

OTHER NOTIFICATIONS

Notification/Circular Date	Notification/Circular No	Title (Link) of Notification/ Circular and Description
North Goa-Order u/s 144 of Criminal Procedure Code, 1973		
		<i>District Magistrate, Goa</i>
16-07-2020	Order No.8/8/2020/MAG/L&O/(VOL-I)/4662	<i>Order u/s 144 of CrPC imposed in the district of North Goa restricting the movement of all individuals for all non-essential activities between 8 PM and 6 AM till August 10, 2020.</i>
Chandigarh-Exemption under Shops & Establishments Act		
		<i>Issuing Authority: Chandigarh Labour Department</i>
09-06-2020	No.12/2/15-H-II(2)/2020-7845	<i>Exemption granted by Chandigarh Administration to all shops and commercial establishments allowing them to open on all days of the week for three months subject to conditions as prescribed in the order.</i>
Telangana-Extension of paid holidays		
		<i>Issuing Authority: State Government of Telangana</i>
09-06-2020	G.O.Rt.No.204	<i>Extension of earlier order declaring paid holidays for shops and establishments in Telangana till 30th June.</i>
Reduction in EPF contribution rate from 12% to 10%		
		<i>Issuing Authority: EPFO</i>
19-05-2020	No.TB/TAM/RO/Covid-19/Cont.Rate/2020	<i>Circular of the EPFO reducing the statutory contribution rate from 12% to 10% for the months of May, June and July 2020.</i>
Gazette notification-Amendment to S.O 320(E)		
		<i>Issuing Authority: Ministry of Labour and Employment</i>
18-05-2020	S.O.1513 (E)	<i>Gazette notification issued by the Ministry of Labour and Employment amending S.O 320 (E) dated April 9, 1997 on reduction in EPF contribution rate for the months of May, June, July 2020.</i>
EPFO-Press Release-Relief from penalty due to delayed deposit		
		<i>Issuing Authority: Ministry of Labour & Employment</i>
15-05-2020		<i>Press release by the EPFO providing relief to establishment from levy of penalty for delayed deposit of dues during lockdown</i>
Gujarat-Contract Labour (Regulation & Abolition) Act, 1970 Amendment		
		<i>Issuing Authority: State Government of Gujarat</i>

13-05-2020 GHR/2020/59/CLA/152020/210/M-3 Notification by the State Government of Gujarat amending the applicability of the Contract labour (Regulation & Abolition) Act, 1970.

EPFO-FAQs on DSC/e-sign

Issuing Authority: EPFO

12-05-2020 FAQs released by EPFO on Employer's DSC/e-sign in lockdown period

Telangana-Extension of dates for filing various returns

Issuing Authority: State Government of Telangana

08-05-2020 G.O.Ms.No.174 Extension of date for filing various returns under various labour laws by State Government of Telangana

Uttar Pradesh-Extension of working hours of factories

Issuing Authority: State Government of Uttar Pradesh

08-05-2020 No.-13/2020/502/36-03-2020-30 Order issued by the State Government of Uttar Pradesh in relation to extension of working hours for factories

Haryana-SOP for movement

Issuing Authority: State Government of Haryana

07-05-2020 Memo. No.PS/ACSHome/Spl.90 Standard Operating Protocol for movement of residents of Haryana stranded outside the country and arriving in special flights to India.

Press Release-EPFO-DSC/e-sign during lockdown period

Issuing Authority: EPFO

06-05-2020 Press release by the EPFO on employer's DSC /e-Sign Registration of Authorised Signatories In The Lockdown Period

EPFO-Press release

Issuing Authority: EPFO

06-05-2020 Press release by EPFO accepting e-signed KYC attestation, transfer claim attestation etc through email .

