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Dated: 26.4.2020

To,

Director Principal.

Government Medical College and Hospital,

Sector-32, Chandigarh

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SUBJECT; Demand for placing Shri Narender, Ward Attendant/Sanitation Worker, under suspension in contemplation/during pendency of criminal /disciplinary proceedings.

Sir,

As you must be aware , Sector-26, Chandigarh Police station has registered an FIR U/Ss 188 (Disobedience to order duly promulgated by Public servant), 269 (Negligent act likely to spread infection of disease dangerous to life) and S. 270 (Malignant act likely to spread infection of disease dangerous to life). The reasons for registration of FIR against aforesaid person are that he had hosted a party on the roof top of his house in Bapua Dham Colony, Chandigarh, on 17.4.2020, inviting scores of relatives and friends, who attended the said anniversary party celebrations. He himself also, along with his father, has been tested as Corona positive. More than 100 persons have been quarantined, for attending the said anniversary celebrations, or being in contact with such persons who attended the aforesaid party. Being an employee of your institution, he can not plead ignorance of the dangerous consequences of hosting such a party. He has thus, committed an offence involving moral turpitude, in as much as he has, at this crucial juncture, when the citizens are under direction to maintain social distance, and to wear masks, and not to host such parties/functions, conducted in a manner so as to put the lives of several people in danger.

The offences registered against the official are no doubt bailable, but are very serious, in the current situation, when Chandigarh itself has been

declared as “Containment zone” or ‘Hot spot’ for Corona virus. Otherwise too, his conduct is unbecoming of a Government servant, particularly so because he is an employee of your institution, which is playing a lead role in treatment of Corona patients. His conduct is deliberate, and amounts to gross misconduct, as it has direct nexus with his official duties . He deserves to be proceed against by way of disciplinary action, after placing him under suspension, in contemplation/during pendency of criminal/disciplinary proceedings. He must not be allowed to attend duties till Corona crisis is completely over.

Kindly consider this complaint/representation, in its true perspective.

Meanwhile, please acknowledge receipt.

Yours Sincerely,

(H.C. ARORA)

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Social activist