



**Government of Odisha
Office of Special Relief Commissioner**

No. 1071 /R&DM(DM) Date: 15.02.2022

ORDER

**Addendum to Order No.280/R&DM (DM) dated 12.01.2022 &
No.347/R&DM(DM) dated 15.01.2022**

Whereas, the Government of Odisha in Revenue & Disaster Management (Disaster Management) vide its Order No.280/R&DM(DM) dt.12.01.2022 & No.347/ R&DM (DM) dated 15.01.2022 have prescribed regarding stipulations on large gatherings/ congregations, permission of Political gatherings/ meetings, rallies for General Elections to PRIs,2022.

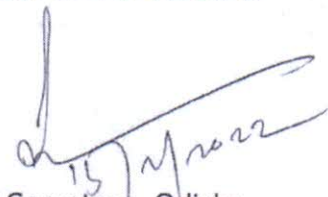
And whereas, the State Election Commission vide their Order no. 2062/SEC dated 7th February,2022 has partially relaxed the restrictions imposed vide their letter No.225/SEC dated 10.01.2022 so far as physically rally/ meetings are concerned in the context of conducting General Elections to PRIs,2022.

Now, therefore, as per the COVID guidelines issued by State Election Commission vide their Order no. 2062/SEC dated 7th February,2022 & in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 24(I) of the Disaster Management Act, 2005 read with Rule 8(1) of the Odisha Disaster Management Rules,2010, the State Government, in supersession of Order No.280/R&DM(DM) dt.12.01.2022 & No.347/R&DM(DM) dated 15.01.2022, do hereby lay down the following stipulations in the State of Odisha for physically rally/ meetings for General Elections to PRIs,2022 with effect from 07.02.2022.

- Door to door campaign with 20 (twenty) persons, including the candidate, is allowed instead of 5 (five).
- Public meetings can be organised by the Political Parties/ Contesting Candidates with prior permission of the appropriate authority with

maximum 300 (three hundred) persons in open ground subject to strict observance of Covid-19 protocols i.e. compulsory use of face mask and social distancing.

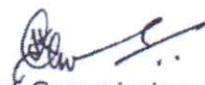
By order of the Governor



Chief Secretary, Odisha

Memo No. 1072 /R&DM(DM) Date: 15.02.2022

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Special Relief Commissioner &
Additional Chief Secretary to Govt.
(Disaster Management)

Memo No. 1073 /R&DM(DM) Date: 15.02.2022


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Special Relief Commissioner &
Additional Chief Secretary to Govt.
(Disaster Management)

Memo No. 1074 / R&DM(DM) Date: 15.02.2022

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Special Relief Commissioner &
Additional Chief Secretary to Govt.
(Disaster Management)

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR & DISTRICT MAGISTRATE, KALAHANDI.Memo No. 76 /Covid-19 Cell/ Res.Dated 16th February, 2022.

Copy forwarded to the Superintendent of Police, Kalahandi/ Addl. District Magistrate, Kalahandi/ Project Director, DRDA, Kalahandi/ Sub-Collector, Bhawanipatna/ Dharamgarh/ CDM& PHO, Kalahandi/ All Block Development Officers/ All Tahasildars/ All Executive Officers of Municipality & NACs/ All CDPOs of ICDS/ All Nodal Officers/ All Officers of Collectorate/ All District Level Officers of Kalahandi District for information and necessary action.

Copy to the DIO, NIC, Kalahandi with request to immediately upload the same in Kalahandi District Portal for wide publicity of the Orders.

By the Order of Collector & DM, Kalahandi,


Deputy Collector, 16.2.22
Judicial Section & OSD, Covid Cell,
Collectorate, Kalahandi.