



Government of West Bengal
Home & Hill Affairs Department
Internal Security Branch, Secret Section
325, Sarat Chatterjee Street, Shibpur, Howrah

ORDER

Memo No. 355-I.S.S/2M-15/19

Dated, Howrah, 6th April, 2023

Whereas reports and request has been received from the Additional Director General & Inspector General of Police (Law & Order), West Bengal vide memo no. 246/ADG/(L&O)/23 dated 06.04.2023 that in view of the recent events in some areas, internet transmission and voice over internet telephony may be used for spreading rumours for unlawful activities in the geographical areas within the geographical location and administrative jurisdiction of Hooghly District;

And whereas no restriction is being imposed on voice calls and SMS and on newspapers, hence communication and dissemination of knowledge and information is not stopped in any way;

And whereas the Constitution of India guarantees freedom of expression of Indian Citizens but at the same time allows for reasonable restrictions on the same;

Now, therefore, in order to prevent obstruction, annoyance or injury to any person lawfully employed, or danger to human life, health or safety, or a disturbance of the public tranquillity, or a riot or an affray, through an order under section 5(2) of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 read with the Temporary Suspension of Telecom Services (Public Emergency or Public Safety) Rules, 2017, it is promulgated that:

Any data related message or class of messages to or from any person or class of persons relating to any particular subject, brought for transmission by or transmitted or received by any telegraph within the ambit of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885, shall temporarily not be transmitted in the Interest of maintaining public order and preventing incitement through the commission of any offence in some areas within the geographical location and administrative jurisdiction of Hooghly District of West Bengal as specified in "Annexure 'A' to this Notification.

This order shall come into force with immediate effect and shall remain valid from 2 PM on 06.04.2023 (Thursday) upto 12 noon on 07.04.2023 (Friday).

List of PIN Codes and Access Points are attached herewith and marked as Annexure "A".

Given under my hand and seal of my office this day, the 6th April, 2023.

**Additional Chief Secretary
Home & Hill Affairs Department**

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

1. The Director General & Inspector General of Police, West Bengal;
2. The Addl. Director General of Police, Law & Order, West Bengal;
3. The Addl. Director General of Police, CID, West Bengal;
4. The District Magistrate, Hooghly;
5. The Commissioner of Police, Chandannagar Police Commissionerate;
6. Superintendent of Police, Hooghly;
7. The Nodal Officers,
Vodafone-IDEA/Reliance Jio/Aircel/Tata Tele Services/BSNL/M/s Digicable/ M/s Manthan Broadband Services Pvt. Ltd./ M/s Hathway Cable & Datacom Ltd./ M/s Siti Cable/ GTPL- KCBPL/ M/s Tata Sky/ M/s Dish TV/ M/s Bharati Airtel Ltd./ M/s Reliance Communications/ M/s Wish Net/ M/s Wireless Net Zone/ M/s Sinet/ M/s Siti Broadband / M/s Amar Cable / M/s Dishnet Wireless Ltd./ and other local cable channels and internet service providers operating or transmitting/broadcasting inside the jurisdiction of all the Blocks **within the geographical location and administrative jurisdiction of Hooghly District of West Bengal as specified in "Annexure 'A' to this Notification annexed.**



**Additional Chief Secretary
Home & Hill Affairs Department**

Annexure to Order No. 355 -I.S.S/2M- 15/19 dated Howrah, 06.04.2023.

Annexure A (For Hooghly District)

SI No.	Pin Code	Access Point
1	712502	Bansberia Municipality Ward Number 10, 11, 19 and 20
2	712503	Bansberia Municipality Ward Number 10, 11, 19 and 20
3	712513	Raghunathpur, Chandrahati 1 GP

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