DELHI URBAN SHELTER IMPROVEMENT BOARD GOVT. OF NCT OF DELHI OFFICE OF THE MEMBER EXPERT PUNARWAS BHAWAN, I.P. ESTATE, NEW DEHI-110002

Press release

A meeting was held under the Chairmanship of CEO, DUSIB on 19.03.2020 in Conference Hall, Punarwas Bhawan, I.P. Estate, New Delhi-110002.

In the meeting it was decided that Safety measure may be attempted for safe guard of the Homeless People residing in Shelters Home as Corona virus spreading in Delhi. The following steps are desirable to be taken by the department to fight against the disease through the SMAs:-

- 1. The SMAs should arrange voluntary lockdown in each and every Shelter Home advising people not to go out without any emergency.
- 2. The Shelter Homes in North, East and Central Delhi Should be special Corrantine shelter made available for suspected persons residing in Shelter. Department of health will assist SMAs to provide all basic facilities. A letter in this regard sent to health department.
- 3. As most of people are unorganise sector worker and losing job it is suggested that **lunch and Dinner** may be provided to the homeless people residing in Shelter Homes so that they safely stated in Shelter Homes.
- 4. Distribution of Face Masks to those Homeless People found ill at all DUSIB Shelter Homes (220 Nos.)
- 5. Arrangement of Hand Sanitizer Liquid at all DUSIB Shelter Homes for the Homeless People and care takers etc.
- 6. Awareness programmes are being held by SMAs at all Shelter Homes for the homeless people for taking precautions to contain spread of disease.
- 7. Adequate arrangement of sops for hand washing & other materials for maintaining proper hygiene at all Shelter Homes.
- 8. Extending visits of Shelter Homes by Medical Teams of Health Deptt. Of Delhi Govt. upto 15.04.2020.
- 9. Cleanliness of floors and vicinity area of Shelter Homes is being maintained by SMAs at all Shelter Homes.

As the Covid-19 spreading speedily in Delhi as well as in the country, the above suggestions are recommended for consideration/appraisal of the CEO, DUSIB for safeguard of the life of the people residing in Shelter Homes.

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