GOVT. OF ASSAM OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT COMMISSIONER BONGAIGAON DISTRICT DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

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ORDER

Whereas, it has been observed that due to obstruction/ encroachment/ unwanted/ blocking/ illegal construction in natural and other drainage system /foot path cum drain/ other drains adjacent to National High ways/ State high ways/ PWD roads/ public utility roads/ Govt./ Myadi patta land etc. which may lead to severe water logging/urban flooding in many parts of Bongaigaon district creating nuisance to the large number of inhabitants and risk to loss of human lives.

Whereas, I am of the considered opinion that, if this obstruction/ encroachment/ unwanted/ blocking/ illegal constructions in natural and other drainage system/ foot path cum drain/ other drains adjacent to National high ways/ PWD roads/ public utility roads/ Govt./ Myadi patta land etc. are not removed/ cleared/ demolished immediately it may cause severe water logging problem in many parts of Bongaigaon district putting the public in general, in situation of great inconvenience and hardship during monsoon season.

In view of the above facts, I Nabadeep Pathak, ACS, District Commissioner & Chairman, District Disaster Management Authority, Bongaigaon feel immediate necessity to direct the concerned Revenue Circle Officers and Officers of other enforcement agencies/ department/ regulatory bodies like Municipal Boards, Development Authority, PWD Roads, PWD (NH), NHIDCL, Water Resources, Town & Country Planning etc. to take immediate necessary steps to clear/ remove/ demolish all such obstructions/ encroachments/ unwanted blocking/ illegal constructions in natural and other drainage system/ foot path cum drains/ other drains adjacent to National High Ways/ PWD roads/ public utility roads/ etc. with proper coordination and in advance intimation to the concerned people for relieving the public in general from severe water logging during monsoon season.

Moreover, as these works are of an emergent nature for mitigating the urban flood/water logging problem, public interference or hindrance during execution of the work by the executing agency/ department, it will be considered as obstruction to the public service and legal action may be initiated as per prevalent acts and norms.

This direction is issued in greater public interest and as per provisions as laid down in Section 30.(2) sub sec. (iii), (v), (vi), (viii), (ix), (xi), (xx), (xxiii), Section 34(k), Section 41 (c), Section 51(a) and (b) of the Disaster Management Act.2005.

This order comes into force with immediate effect.

District Commissioner & Chairman
District Disaster Management Authority
Bongaigaon

Copy sent for information etc. to

- 1. The Chief Executive Officer, ASDMA, Dispur, Guwahati
- 2. The Chairman Bongaigaon/Abhayapuri Municipal Board.
- 3. The Chairman, Bongaigaon Development Authority, Bongaigaon
- 4. The Superintendent of Police, Bongaigaon, for kind information and necessary action.
- 5. The Addl. District Commissioner & CEO, DDMA, Bongaigaon for information and necessary action.
- 6. SDO(C) North Salmara, Sub Division for information and necessary action...

- 7. The Circle Officer, Bongaigaon, Boitamari, Dangtol, Manikpur, Srijangram for information and urgent needful action to resolve such problem in their jurisdictions. They will lead the process in their respective Revenue Circle involving all concerned agencies/department.
- 8. The Executive Officer, Bongaigaon & Abhayapuri Municipal Boards, for information and necessary action.
- 9. The General Manager, NHIDCL, Bongaigaon, for information and urgent needful action.
- 10. The Executive Engineer, PWD (NH), Bongaigaon for information and urgent needful action.
- 11. The Executive Engineer, PWD Bongaigaon Territorial Roads Divn. for information and urgent needful action.
- 12. The Executive Engineer, Water Resources Divn, Bongaigaon for information and needful action.
- 13. The Deputy Director, Town & Country Planning Dept, Bongaigaon for information and needful action.
- 14. All concerned

(E-signed)

District Commissioner & Chairman
District Disaster Management Authority
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