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In light of the present COVID-19 outbreak, and the consequent situation, there is a requirement to make sufficient quantities of medicines, medical equipment and ancillary products available to the public.

In this regard, it is very important that the Manufacturing activity of the medicines, medical equipment and ancillary products and the entire related supply chain, covering Transportation, Stockists, Distributors, Retail Chemists etc remain operational throughout Goa.

I therefore earnestly appeal to all the employees of all such units, and the Staff working for these organisations, to attend their workplaces and contribute to the task of making medicines, medical equipment & ancillary products available to the patients. No patient should suffer from the shortage or non-availability of such products.

Managements of the manufacturing units, may also ensure that the entire supply chain and the trade establishments, take all requisite safeguards so that the employees feel safe and confident to attend their duties.

Let us motivate ourselves and be a proud Indian in this emergent situation, and stand together in support of the stupendous efforts of our frontline warriors such as doctors, nurses and numerous other healthcare workers, by ensuring the continuous supply of life-saving medicines, medical equipment and ancillary products to the patients and the public.

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