GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

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Whereas the Government of Odisha, in exercise of powers conferred under section 2, 3 and 4 of the Epidemic Disease Act, 1897, has framed the Odisha COVID-19 Regulation, 2020 for prevention and containment of Corona virus disease, 2019 (COVID-19).

Therefore, now, under Section 2 of the aforesaid Act and the regulations, the Government of Odisha empowers all Collector and District Magistrates, all Municipal Commissioners, all EOs of ULBs, as the case may be, for home delivery of Pension and PDS to beneficiaries. Arrangements shall be made keeping the social distancing guidelines in mind. If necessary, field staff of various Departments in the district may be utilized.

In case of any doubt, the State Government will issue necessary directions/ clarifications.

OSD to Chief Secretary (COVID-19 Management) and Special Secretary, H&FW

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Copy forwarded to P.S. to Hon'ble Chief Minister/ P.S. to all Ministers/ OSD to Chief Secretary/ Addl. Chief Secretaries/ Principal Secretaries/ Commissioner-cum-Secretaries of all Departments/ All Collectors/ All Municipal Commissioners/ EOs of all ULBs for kind necessary action.

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