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NOTIFICATION

As per the directives received from the Honorable Prime Minister, all Schools, ECCDs, NFEs/CLCs and Youth Centres in the country will remain closed with effect from 18th March 2020 until further order from the Government. This is to help prevent and monitor COVID-19 in the country, as the situation globally is disconcerting.

Dzongkhags/Thromdes and schools are instructed to make necessary arrangements for the boarding students to return home safely.

Further, Schools and Centres are to refer the 'Advisory Note on the closure of the Schools and Centres'.

(Karma Tshering)

Offg. Secretary

Copy to:

1. Hon'ble *Sherig* Lyonpo for kind information.
2. Principal Secretary to His Excellency the Prime Minister for kind information.
3. DASHO DZONGDAG/Thrompon, all Dzongkhags/Thromdes for necessary action.
4. Heads of Departments (DSE, DAHE, DYS, DoS) for kind information.
5. Director General, Royal Education Council, Paro for kind information.
6. Director, Bhutan Council for School Examinations and Assessment for kind information.
7. Chief SPCD, DSE, MoE for kind information.
8. Chief PPD, MoE for kind information.
9. Chief DEO/TEO, all Dzongkhags/Thromdes for necessary follow-up.
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