (v) The Department of Financial Services (DFS) and Department of Public Enterprises (DPE) may issue similar instructions regarding Financial Institutions and Public Sector Undertakings.
- (vi) These instructions **shall not apply** to the offices and employees engaged in essential/emergency services and those directly engaged in taking measures to control spread of COVID-19.
- (vii) These orders shall be applicable with immediate effect and will remain in force till 4th April, 2020.


19/3/2020
(Sujata Chaturvedi)

Additional Secretary to the Government of India

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