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TWO CITIES HELPING IN AID OF CHARITY, AMHMEDABAD AND SURT.

R.W.Bro.Rajiv Sethi received the below message yesterday from a social worker of Surat. The areas mentioned are under 100% quarantine and nobody can enter those areas. He forwarded the same to R.W.Bro Zawareh Wadia if he could help. It is commendable that he immediately got in touch with the Commissioner in Surat and was regularly updating the status and following up. Today the stranded migrants received food etc. from the Surat Municipal Authorities and those migrants are now being taken care of by the Govt. They were given support providing ration of groceries and vegetables urgently.

Commendable joint effort of Freemasons from different cities.

Lodge Golden orange No 304, Nagpur



The Lodge with the help from Grand Lodge of India funds distributed Dry Food grain Pouches 25 nos at Village Chargaon DIST.Saoner. The village is having 125 homes but requirement has come for only 25 families which is very poor and in distressed condition. W.M.Dr.B.K.Sud, W.Bro.Vinayak Kewadkar Secretary W.Bro.G.V.Deshpande Treasurer and W.Bro.Alok Pande and Bro.Mayuresh were present.





**Lodge Trimurty No.294, Nagpur dated
18.4.2020**



We are proud of Bro Dr Dilip Gode Who is heading the hospital which is being used for covid treatment he is member of lodge Trimurty No. 294, Nagpur.

See in the picture is felicitation of Dr Rakesh Shrivastava, Cordinator for Covid 19 Ventilator training at the hands of Bro.Dr. Dilip Gode Dean Shalinitai Meghe Medical College and Hospital in presence of Mr Sameer Meghe MLA and Management Committee member.



No. 530 15th April, 2020

Circular No.53/17

To,

- (a) Secretaries of daughter Lodges
- (b) Scribes E of daughter Chapters
- (c) Secretaries of daughter Mark Lodges
- (d) Scribes of RAM Lodges

Dear Sir & RW/VW/W Brother/ME/E.
Companion,

MW the Grand Master, MW Bro Rajeev Ramkrishna Khandelwal, OSM and Grand Lodge of India express their deep appreciation and gratitude to the Brethren and Lodges all over the country who have whole heartedly practised the most laudable virtue of Freemasons, that is Charity, and dedicated themselves to the service of the poor and needy over the past three weeks.

As you are aware, Grand Lodge of India, vide Circular no. 50/17 dated 21st March 2020, had directed all the Lodges/Chapters to postpone/abandon all Masonic meetings till

30th April 2020 in view of the spread of the novel Coronavirus Covid-19 disease. The Government of India, soon after, imposed a lockdown in the country till 14th April 2020 that has now been extended to 3rd May 2020.

In view of the increase in the number of Covid-19 cases and the age profile of the majority of our Freemasons, that makes them more vulnerable to a contagious disease, Grand Lodge of India is the opinion that it will not be prudent to hold Masonic meetings in the near future. All Lodges/Chapters are hereby informed that all Masonic meetings, including Regular/Emergency meetings, Election Meetings, Installation Meetings and Lodge/Permanent Committee meetings of all L o d g e s / C h a p t e r s s t a n d postponed/abandoned till 30th June 2020.

The Lodges/Chapters are advised to record the postponement/abandoning of their Meetings in the Minutes book.

MW the Grand Master/ME the First Grand Principal, by the virtue of inherent powers





vested in him by the Book of Constitutions/General Regulations, has waived the period for which Regular/Election/Installation Meetings will be kept in abeyance. Lodges and Chapters will have to apply for fresh Dispensations to hold their Regular/Emergency/Election/Installation Meetings when the situation returns to normal.

Brethren, MW the Grand Master and the Grand Lodge is proud of each one of you for your Charity and selfless service to the under-privileged people of our Society. The contributions made by the Lodges and Brethren have helped in mitigating the hardships faced by thousands of people who have been deprived of their livelihoods for the past more than three weeks. MW the Grand Master exhorts you to continue the good work.

You are requested to circulate this

communication to all the members of your Lodge/Chapter through e-mail.

With Best Wishes,

Yours Fraternally,

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