

## Prime Minister Narendra Modi announces 2 weeks extension of the total lockdown; Chief Minister N. Biren Singh among others welcomes the announcement

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Prime Minister Narendra Modi today announced to extend the ongoing total lockdown for containing Coronavirus for two more weeks. In his 25 minutes long speech to the nation the Prime Minister said that the lockdown will continue till May 3.

Welcoming the announcement, Manipur Chief Minister N. Biren Singh thanks the Prime Minister to the extension of the nationwide lockdown till May 3. Soon after the announcement by the PM, Chief Minister N. Biren Singh tweeted, "Thanks to Hon'ble PM @narendramodiji for extending the nationwide lockdown till May 3. We will follow his will, vision and advice in the fight against the dreaded COVID-19 outbreak. N. Biren Singh also tweeted to



follow the Prime Minister's advice during lockdown. He tweeted - "Advice by Hon'ble PM @narendramodiji during lockdown: 1. Care for elders 2. Stay at home, stay safe 3. Use homemade masks 4. Follow precautions from @moayush + use #AarogyaSetu app 5. Extend help to the poor 6. Pls don't lay-off employees 7. Respect doctors & medical

workers". Chief Minister of Assam Sarbananda Sonowal, while welcoming the Prime Minister's announcement also tweeted to follow the lockdown rules till May 3 without any compromise. Mizoram Government and the Meghalaya government had already announced to extend the lockdown for more weeks. **The 25 minutes long speech**

**delivered by the Prime Minister in connection with the fight against COVID-19 pandemic is produced below:**

My Dear Fellow Citizens, India's fight against the Corona global pandemic is moving ahead with great strength and steadfastness. It is only because of your restraint, penance and sacrifice that, India has so far been able to avert the harm caused by corona to a large extent. You have endured immense suffering to save your country, save your India. I am well aware of the problems you have faced - some for food, some for movement from place to place, and others for staying away from homes and families. However, for the sake of your country, you are fulfilling your duties like a disciplined soldier. This is the power of 'We, the People of India' that our constitution talks about.

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## Many appreciate PM's move for extension of the lockdown but sceptical in implementation to the part of the state government

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Prime Minister Modi's announcement to extend the lockdown till May 3 has been appreciated by almost every political parties and scholars across the country as the measures is the only left option to contain the spread of the pandemic coronavirus in the state. However, some political leaders are sceptical on the part of the state government particularly for the state of Manipur as not everything that the Prime Minister had announced was converted into action. State secretary of CPI-M Shanta Kshetrimayum while appreciating the Prime Minister's move to extend the lockdown said that even though the PM's announcement needs to be appreciated by one and all, it is disheartening to learn that the state government failed to convert into action to what the PM had stated.

"The state government particularly in the state like Manipur the lockdown called is often make as a mockery", Shanta Kshetrimayum said while talking to Imphal Times.

He said that they acted in their will without following the advisory in proper manner.

"This government instead of making a policy acted on their will and open the lockdown anytime that they wishes", the CPI-M leaders said.

Among the scholars, Professor Amaryumam of the Manipur University do appreciated the extension of the lockdown. He said that the Prime Minister has made two things very clear. First absolute restrictions continue one more week and location-wise reviews only after this. Second, he has acknowledged that there are some critical issues relating to farm sector, poor and daily wage workers (the migrants might also be categorised here). The policy response to these issues would be known only on Wednesday when the Guidelines are announced.

"While the extension is felt necessary, the critical issues need to be addressed in right earnest. Further each State should also have Advisory Committee of their own to assess Contextual Situation and evolve appropriate responses rather than waiting advisories from Delhi all the time", Professor Amar Yumamm

said.

Senior Journalist **Oken Jeet Sandham**, in his facebook post questioned the Prime Minister if any person can stay home without food for two days.

"Dear Prime Minister, please stay at home without food for two days, then you will know - What hunger is all about and what hunger can turn to what? Yes, we are fighting COVID-19, we are equally serious, we have been staying at home with our children and other family members and others also do the same. My strong message is if we want to achieve our goal that is "to defeat COVID-19," the only way to do it successfully is we have to reach relief to all, I repeat all. Please don't use the phrases/words during such time - the nationwide lockdown, they are: "rich, poor, below poverty line, above poverty line, migrants, natives or any categorizing of humans" while trying to reach the "RELIEFS" to the citizens of our country. We must remember that we cannot fight WAR in an empty stomach", Okenjeet Sandham wrote over the state authority's failures to reach out food to the people which the government promised.

