

**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Office of the
Commissioner of Police,
Hyderabad City

No. L&O/LO2/0011/2024

Date:- -01-2024

NOTIFICATION

In order to maintain Law & Order, peace and tranquility and to prevent incidents of breach of peace and accidents that are likely to occur unless kite flying is regulated during the celebration of Sankranti Festival in Hyderabad City from 14-01-2024 to 15-01-2024. I, K. Sreenivasa Reddy, IPS., Commissioner of Police, Hyderabad, in exercise of the powers vested in me Under Section 22 (1), (2) and (3) of Hyderabad City Police Act, 1348 Fasli (No. IX) do hereby order that kite flying on all thoroughfares and in and around places of worship be prohibited, in the interest of maintenance of public order and public safety.

Further, it is ordered that no Loud Speakers / DJ shall be placed or played in Public Space or Public Place, without the required Permission from concerned Police Authorities as per Rule 8 of Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000 and no provocative speeches / songs shall be played over them. Further, noise levels from speakers or Public Address System or any other activities should not exceed the permissible limits as given below. The ambient Air Quality Standards in respect of Noise as per the G.O. Rt.No.227 Date: 11th July 2000 of Environment, Forests Science and Technology (Env) Department, Government of Telangana State are:-

Area Code	Category of Area/Zone	Limits in dB(A)	
		Day Time	Night Time
(A)	Commercial Area	65	55
(B)	Residential Area	55	45
(C)	Silent Zone	50	40

A loud speaker or a public address system shall not be used during the nights between **10:00 pm to 06:00 am**, as per the directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

It shall be the responsibility of the person seeking such permission and the House owner or the host that all the above mentioned Rules and conditions are scrupulously complied with.

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Parents and Citizens of Hyderabad City are advised to guide and supervise their children, not to fly kites from the terraces without parapet walls, to avoid any accident/unfortunate incident. They are suggested, also to advise their children not to run on the roads or vulnerable places while flying kites or trying to collect stray kites. Children should be made aware of their vulnerability as regards to electrocution, if they try to collect stray kites from electric poles. All these advice and suggestions are in the interest of safety and security of Children and to avoid accidents.

The revellers shall not collect wood forcibly for bonfires and they should use wood only with the consent of owners.

Public are hereby informed that any person violating the above Orders shall be liable for Prosecution under the Hyderabad City Police Act, 1348 Fasli (No. IX) and Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and other relevant Laws.

This order shall be in force with effect from 0600 hrs on 14-01-2024 to 0600 hrs on 16-01-2024.

(K. Sreenivasa Reddy, IPS.,)
Commissioner of Police,
Hyderabad City