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Prime Minister's Decree No. 852 of the year 2020



The Prime Minister,

After thoroughly reviewing the Constitution;

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Decree of the Prime Minister No. 133 of the year 2020 imposing a curfew on
some areas of Sinai;
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DECREES THE FOLLOWING

Article: 1

Without prejudice to the provisions of the aforesaid decree of the prime minister no. 133 of the year 2020, the citizens, all over the republic, are prohibited from moving or transferring on all roads from 8:00 p.m. until 6:00 a.m., in continuation of the State's efforts in preserving the health of the citizens and to curb any potential spread of the coronavirus, while allowing the necessary movement associated with urgent needs as assessed by law enforcement officers.

Article: 2

All coffee shops, cafeterias, cafes, casinos, amusement parks, nightclubs, bars and the like shops and facilities that provide entertainment or amusement, shall continue to be closed.

All restaurants, providing food for the public and the like shops and facilities that provide food, and mobile food carts shall continue to be closed, provided that work therein shall be limited to home delivery service that shall be all the day long.

All public gardens, parks and beaches shall be closed.

Article: 3

All commercial shops and crafts centers, including shops selling consumer goods and rendering services and malls “commercial centers”



shall continue to close from 5:00 p.m. till 6:00 a.m., during the week days while on Friday and Saturday, the closure shall be for 24 hours.

Article: 4

All vehicles in charge of transmitting petroleum substances or goods of different types, whether for local market or for export, parcels, production requisites, emergency vehicles, factory workers transportation vehicles and health sector supply vehicles shall be excepted from applying the provision of the first paragraph of the present decree. Moreover, the provision of the first and third articles of the present decree shall not apply to bakeries, groceries, supply groceries, greengroceries, butcheries, poultries, fishmongeries, pharmacies and supermarkets located outside the commercial centers and wholesale markets, provided that work thereat during the curfew hours shall be restricted to receiving goods without receiving or dealing with the public. Furthermore, all factories, licensed contracting worksites, ports, hospitals, medical centers, medical laboratories, warehouses and customs warehouses, fuel stations, express service centers at fuel stations, and all mass media, emergency services of: electricity companies and electricity generation sectors, gas companies, water companies and stations for water lifting, drainage, treatment, and desalination, and internet operator services and telecommunications networks, e-purchase applications, ATM cards, and Customs clearance, wheat marketing committees, and all food, beverage and commodities delivery services etc., in addition to workers in any of the above excepted activities, while observing all necessary precautions.

Article: 5

All collective public or private passenger transport shall be suspended from 8:00 p.m. until 6:00 a.m., to alleviate congestion and pressure among citizens.

Article: 6

All services provided by ministries and governorates to citizens such as the real estate notarization, civil status administration, traffic licenses, work permits and passports shall continue to be suspended.

This provision shall not apply to the services provided by the Health Offices.





The validity period of the official extracts issued by the entities stated in the first paragraph of this article, whose date of expiry is on the day prior to the date of enforcement of decree no. 768 of the year 2020, referred to, or during its validity period or during the validity period of the present decree, shall be extended throughout the period of its implementation without incurring the citizens any financial burdens.

Article: 7

All sports clubs and youth centers, indoor sports hall and gymnastics centers all over the republic shall continue to be closed.

Article: 8

Presence of students at schools, institutions and universities, of whatever kind, and any gathering thereof with the aim of receiving knowledge, under any name, and children nurseries, of whatever kind, shall continue to be suspended.

Article: 9

The Decree of the Prime Minister No. 719 of the year 2020, regarding certain precautionary measures taken at the Units of the State Administrative Body and the companies of the Public Sector and Public Business Sector shall continue to apply.

Article: 10

The provisions of articles one through nine of the present decree shall apply for fifteen days.

Article: 11

Decrees of the Prime Minister nos. 606 of the year 2020 regarding suspending all the events requiring the presence of any gatherings and 724 of the year 2020 regarding suspending performances held in cinemas and theaters shall continue to apply pending further notice.

Article: 12

Air traffic all over the Egyptian airports shall continue to be suspended pending further notice.





Article: 13

Without prejudice to any stricter penalty stipulated in any other applicable law, imprisonment and/or a fine not more than four thousand Egyptian pounds shall be inflicted on whoever violates any of the provisions of the present decree.

Article: 14

The circulars and instructions issued in enforcement of the provisions of decree no. 768 of the year 2020, referred to, shall continue to be applied without prejudice to the provisions of the present decree.

Article: 15

This Decree shall be published in the Official Journal, and shall apply as of the day following the date of its publication.

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**The Prime Minister
Dr. Mostafa Kamal Madbouly**