## Education Minister launches electronic format comic textbooks

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Education Minister Dr. Thokchom Radheshyam today launched the electronic format of comic textbooks for Class III, IV and V respectively. The electronic format comic textbook for each class comprises three subjects namely Mathematics, Environmental Studies and English Language in a single electronic comic textbook format.

The Minister said that because of the lockdown imposed to break the chain of infection and control the spread of

coronavirus disease COVID-19 the educational institutions in the State have been closed for the past 21 days and extended till 3 May, 2020 across the country. He stated that as steps and measures to make up the gaps for the academic situation especially for the schools the Department of Education (S) has initiated for the electronic format comic textbooks for Class III, IV and V.

Dr. Thokchom Radheshyam said that the decisions were made after thorough discussion and analysis with the experts and officials concerned of the Department of Education. He explained that the 3 in 1

electronic format comic textbook for these three classes will have three to four chapters of each subject to a total of ten to twelve chapters in each book.

He also informed that the electronic format textbooks for other classes will be soon made available. He urged the teachers, parents and guardians of the students to make the best use of the electronic format textbooks.

The launching of the textbooks was held at his office chamber at New Secretariat, Imphal. The comic textbooks can be available from the website [www.manipureducation.gov.in](http://www.manipureducation.gov.in).

## JFA mourns untimely demise of sports journalist



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Journalists' Forum Assam (JFA) expresses its profound grief at the untimely demise of senior sports journalist Pranjali Hazarika, who breathed his last today (13 April 2020) morning on the hospital bed.

Lived at Jorhat in eastern Assam with his extended family, Pranjali (45) was suffering from serious liver ailments for some time. He was hospitalized last night with major complications. Pranjali left behind his parent, wife with a son, other relatives and a host of well-wishers. "Pranjali left all of us at a time when the human race on planet Earth is fighting against the deadly novel corona virus under full or semi lockdown," said a JFA statement issued by president Rupam Barua and secretary Nava Thakuraria adding, "Goodbye Pranjali, may your soul rest in peace!"

## Imphal West district administration provides assistance to more than 10,000 stranded migrants

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The Imphal West District Administration has provided 10,360 verified stranded migrant population with ration such as rice, dal, salt and cooking oil as on April 12, 2020 in the wake of COVID-19 lockdown. The migrant workers are mostly engaged as daily wage earners, barbers, motias, rickshawpuller among others. In the district 1,285 workers have also been given shelter and food by employers/industry where they are working.

Helping the Imphal West District Administration towards providing assistance are more than 200 employees of the district administration and volunteers from Red

Cross, NYK among others, working round the clock helping the needy. Free rations are also provided to Children Home, Old Age Home, and Rehab Centres. It may be also be mentioned that the district administration provided

assistance to a total of 18824 Households/Families and 3402.60 quintal of rice under PMGKAY on April 12, 2020. Under OMSS, 195.75 quintal of rice was also provided to 2123 Households/Families for the district.

## INAAT Loishang hands over Hand Sanitizers to media houses

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Inaat Loishang Wangkhei Hijam Leinak today distributed Hand sanitizer bottles to media houses in Imphal to prevent spreading of COVID -19 to among the reporters and non

journalist employees of media houses, who are also in the frontline in the war against COVID-19 but not acknowledged by the government. The members of the Inaat Loishang handed over the hand Sanitizers to the media houses today.

## Coronavirus tracking apps: From 'GoCoronaGo' to 'Sampark-o-Meter'

By- Raju Vernekar  
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From "GoCoronaGo" to "Sampark-o-Meter", the Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bangalore and four Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs), including IIT, Bombay, have developed several mobile applications to aid the fight against coronavirus in the country. The app "GoCoronaGo" has been developed by a team at IISc which can help identify people who may have crossed paths with COVID-19 suspects, by tracking their interactions in the past using bluetooth and GPS. It uses temporal network analytics in

the backend to understand the risk propensity even for distant contacts, understand disease spread and identify high-risk people who are likely to contract and spread the virus," Tarun Rambha, a faculty member at IISc, said. It also provides alerts on isolation and proximity scores, and helps enhance social distancing. It also has a geo-fencing feature for those who are under quarantine, and has the ability to provide their symptoms which is used in the risk evaluation," Rambha added.