Uttar Pradesh-Relief for institutions under Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Yojana (PMGKY)

Issuing Authority: State Government of Uttar Pradesh



05-05-2020

No.3/2020/554/36-6-2020-5(5)/2020

Order issued by the State Government of Uttar Pradesh providing relief under PMGKY to covered institutions and their employees under EPF Act, 1952

MHA-Press release

Issuing Authority: Ministry of Home Affairs

05-05-2020

Press release by MHA on right of Multiple entry Life-long Visa facility to visit India for OCI Cardholders, to remain in abeyance till Prohibition on International Air Travel of passengers from/to India is lifted.

MHA-Press release

Issuing Authority: Ministry of Home Affairs

05-05-2020

Press release by MHA on grant of some Consular Services to Foreign Nationals, presently stranded in India due to COVID-19, for 30 days from date of lifting of Prohibition on International Air Travel of passengers from India

MHA-Press release

Issuing Authority: Ministry of Home Affairs

05-05-2020

Press release by MHA on VISA restrictions in response to COVID-19

EPFO-Press release

Issuing Authority: EPFO makes filing of ECR easier for business

30-04-2020

Press release by EPFO allowing ECR to be filed by an employer without the need of simultaneous payment of contributions.

MHA Order-Movement of stranded persons

Issuing Authority: Ministry of Home Affairs

29-04-2020

Order by the MHA to the state authorities to develop standard protocols to facilitate the movement of stranded migrant persons.

Andhra Pradesh-Guidelines for Agriculture, Horticulture, Sericulture department

Issuing Authority: State Government of Andhra Pradesh

29-04-2020

G.O.RT.No. 342

Revised Guidelines to enable the departments of agriculture, horticulture and sericulture activities

Kerala-Amendment to revised guidelines



25-04-2020 G.O (Ms) No. 82/2020/GAD

Order for amendment of revised guidelines issued by the State Government of Kerala, replacing shopping complexes with market complexes with municipal limits.

Ministry of Finance-Office Memorandum

Issuing Authority: Ministry of Finance

23-04-2020

Office memorandum issued by the Ministry of Finance on freezing of dearness allowance to Central Government employees and Dearness Relief to Central Government Pensioners at current rates till July 21.

Epidemic Diseases Ordinance Act, 2020

Issuing Authority: Ministry of Law and Justice

22-04-2020

Ordinance passed to amend the Epidemic Disease Act, 1897

Rental Waiver

Issuing Authority: Ministry of Electronics and IT

16-04-2020

Government of India Gives 4 Months' Rental Waiver to the IT Companies Operating from Software Technology Parks of India (STPI) Centres

MHA Order-E-Commerce for essential goods allowed

Issuing Authority: Central Government-Ministry of Home Affairs

19-04-2020 D.O 40-3/2020-DM-I(A)

Order of the Ministry of Home Affairs permitting the e-commerce companies to operate for essential goods under clause 13 of the consolidated revised guidelines.

MHA Order-SOP for stranded labour

Issuing Authority: Central Government-Ministry of Home Affairs

19-04-2020 -

Order of the Ministry of Home Affairs charting out the Standard Operating System for movement of stranded labour.

Operational Guidelines on preparing workplaces for prevention of COVID-19 in Andhra Pradesh

Issuing Authority: State Government of Andhra Pradesh

18-04-2020 -

Operational Guidelines issued by the Department of Industries & Commerce on preparing the workplaces for prevention of COVID-19 in the state of Andhra Pradesh.



EPFO-Extension of due date for payment of contributions and administrative charges due for wage month for March 2020

Issuing Authority: Employees' Provident Fund Organization

15-04-2020

No.C-1/Misc./2019-20/Vol.II/Part./9

Notification by the Employees' Provident Fund organization for extension of due date for payment of contributions and administrative charges/Inspection charges due to wage month of March 2020 from 15/04/2020 to 15/05/2020 to establishments disbursing wages for March 2020.

ESIC Further Extends Period for Filing ESI Contribution

Issuing Authority: Central Government-Ministry of Labour & Employment

14-04-2020

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Notification pertaining to the ESI contribution for the month of February and March was earlier extended to 15th April and 15th May, respectively. Vide this notification, the period for filing ESI contribution for the month of February has been further extended from earlier extended period i.e. 15th April to 15th May, 2020. The period for filing contribution for the month of March 2020 is also 15th May, 2020.

