



**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA**  
**OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER:: NORTH GARO HILLS DISTRICT::**  
**RESUBELPARA.**

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**ORDER**

Dated Resubelpara, the 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2020.

No.NGH/CON/COVID-19/17/2020/71, In pursuance of the Order issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India vide Order No. 40-3/2020-DM-I(A), Dtd. 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2020 at Sl. No. 6 A.(ii) the undersigned hereby permits the stakeholders to operate harvesting and transportation of arecanut in the district with immediate effect subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. Harvesting of arecanut and transportation will be allowed exclusively for indigenous growers/arecanut grower's association/Local Traders in the villages. Traders beyond the District/State borders shall be strictly prohibited in the operations.
2. Executive Officer, Resubelpara Municipal Board and Block Development Officers (BDOs) are designated as Nodal Officers in their respective jurisdiction for facilitating and monitoring the harvesting and transportation of arecanut.
3. District Horticulture Officer and Horticulture Staff at the block level are designated as assisting officials to the respective Nodal Officers.
4. The Nodal Officers will identify traders/aggregators within their jurisdiction who will be collecting arecanuts from local growers and taking it to designated border areas of the state for trading purposes. Such traders/aggregators shall be restricted to 15 (fifteen) per block/Municipal area.
5. No trader from other outside the state will be allowed to participate in this process.
6. Only local laborers who are already present here are to be in the process of harvesting. Proper social distancing protocols are to be used during this process which will be monitored by the Block level staff of Horticulture Department.
7. All interested traders/aggregators shall submit their names and vehicle details to the respective BDOs or EO, Resubelpara Municipal Board as the case may be. The approved list will be finalized by these Nodal Officers and Passes will be issued accordingly.
8. These passes shall be printed in Yellow coloured pages to distinguish them easily from distance. They shall also indicate well defined routes, loading and unloading areas, necessary instructions as per the safety protocols.
9. Timing of transportation shall be confined from 5:00 a.m. (Morning) to 5:00 p.m. (evening). Operations/activities beyond 5:00 p.m. shall not be prohibited.

10. Local drivers and vehicles shall only be engaged in the transportation process which will be ensured by the respective nodal officers.
11. The following 5 (five) places at Assam-Meghalaya border have been identified for inter-state trading of above mentioned agricultural and horticultural produce .
- Mendipathar Bazar.
  - Berubari (Bajengdoba).
  - Dainadubi.
  - Kharkutta.
  - Adokgre.

This order is valid only within the jurisdiction of North Garo Hills District.

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Deputy Commissioner,  
North Garo Hills District,  
Resueblpara.

Memo No.NGH/CON/COVID-19/17/2020/71-A,

Dated Resubelpara, the 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2020.

Copy to:

- The Private Secretary to the Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Shillong.
- The Commissioner of Division for Garo Hills District, Meghalaya, Shillong.
- The Superintendent of Police, North Garo Hills, Resubelpara information and necessary action.
- All Block Development Officers, North Garo Hills District for information and necessary action.
- The Executive Officer, Resubelpara Municipal Board, North Garo Hills for information and necessary action.
- The District Horticulture Officer, North Garo Hills, Resubelpara for information and necessary action.

  
Deputy Commissioner,  
North Garo Hills District,  
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