Similarly, a team of students and alumni at IIT Bombay, have made a mobile app named "CORONTINE" that

will help in tracking the potential or suspected asymptomatic carriers (AC) of coronavirus if they leave their quarantine zone. The app is meant to be installed on the mobile of asymptomatic carriers (AC) by an authorized agency (AA). The app will send GPS coordinates of the mobiles periodically to a server under the supervision of AA. If a user leaves a specified quarantined zone marked by a geo-fence, it will be auto-detected. The purpose of the app is to help authorities track the asymptomatic carriers and prevent the spread of the disease.

A B.Tech student at the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT)

Ropar (Punjab) has developed a mobile-based app called "Sampark-o-Meter" which can indicate areas on maps with maximum coronavirus infection possibility. "The app generates a 'risk score' after considering various factors and can alert people to take precautionary measures including self-isolate or consulting a doctor. The app would facilitate users to estimate corona sampark risk rating.

The existing approaches put the onus of responsibility of contact tracing and alerting or isolating the potential suspects on the government only, and are subjected to

delays because of which, in most cases, the suspect has further spread the virus to many before being caught. This app, if implemented successfully, can timely alert and more efficiently control the spread.

Students at IIT Delhi have also come up with an application to help trace individuals who come in close contact with COVID-19 positive cases. "Using bluetooth, the application will track and alert all individuals who have been in close vicinity of positive COVID 19 cases in the past days. The date and region of interaction within the bluetooth radius will also be provided through

the application.

IIT Roorkee (Uttarakhand) professor Kamal Jain has developed a tracking app which can strengthen the surveillance system needed to contain coronavirus. The app can track individuals and also can do geo fencing around him or her. The system will get an alert, if geo fencing is violated by the quarantined person. In case GPS data is not received, the location will be obtained automatically through the triangulation of mobile towers. If the Internet is not working in a certain area, the location will be received through SMS.

# ★ Editorial

## Transparency and technological adaptations in fighting COVID 19

While everybody around the world is praying for a positive change from the present depressing and alarmingly dangerous situation, the grim reality is constantly reminding us of the preparations we need to make for more than probable worsening situation. We have witnessed the unfortunate outcome of a few countries which took the threats of the present epidemic with less attention and seriousness than it deserves. Our state is at a crucial juncture, and so far things are evidently under control. God forbid, if we let our guards down for a moment and make way for the dreaded virus in our state, the dangers and ultimately the outcome would be nothing less than catastrophic. This is the time when our collective resources and attention should be focused on the grave task at hand, and mutual understanding and cooperation have never been more important or necessary. Given the difficult geographical location of the state and the hindrances to smooth transportation both physical as well as political, the need for effective and logical utilization of our available resources which are dwindling with every passing day has become a challenge.

Unfortunately, a series of recent developments in the state is threatening to derail the all important effort and focus on warding off the Corona virus epidemic from the state. First off, the curious case of plantations of betel leaf brought into the state during the lockdown amidst eager anticipation and requests for PPEs and other emergency medical requirements to be requisitioned from outside the state, although not illegal, has been swept under the carpet with the arrest of a few individuals. The lure and greed for profit is still evidently a greater priority than the threat to life. The blatant outburst of the Deputy Chief Minister against the Chief Minister is another interesting albeit unfortunate development. The fallout of this ugly public tirade can still destabilize the political atmosphere of the state government, as the present coalition government is not without infighting while the opposition who had the majority mandate during the last general election must surely be mulling its opportunity to change its fortune. If the state government is to assure the public of its expressed intent of making essential commodities available to everyone, its functioning, especially with regards to the public distribution system should be more transparent and stepped up at the same time. Another challenge that is threatening to expose the people of the state to the epidemic is the increasing reports of smuggling of illegal immigrants from outside the state. While the practice may very well be lucrative for those transporters engaging in such dangerous activities, this poses a serious problem that needs to be checked immediately. The security personnel guarding the entry points clearly need to step up their vigil and alertness. Those who are involved in such smugglings should be brought to book and exemplary punishment applicable under law should be meted out without delay to deter further attempts.

