## GOVERNMENT OF MIZORAM HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT MIZORAM SECRETARIAT BUILDING, MINECO, KHATLA, AIZAWL

## **NOTIFICATION**

Dated Aizawl, 5th January, 2022.

Subject:

Revised Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for Covid-19 tests

at the entry points of the State of Mizoram.

No.D.33011/39/2021-HFW(SOP)/Pt.4/H: Following the recommendations of the State Level Expert Team on Covid-19 Management, the SOP for entry point screening is hereby revised as hereunder. This supersedes the SOP issued under even No. dated 14.10.2021 with immediate effect until further order:—

## 1. Screening at Entry Points and Quarantine:

- 1.1 All the entrants to the State of Mizoram shall fulfil the formalities prescribed by Home Department, Government of Mizoram, and shall also be screened for Covid-19 at the entry screening points with RAgT for Covid-19 unless exempted under sub-para 1.5 below.
- 1.2 All persons tested positive shall be isolated/ treated as per existing Covid-19 management protocol.
- 1.3 Asymptomatic persons tested negative with RAgT may not be qurantined, but shall follow Covid Appropriate Behaviour (CAB).
- 1.4 Symptomatic person tested negative with RAgT shall be tested with RT-PCR/TrueNat, and shall be quarantined for a period of 5 (five) days even if he/she is found negative in such a test, and be tested again with RT-PCR/TrueNat after the said 5 (five) days.
- 1.5 **Exemption from RAgT screening: Asymptomatic Persons entering Mizoram** may be exempted from entry point screening and quarantine subject to production of the following documents before the Entry Point Screening Team:
  - (1) Negative RT-PCR/TrueNat/ CBNAAT test Report for Covid-19 issued by a recognised laboratory within 72 hours prior to the time of entry, OR
  - (2) Certificate of discharge from Home Isolation or Covid care facility issued by the competent authority within 3 months prior to the date of entry.

Provided that persons having the certificate under Sub-paras (2) or (3) shall monitor themselves for any symptom of Covid-19 for 7 days while strictly following the CAB.

Provided further that no symptomatic entrant shall be exempted from RAgT screening even if he/she produces any of the Certificates mentioned here above.

2. Self-Monitoring: Persons to monitor themselves shall strictly follow CAB viz. social distancing, proper wearing of face-mask covering mouth and nose, and hand hygiene; and watch out for any of the Covid-19 symptoms as indicated below, and shall seek advice from the CMO/ MO concerned or the Helpline at telephone Nos. 102/0389 2323336/0389 2322336/0389 2318336.—

i. Fever.

ii. Cough

iii. Loss of taste/ smell.

iv. Sore throat/throat irritation.

v. Malaise/ Weakness.

vi. Body ache /Headache.

vii. Gastro-intestinal upset.

viii. Diarrhoea.

ix. Dizziness.

x. Anorexia/ Nausea/ Vomiting.

xi. Shortness of breath/ breathlessness.

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