



भारतीय अन्तर्देशीय जलमार्ग प्राधिकरण

(पोत परिवहन मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार)

मुख्यालय : ए-13, सैक्टर-1, नोएडा-201 301, (उ.प्र.)

INLAND WATERWAYS AUTHORITY OF INDIA

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In view of precautions to be taken due to recent cases of Corona virus, it has been decided that all the crews and passengers of foreign flagged vessels shall be screened at the entry and exit points of inland waterways as a precautionary measure.

2. Regional Heads are directed to create necessary facility at the entry/ exit points for the screening of above-mentioned persons in coordination with District Health Authorities.

3. In addition to the above, facility for the screening of above referred persons shall also be created on NW-1 and NW-2 at below mentioned places:

- GR Jetty, Kolkata
- Budge Budge
- Haldia
- Pandu, Guwahati

4. Action taken report on such screening and suspected cases shall be submitted to Head Office on weekly basis.

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Director, Kolkata
Director, Guwahati
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Chief Secretary, Government of West Bengal
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With a request to direct concerned District Authorities to extend necessary support.

Copy for kind information to:

- The Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Shipping, Transport Bhawan, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi
- The Secretary (BM), Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs North Block, New Delhi – 110 001
- Chairman, Kolkata Port Trust, 15, Strand Road, Kolkata – 700 001