Developing and implementing a smooth online ordering and delivering mechanism for goods will go a long way in easing public congestion and movements. Sports and other informative and entertainment items need to be made available for online order and delivery as this will keep boredom at bay for the energetic children who are getting increasingly frustrated and unmanageable within the confines of their homes. The bottomline is that promoting social distancing and reducing social gathering through promotion of online and telephonic transactions as well as removing hindrances to the delivery system will certainly ensure compliance by the public.

## Understanding the 'Bhilwara model' of COVID-19 containment

By -Devika Chawla

From being one of the most affected COVID-19 districts in India to not reporting a new COVID-19 case in the last 10 days, Rajasthan's Bhilwara has, indeed, come a long way in its fight against the novel coronavirus pandemic. The popular textile town reported its first COVID-19 case on 19th March 2020 and then quickly emerged as a hotspot, reporting 27 cases, becoming the worst-affected district in Rajasthan. A doctor in a private hospital tested positive and became the source of infection for others within the hospital. Soon after Rajasthan's border was sealed in order to curb the inflow of people, many of whom could be carriers of the virus.

Seeing the rapid growth in new infections, the district administration sprang into action swiftly and pursued an aggressive model of containing the spread of this virus, involving a variety of measures. The district administration took over four private hospitals and 27 hotels with 1541 rooms. These measures began bearing fruit as the town has not reported a new case of COVID-19 since 30th March. In addition to these steps, disinfection drives were conducted all over the town. Of its total 27 cases, 17 have already recovered since then, bringing the number of active cases in Bhilwara at just ten, including two deaths (due to comorbidities), eleven patients discharged while another seven are recovering quickly.

The success of Bhilwara in containing the transmission of coronavirus has now prompted

the central government to adopt the 'Bhilwara model of containment' on a nationwide scale, particularly with the most-affected 62 districts in different states of India. The government is planning a targeted approach to tackle these cases as most of them are concentrated in these few geographies. It is in this context that the Cabinet Secretary Rajiv Gauba recently urged states to adopt the 'Bhilwara model' in their efforts to contain the community spread of COVID-19. The 'Bhilwara model' involves a strict lockdown, followed by a stricter curfew aimed at ruthlessly containing the virus' spread and a dedicated team of medical and administrative officials leaving no stone unturned to prevent Bhilwara from becoming another Wuhan or Lombardy. In Bhilwara, more than 22 lakh people were screened, many of them more than once. Despite its visible success, the district's collector and magistrate, who is also the mind behind this strategy of aggressively containing the virus, Rajendra Bhatt, remains cautious of declaring Bhilwara as free from COVID-19 or securing victory over the virus. He says, 'I think we have to wait until 1 May to be sure that we've completely eliminated the virus. I want that three cycles of isolation, testing and quarantining should be complete before we can claim victory.' Asserting that the 'Bhilwara model' is 'no rocket science', he credits the district's success to the collective efforts of its juniors and seniors, thus, ensuring smooth functioning of administrative functions and their implementation on the ground.

## Over 40,000 Indian seafarers stranded across globe due to lockdown

By- Raju Vernekar  
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The National Union of Seafarers of India (NUSI) has urged Prime Minister Narendra Modi to initiate steps to ensure speedy return of over 40,000 Indian seafarers stranded across globe due to COVID-19 and resultant lockdown.

In a petition to Modi and Union Minister of Shipping Mansukhlal Mandaviya, NUSI has pointed out that the seafarers, including those on board the cruise ships, who have finished their contract are stranded abroad. They have been accommodated onboard their ships. Some of the seafarers who have signed off from their ships are held up in hotels abroad. Seafarers cannot come back to India or sign on/sign off. Some of them are stuck within India due to the lockdown. With every passing day there is a growing concern, unrest and fear among the seafarers and their families. As such the Government should ensure their speedy return to India, assist those stuck within India, facilitate sign on / sign off in Indian ports and their safe passage



to their respective homes, NUSI General Secretary Abdulgani Serang said and added that NUSI is doing its best to financially support Indian seafarers in the current scenario when Indian economy is passing through a rough phase due to pandemic across the globe. He said NUSI has earmarked a corpus of Rs 10 crore to support retired Indian seafarers, disabled seafarers, widows of seafarers and jobless seafarers who have been out of job for the past nine months. This includes compensation of Rs 6 crore for retired seafarers and Rs 4 crore for working seafarers. "NSUI Corona Relief fund" will directly send Rs 3,000 to the accounts of 20,000 retired, medically unfit seafarers (or widows). Similarly Rs

