GOVERNMENT OF NAGALAND OFFICE OF THE HOME DEPARTMENT GENERAL ADMINISTRATION BRANCH -1

NO.GAB-1/COM/GEN-1/2020

Dated. Kohima, the 25th March 2020

To,

- 4. The Deputy Commissioner, Kohima, Phek, Wokha, Mokokchung, Zunheboto, Longleng, Tuensang, Dimapur, Peren, Kiphire and Mon.
- 5. The Commissioner of Police, Dimapur.
- 6. The Superintendent of Police, Kohima, Phek, Wokha, Mokokchung, Zunheboto, Longleng, Tuensang, Peren, Kiphire and Mon.

Sub: Ensure operational continuity of Print and Electronic media in view of threat of COVID-19 outbreak- regarding

Sir/Madam,

Reference above, please find enclosed herewith letter No.E-36011/8/2020-BP&L dated 23th March,2020 received from the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting,(BP&L Section) GOI, wherein, the need for proper functioning of various media networks is stressed upon to ensure timely and authentic information dissemination at this juncture. Furthermore, emphasis is also made on the need to ensure that false and fake news are avoided and good practices are promoted by the media especially now.

2. The list of critical infrastructure in this case may be seen in the enclosed letter.

3. You may take note that in the containment Order No.CSO/GAB-1/COM/GEN-1/2020 DATED Kohima, the 24th march, 2020 issued for implementation of lockdown in the State, Print and Electronic media is exempted. Therefore you are requested to ensure uninterrupted operation of information networks as their outreach is of vital importance.

Encl: As stated above

Yours faithfully,

(ABHIJIT SINHA)IAS Home Commissioner Dated. Kohima, the 25th March 2020

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Copy to

5. The Deputy Secretary to Chief Secretary for kind information.

6. The Director General of Police, Nagaland, Kohima, for kind information

7. The Commissioner Nagaland for kind information.

8. Office Copy.

(ABHIJIT SINHA) IAS Home Commissioner