EDN-HE(1)B(15)1/2018-Imp. Instructions Directorate of Higher Education Himachal Pradesh

Dated: Shimla-171001 the 28th March. 2020

OFFICE ORDER

In pursuance of directions/advisories issued by the Govt. of India and State Government, the entire country as well as the state of Himachal Pradesh is under complete lockdown for 21 days. The Government of H.P. has also imposed statewide curfew to combat Coronavirus (COVID-19) and issued different advisories to remain safe and maintain social distancing by staying at home. Hence, all the educational institutions i.e. Colleges/Schools/Dy.DHE offices under the jurisdiction of state & Department of Higher Education are closed up to 31st March, 2020.

In compliance to the Government directions/advisories issued from time to time the Controlling Officers of Department of Hr. Education, H.P. will not be available in their respective offices on or before 31st March,2020. Hence, the Teaching / Non-teaching staff of this Department, who are going to retire on 31st March, 2020 after attaining the age of superannuation, may not be able to attend their respective College / School / Dy.DHE Office / Directorate on 31.03.2020 due to the ongoing curfew / other restrictions. Therefore, they will be automatically deemed retired on due/ scheduled date i.e on 31st March, 2020.

These orders may be treated as relieving orders of officer / employees of the department for superannuation on 31st March, 2020. The concerned officer/official/employee may get their individual relieving/superannuation orders after regular opening of their respective offices.

(Dr. Amarjeet K. Sharma) Director of Higher Education Himachal Pradesh

Endst No. Even 28th March, 2020

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1. The Principal Secretary (Edu) to the Government of H.P.

2. The Addl. Director (Admin) of Higher Education, H.P.

3. The Principal, SCERT/GCTE/All the Govt. Degree/Skt. College of H.P.

4. All the Dy. DHEs for information and necessary action.

5. The Principal, Govt. Sr. Sec. Schools of H.P.

6. The Headmaster, Govt. High Schools of H.P.

7. Technical Officer (IT) to upload on departmental website,

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Himachal Pradesh