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To

All the Principals
Govt./Skt./GIA Colleges
Himachal Pradesh.

Subject:- Presentation on COVID-19, situation in Himachal Pradesh.

As per the decision taken by the Hon'ble Cabinet on 09-04-2021 and in continuation to this Directorate letters issued from time to time, it is intimated that:-

1. All the Educational Institutions shall remain closed till 21st April, 2021, however exams will be continued as scheduled.
2. All the Head of the Educational Institutions are authorized to call the Teaching & Non-Teaching staff to perform their duties in lieu of forthcoming examination in the Colleges with proper justification of work assigned to the concerned as per the administrative needs of the institutions. For this, all the employees who have been assigned the duties for examination purpose must have to join the duties for the purpose. However, the employees whose duties are not required will not attend the institution till 21st April, 2021.
3. If the teacher(s) are found to be corona positive in any of the Educational Institution and due to which there is shortage of staff for examination process, the Head of Educational Institutions are authorized for taking the services of the required staff from the nearby colleges with prior intimation to the competent authority. In this regard, the Head of Educational Institution (from where the services of staff are required in pandemic exigency) are directed to cooperate with the concerned Principal(s) and depute their staff immediately for the purpose of examination duties.
4. The educational institutions that are earmarked as examination centres shall be properly sanitized prior to examination. All such educational institutions must appoint a compliance officer for this purpose.
5. If, any of the Teacher(s) or Non-Teaching staff shows his/her inability to perform the examination duties due to COVID-19 or any symptomatic influenza etc, he/she will have to submit the medical certificate issued by the Govt. Hospital to his/her controlling officer.
6. Examination centres shall be properly sanitised and SOP shall be followed in letter and spirit.
7. All are directed to sensitise and to encourage the students and staff with respect to COVID Pandemic appropriate behaviour.

This must be given personal attention and top priority.



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