From

Special No. 001
Director General,
Animal Husbandry & Dairying,
Haryana, Panchkula.

To

All the Deputy Directors in the State,
ICDP/AH&D, Haryana.

Subject: Role of Veterinarians and Para-Veterinarians in dealing with Veterinary Health Care in present lockdown period.

With reference to the subject cited above, you are informed that that Ministry of Home Affairs has issued an addendum to their guidelines under National Disaster Management Act 2005 and has included Veterinary Hospitals in the exception list and will continue to remain functional during the lockdown period (copy of the home ministry orders dated 25th March enclosed for your ready reference.)

In this context, Govt. of India vide their D.O. letter No. K-130139150/18/2020-LH dated 26th March, 2020 (copy enclosed) has emphasised that Veterinarians and Para-Veterinarians has undergone various trainings on bio security, bio safety and personal hygiene measures during bird flu outbreaks and thereafter. Keeping this in consideration and in the present situation of Covid-19 the Veterinarians and Para-veterinarians should take all the necessary precautions including maintaining personal hygiene, maintaining the social distancing etc while working in veterinary hospitals / dealing with veterinary healthcare and also should maintain social distancing to protect themselves as well as people around them while working in Hospitals. Keeping in view of the village / grass root level presence and reach of Veterinarians and Para-veterinarians we can play significant role in making people aware about restriction of unnecessary movement of public and social distancing from each other to break the chain of COVID-19.

Further, Govt. of India has also advised all the Veterinarians and para-veterinarians to continue the veterinary and para-veterinary services including the prophylactic vaccinations by taking all the personal preventive measures in wake of Covid-19 situation. In view of this you are requested to follow the instructions of GoI and direct all the concerned veterinarians and para-veterinarians under your jurisdiction to perform their duties.

(Enclosures as above)

for Director General, Animal Husbandry & Dairying,
Haryana, Panchkula.

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A copy is forwarded to PS/PSA IH for the kind information of Principal Secretary to Govt. of Haryana, Animal Husbandry & Dairying Department.

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