GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR SECRETARIAT: HOME DEPARTMENT

ORDERS

Imphal, the 5th December, 2024

No.H-3607/4/2022-HD-HD: Whereas, in view of the prevailing law and order situation in the State, on apprehension that some anti-social elements might use social media extensively for transmission of images, hate speech and hate video messages inciting the passions of the public which might have serious repercussions for the law and order situation, as preventive measure, State Government vide orders of even number dated 23-11-2024 imposed temporary suspension of mobile internet and mobile data services including VSATs and VPN services in the territorial jurisdiction of Imphal West, Imphal East, Bishnupur, Thoubal, Kakching, Kangpokpi, Churachandpur, Jiribam and Pherzawl districts of Manipur till 5:15 PM of 05-12-2024 except for those cases whereby the State Government grants exemption.

- Whereas, State Government, after reviewing the prevailing law and order situation and its possible co-relation with the general operation of internet services, decided to continue temporary suspension of mobile internet and mobile data services including VSAT sand VPN services in the territorial jurisdiction of Imphal West, Imphal East, Bishnupur, Thoubal, Kakching, Kangpokpi, Churachandpur, Jiribam and Pherzawl districts of Manipur till 5:15 PM of 07-12-2024 in public interest.
- 3. Therefore, under the power conferred as per Rule 2 of Temporary Suspension of Telecom Services (Public Emergency or Public Safety) Rules, 2017, the Governor of Manipur is pleased to order extension of temporary suspension of mobile internet and mobile data services including VSATs and VPN services in the territorial jurisdiction of Imphal West, Imphal East, Bishnupur, Thoubal, Kakching, Kangpokpi, Churachandpur, Jiribam and Pherzawl districts of Manipur till 5:15 PM of 07-12-2024 in public interest except for those cases whereby the State Government grants exemption.
- 4. These orders shall not affect the orders of even number dated 18-11-2024 regarding conditional lifting of suspension of internet services on Broadband service (ILL and FTTH);
- These orders are being passed ex-parte in view of the emergent situation. It shall be published for the information of public through press and electronic media.
- Any person found guilty for violation of aforesaid orders will be liable for legal action.

By orders & in the name of the Governor,

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(N. Ashok Kumar)
Commissioner (Home), Government of Manipur.

Copy to:

Chairman, State Review Committee.

- Director General of Police, Manipur-With request for communicating to the DDG, DoT, DDG/ADG Term Cell and Nodal Officers of Mobile Service provider in the State of Manipur by an Officer not below the rank of Superintendent of Police as laid doawn in Rule 3 of the Temporary Suspension of Telecom Services (Public Emergency or Public Safety) Rules, 2017.
- DDG/ADG Term Cell, Department of Telecommunication.
- 4. Coomissioner (Home), Government of Manipur.
- Secretary (IT), Government of Manipur.
- Director (IT), Manipur.
- 7. Director, IPR, Manipur with request for publication in the electronic and print media.

To following to ensure immediate compliance:

- The Nodal Officer of Mobile Service Provider- Airtel NE Shillong/ Vodafone Idea NE Shillong/ JIO NE Shillong/ BSNL/Cellone NE Imphal/ WLL/CDMA (BSNL), Imphal (Through DGP, Manipur).
- All Internet Service providers in Manipur.