5000 will be sent to all seafarers, who have not sailed after 01 July 2019.

The stranded seafarers include over 15,000 onboard about 500 cargo vessels and another 25,000 on cruise ships across the globe. NUSI has also advised all its seafarers to send individual petitions to Modi and Mandaviya requesting for their early return to India.

NUSI, MUI and MASSA have also raised the issue with the shipping ministry, which has assured to all possible help for the return of these seafarers after the lockdown is lifted.

"We are waiting to seafarers to return since their job contracts have expired," said Capt Shiv Halbe, CEO of Maritime Association of Shipowners, Shipmanagers and

Agents (MASSA). He said that in recent video conference meeting, the issue was raised before Manadaviya, who assured safe passage of seafarers to India, once the lockdown is lifted.

During the meeting with Mandaviya, the representatives from ports sector raised concerns on high port operation cost, port congestion, shortage of labourers, movement of workers and truck drivers, among others, due to the lockdown. India has 12 major ports — Deendayal (erstwhile Kandla), Kutch, Gujarat, JNPT, Navi Mumbai, Mormugao, Goa, New Mangalore, Karnatak, V.O. Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu, Cochin Port, Kerala, Kamarajar (earlier Ennore), Tamil Nadu, Paradip Port, Odisha, Visakhapatnam Port, Andhra Pradesh, Haldia Port and Kolkata Port, Andhra Pradesh.

In the meanwhile seafarers' families are of the opinion that some of the seafarers could have been brought back by Air India planes which recently ferried medical equipment and other items to nearly 26 countries. These planes returned India almost empty.

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This display of our collective strength, by us, the people of India, is a true tribute to Baba Saheb Doctor Bhim Rao Ambedkar, on his birth anniversary. Baba Saheb's life inspires us to combat each challenge with determination and hard work. I bow before Baba Saheb on behalf of all of us.

Friends, this is also the time of various festivals across various parts of our country. Along with festivals like Baisakhi, Pohela Boishakh, Puthandu, and Vishu, the new year has commenced in many states. In the time of lockdown, the manner in which people are abiding by the rules, and celebrating festivals with restraint while staying within their homes, is truly praiseworthy. On the occasion of new year, I wish and pray for your good health.

Friends, you are well aware of the status of the Corona pandemic all over the world today. You have been a partner as well as witness to the manner in which India has tried to stop the infection, compared to other countries. Long before we had even a single case of Corona, India had started screening travelers coming in from Corona affected countries at airports. Much before the number of Corona patients reached 100, India had made 14-day isolation mandatory for all those coming in from abroad. Malls, clubs and gymswere shut down in many places. When we had only 550 Corona cases, then itself India had taken the big step of a 21-day complete lockdown. India did not wait for the problem to aggravate. Rather, we attempted to nip the problem in the bud itself, by taking quick decisions as soon as it arose.

Friends, in such a crisis it is not right to compare our situation with any other country. However, it is also true that if we look at Corona-related figures in the world's today, powerful countries, India today is in a very well-managed position. A month, month and a half ago, several countries had been at par with India in terms of Corona infection. But today, Corona cases in those countries are 25 to 30 times than that of India. Thousands of people have tragically died in those countries. Had India not adopted a holistic and integrated approach, taking quick and decisive action; the situation in India today would

have been completely different. It is clearly evident from the experience of the past few days, that we have chosen the correct path. Our country has greatly benefited from Social Distancing and Lockdown. From an economic

only point of view, it undoubtedly looks costly right now; but measured against the lives of Indian citizens, there is no comparison itself. The path that India has taken within our limited resources has become a topic of discussion in the entire world today. The State Governments of the country have also acted with great responsibility in this, managing the situation round the clock. But friends, the way the Corona pandemic is spreading amidst all these efforts, has made health experts & governments around the world even more alert. I have been in continuous touch with the States on how the fight against Corona should progress in India. Everyone has suggested that the lockdown should be continued. Many States have in fact already decided and declared to continue the lockdown.

