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ORDER

WHEREAS, The World Health Organization (WHO) has declared the COVID-19 outbreak as a pandemic and Government of India has directed the State Governments to take necessary steps to prevent and control the spread of this disease under the Epidemic Disease Act, 1897.

WHEREAS, Government of Karnataka in exercise of the power conferred under Section - 2,3 & 4 of the Epidemic Disease Act. 1897 (Central Act 3 of 1897 & Mysuru Act II of 1897) and under Sec. 16 of the Hyderabad Infectious Act, 1950 (Hyderabad Act XII of 1950) dated March 23,2020 has framed The Karnataka Disease (COVID-19) Regulations 2020.

AND WHEREAS, under the office order No. 40-3/2020-DM-I (A) of Government of India dated 15th April 2020 of Annexure -1 of serial no 1, 2, 5 & 6 is to be followed compulsorily.

AND WHEREAS, 138 positive cases of COVID-19 have been identified till date in the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike and it is necessary for BBMP to take appropriate actions and enforce precautionary guidelines in public interest.

AND WHEREAS, maintaining social distancing, wearing facial mask and adopting proper segregated waste disposal and sanitation could help contain the spread of Coronavirus.

I, B H Anil Kumar, IAS, Commissioner of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) in exercise of the said power conferred upon me hereby direct to implement the following within the jurisdiction of BBMP:

1. Wearing of Facial Mask to cover mouth & nose is compulsory in public places and in any working space with more than 5 people
2. Facial masks and gloves used by any of the Households (HHs) and Commercial Establishments (CEs) should be properly handed over to Waste Collectors in covers or closed bags as part of Sanitary (Reject) waste.
3. Spitting, Urinating, Littering & any kind of related public nuisance is banned and will be considered as public offence.



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As per provisions under Government of India Office Order No.40-3/2020-DM-I (A) dated 15th April 2020, SWM Rules 2016 & BBMP's SWM Byelaws (Draft) - 2020, violations pertaining to the above-mentioned directions would be as follows:

- i. On First Violation: : Rs. 1000 /-
- ii. On Second & Subsequent Violation: : Rs. 2000/-

These penalties are prescribed in Schedule VII of BBMP's SWM Byelaws (draft) 2020.

Any person, institution, organization etc. violating these regulations shall be proceeded against by competent authorities empowered under the Epidemic Disease Act, 1897 the Disaster Management Act, SWM Rules 2016 & BBMP's Byelaws (Draft) 2020 and Sections 188, 269 & 270 of the Indian Penal Code (IPC) and other relevant codes, Acts. (Ref No: HFW 54 CGM 2020).

This order will be effective from 12:00 midnight of 30th April, 2020 and continue to remain in force until further orders.


B H Anil Kumar IAS

Commissioner,
Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike.