



GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM
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Memo No: 147/ DCG / 2026

Date: 16/07/2026

Prohibitory Order u/s 163 BNSS, 2023

Whereas a sitting of the Legislative Assembly of Sikkim is scheduled on **20th July 2026**.

And whereas, I am of the opinion, that to ensure the smooth proceedings inside the Assembly and to maintain sanctity and decorum of the house, it is necessary that maintenance of law and order has to be ensured in the vicinity of Sikkim Legislative Assembly complex.

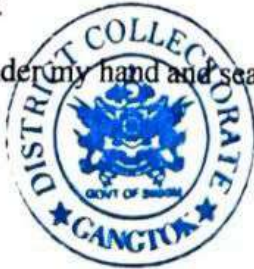
And whereas, I am also of the opinion that it is necessary to prohibit people from assembling in groups outside the Assembly complex in order to prevent any untoward incident which may likely disrupt or adversely affect the sanctity and decorum of the Assembly and may further lead to disturbance to the public peace and tranquillity.

And, whereas, I am satisfied, that there are sufficient grounds for drawing a proceedings under section 163 BNSS, 2023, I hereby prohibit in the area falling within 300 meters radius from the outer boundary of the Assembly Secretariat, any assembly of five or more persons sloganeering, shouting, rioting, protesting, staging a dharna or demonstration, picketing, postering, wall writing or carrying out any other activity whatsoever it may be, which may cause disturbance to the public peace and tranquillity.

Since the circumstance of the situation do not admit serving of notice in due time upon the persons against whom this order is directed, this order is passed ex-parte. The order shall come into force from **8.00 AM on 20th July 2026** and shall remain in force till the end of sitting or unless withdrawn earlier.

This order shall not be applicable in case of law enforcing agencies viz. Magistrates, Police Personnel, Army, CRPF and Para-Military Forces and such other persons who are lawfully engaged in the maintenance of law and order.

Given under my hand and seal on this **16th of July 2026**.




(Rohan Agawane, IAS)
District Magistrate
Gangtok
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Gangtok District

Copy to:-

- 1) The Chief Secretary, Government of Sikkim.
- 2) The Secretary, Home Department, Govt. of Sikkim
- 3) The Superintendent of Police, Gangtok District.
- 4) The SDM, HQ- for compliance & coordination with Police.
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