Forwarding of Office Memo dated 09/04/2020 and Scheme Guidelines approved by Ministry of Labour, Govt of India to implement the PMKGY package

Issuing Authority: Employees' Provident Fund Organization

10-04-2020

No.C-1/Misc./2019-20/Vol.II/Part/

Scheme Guidelines for the implementation of Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Yojana (PMKGY)-Credit of employer's and employee's contributions (24% of wages) by Government of India.

Circular regarding resuming of duties by Goan employees

Issuing Authority: State Government of Goa

09-04-2020

CLE/PA/544/2020/923

Circular issued by the Commissioner of Labour & Employment, Goa, wherein employees of the exempted establishments/industries shall report to duty.

Order Issued By The Government Of Kerala Granting Permission For Parcel Service To Function

Issuing Authority: State Government of Kerala

03-04-2020

Go (Ms) No. 58/2020/GA

Order by the State Government of Kerala permitting parcel services to operate within the state to facilitate delivery of essential goods.

Notification under Essential Services Maintenance Act

Issuing Authority: State Government of Andhra Pradesh



03-04-2020 G.O.Rt.No.228, Health Medical & Family Welfare (B2), 3rd April, 2020 *Order by the State Government of Andhra Pradesh enlisting select services as essential for a period of 6 months.*

Extension of Period of Payment of Property Tax and Arrear Dues

Issuing Authority: State Government of Telangana

01-04-2020 Memo No.3870/MA.2/2020-1 *Order issued by the State Government of Telangana extending the payment of property tax for a period of 3 months with zero penalty in all the ULBs in the state of Telangana.*

MHA Order restricting movement of migrants and strict enforcement of lockdown measures

Issuing Authority: Central Government

29.03.2020 No.40-3/2020-DM-I(A) *Order of the Ministry of Home Affairs to directing the State and UT authorities to take necessary actions for ensuring safe inter-state transfer/transport of migrant workers*

Employees' Provident Funds (Amendment) Scheme, 2020

Issuing Authority: Central Government

27.03.2020 [F.No.S-35012/01/2020-SS-II(Pt.)] *Amendment to Employees' Provident Fund Act, 1952, permitting the Commissioner or any officer authorised by the Commissioner to allow, on an application by an EPF member, a non-refundable advance from his/her PF account not exceeding Basic plus dearness allowance for 3 months or up to 75% whichever is less.*

CPFC directs to ensure credit of pension to EPS pensioners by 30th March

Issuing Authority: Central Government

26.03.2020 *Order of the Central Provident Fund Commissioner (CPFC) directing processing of pension payments in all 135 offices of EPFO in advance so that no inconvenience is caused to pensioners on account of nationwide lock down for containing Covid-19 outbreak.*

Advisory to state government to permit IT/ITES industry to carry out essential functions

Issuing Authority: Central Government

24.03.2020 F.No 4(9)/2018-IPS&ITS *Advisory of the Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology to states on permitting IT/ITES industries to carry out their services as they play an integral part in providing essential services (tax, passport service), healthcare, banking, transportation logistics etc.*

EPFO advises Beneficiaries to avail Online Services to contain spreading of COVID-19

Issuing Authority: Central Government



20.03.2020

EPFO advisory to members, pensioners and employers to avail various services offered by EPFO to avoid visiting EPFO offices.

Extension of last date for filing of Unified Annual Return

Issuing Authority: Central Government

20.03.2020

F.No.14(112)/2013/Coord-IT Cell

Order of the Ministry of Labour & Employment ending the last date of filing of Unified Annual Return under 8 labour laws for the year 2019 up to 30th April, 2020.

Extension of due date of payment of ESIC Contribution

Issuing Authority: Central Government

16.03.2020

No.:P-11/14/Misc./1/2019-Rev

Notice from the ESIC extending the date of contribution for the month of February and March 2020 to 15th April and 15th May, 2020 respectively.