Friends, keeping all the suggestions in mind, it has been decided that the lockdown in India will have to be extended till 3rd May. That means until 3rd May, each and every one of us, will have to remain in the lockdown. During this time, we must continue maintaining discipline in the way we have been doing till now.

It is my request and prayer to all fellow citizens, that we must not let Corona virus spread to new areas at any cost. A single new patient at even the smallest local level, should be a matter of concern for us. The tragic death of even a single patient from coronavirus, should increase our concern even further.

Therefore, we have to be very vigilant about hot-spots. We will have to keep a close and strict watch on the places which run the risk of becoming hot-spots. The creation of new hot-spots will further challenge our hard work and patience. Hence, let us extend the strictness and austerity in the fight against Corona for the upcoming week.

Until 20th April, every town, every police station, every district, every state will be evaluated on how much the lockdown is being followed. The

extent to which thereon has protected itself from Coronavirus will be noted.

Areas that will succeed in this litmus test, which will not be in the hot-spot category, and will have less likelihood to turn into a hot-spot; maybe allowed to open up select necessary activities from 20th April. However, keep in mind, this permission will be conditional, and the rules for going out will be very strict. Permission will be withdrawn immediately if lockdown rules are broken, and spread of Coronavirus risked. Hence, we must make sure we ourselves don't become careless, not allow anyone else to do so. A detailed guideline will be issued by the Government tomorrow in this regard.

Friends, provision of this limited exemption in these identified areas after 20th April has been done keeping in mind the livelihood of our poor brothers and sisters. Those who earn daily, make ends meet with daily income, they are my family. One of my top-most priorities is to reduce the difficulties in their lives. The government has made every possible effort to help them through Pradhan Mantri Gareeb Kalyan Yojna. Their interests have also been taken care of while making the new guidelines.

These days, the harvesting of the Rabi crop is also in progress. The Central and State governments are working together to minimize the problems of the farmers.

Friends, the country has ample reserves of medicines, food-ration and other essential goods; and supply chain constraints are continuously being removed. We are making rapid progress in ramping up health infrastructure as well. From having only one testing lab for Corona virus in January, we now have more than 220 functional testing labs. Global experience shows that 1,500-1,600 beds are required for every 10,000 patients. In India, we have arranged more than 1 Lakh beds today. Not only this, there are more than 600 hospitals which are dedicated for Covid treatment. As we speak, these facilities are being increased even more rapidly.

Friends, while India has limited resources today, I have a special request for India's young scientists — to come forward and take a lead in creating a vaccine for Coronavirus;

for the welfare of the world, for the welfare of the human race.

Friends, if we continue to be patient and follow rules, we will be able to defeat even a pandemic like Corona. With this faith and trust, I seek your support for 7 things in the end.

**First thing —** Take special care of the elderly in your homes, especially those who have chronic disease. We have to take extra care of them, and keep them safe from Coronavirus.

**Second thing —** Completely adhere to the 'Lakshman Rekha' of Lockdown and Social Distancing. Please also use homemade face-covers and masks without fail.

**Third thing —** Follow the instructions issued by AYUSH ministry to enhance your immunity. Regularly consume warm water, 'kadha'.

**Fourth thing —** Download the Arogya Setu Mobile App to help prevent the spread of corona infection. Inspire others to download the app as well.

**Fifth thing —** Take as much care of poor families as you can. Especially try to fulfill their food requirements.

**Sixth thing —** Be compassionate towards the people who work with you in your business or industry. Do not deprive them of their livelihood.

**Seventh thing —** Pay utmost respect to our nation's Corona Warriors — our doctors and nurses, sanitation workers and police force.

Friends, I urge you to follow the rules of lockdown with utmost sincerity until 3rd May. Stay wherever you are, Stay safe.

**"Vayam Rashtra Jagrutaya"** We will all keep our nation eternal and awakened - with this thought, I conclude.

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