

MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF GREATER MUMBAI

No. MGC/A/2920, Dtd. 22.03.2020

Order under Rule-10 for alternative transport arrangement for Essential Services

Whereas the Government of Maharashtra, in exercise of the power conferred under Section 2, 3 & 4 of the Epidemic Diseases Act 1897 has framed Regulations for prevention and containment of COVID-19 under No. Corona 2020/CR/58/Aarogya-5 dated 13th March 2020,

And Whereas Municipal Commissioner of Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai, has been declared as 'Empowered Officer' & is empowered to take such measures as are necessary to prevent the outbreak of COVID – 19 or spread thereof within his respective jurisdiction,

And whereas In view of total shut down of local train services in Mumbai, in view of running the essential services, I have come to the conclusion that the MSRTC And BEST shall arrange local transport for emergency service providers from tonight.

I Praveen Pardeshi, in the larger public interest and in exercise of the powers conferred upon me under Rule 10 of the said Regulations which permits to implement measures of containment to prevent spread of the diseases, hereby direct to implement the following containment measures by allowing following service providers to travel on above mentioned buses to and in City of Mumbai.

1. All MCGM staff
2. All Police Staff
3. All Electric Distribution Staff
4. All groceries, vegetables, grains shops
5. Telephone, internet providers :
6. Medical/pharmacy stores
7. All Municipal / Govt and private hospital Doctors, paramedics, technicians, nursing, hospital maintenance , administrative staff supporting health services staff

In order to reduce the load on MSRTC / BEST services, the following organizations will be allowed to use their own transportation services for transporting their emergency staff.

1. MCGM
2. Police
3. All Electric Supplying Companies
4. All hospitals
5. Telephone & Internet Providers
6. Grocery / vegetables providers

All such organizations who will provide dedicated staff transport will provide information about their bus numbers only on email to the Transport Commissioner on

tcmaharashtra@yahoo.com and to the Director (Disaster Management) on director.dm@mcgm.gov.in

I further direct that anyone rendering above services may show his / her personal identification card or make oral declaration of rendering above mentioned services, will be allowed to use these MSRTC / BEST services so as to continue to operate these essential services.

The schedule of BEST and MSRTC is attached herewith.

All the concerned are directed to ensure compliance of these orders.



Municipal Commissioner

General Manager BEST

MD MSRTC

Commissioner of Police, Mumbai / New Mumbai / Thane

Transport Commissioner Maharashtra State

All A.Cs. / D.M.Cs. / Deans / Director (MEPH) / CMS (PH) /

CEOs of All Private Hospitals