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To

Additional Secretary
Department of Disaster Management
Government of Uttarakhand

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Dehradun, Dated 03/ April, 2021

Subject: Conduct of religious function - AKHAND RAMAYAN and SUDDHI HAWAN in Sachivalaya campus, Dehradun.

Sir,

Please refer to the letter given by Uttarakhand Secretariat Association, dated 7/4/2021 addressed to ACS, Secretariat Administration, regarding conduct of *AKHAND RAMAYAN* and *SUDDHI HAWAN* on 13th April, 2021 for a day, which is forwarded to the Department of Disaster Management and Rehabilitation and Department of Health by ACS, Government of Uttarakhand for comments.

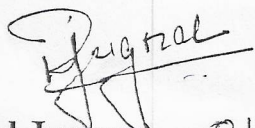
Considering the spread of new trend of Corona Virus in the country, it is recommended for not conducting such religious function for whole day which will lead to a large gathering.

However considering the spiritual beliefs and sentiment of the Uttarakhand Secretariat Association, permission for organising *AKHAND RAMAYAN* and *SUDDHI HAWAN* may be given for 03 hours instead of whole day. It is also recommended that 50 per cent of employees may be permitted to participate in such function.

During conduct of *AKHAND RAMAYAN* and *SUDDHI HAWAN*, the norms of safety and social distancing issued by MHA, MoHFW, GoI and Government of Uttarakhand shall be strictly adhered to.

Before permitting for conduct of *AKHAND RAMAYAN* and *SUDDHI HAWAN*, views / concerns of Department of Health, Government of Uttarakhand may be asked for.

Yours sincerely


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