



**GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM**  
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**ORDER**

Whereas, it has come to my notice that already 3(three) epicentre of African swine Fever(AFS) has been detected in Golaghat district at the pig farm of 1. Shri Bijit Gogoi, Village – Khanikar Gaon, Sarupathar , 2. Indrajit Phukan, Jackson, Morongi, 3. Pratap Hazarika, Borholla, Podumoni .

And whereas, the District Veterinary Officer, Golaghat informed that the three epicentre has already been declared by Govt. of Assam on the basis of the laboratory test results from NERDDL, Khanapara, Guwahati.

And whereas, as per the said report and Government Notification No. VFV.218/2020/Pt-III/53, dated 19.09.2022, the said villages has been declared as an epicentre of African Swine Fever (ASF) under the provisions of *The Prevention and Control of Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Animals Act, 2009*.

And whereas, there exists a likelihood of further spread of the said contagious disease through the transportation and sale of pigs, pork, pig feed, or related materials within and outside the infected zone, which may cause danger to animal health, public hygiene, and law and order.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 163 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS), 2023, I, Shri Pulak Mahanta, ACS, District Magistrate, Golaghat, do hereby **prohibit the transportation, sale, and purchase of pigs, pork, pig feed, and related materials in Golaghat district with immediate effect and until further orders.**

All concerned authorities, including the Sr. Superintendent of Police, Golaghat, and the Addl. District Magistrate cum Co-District Commissioner, Sarupathar/ Bokakhat & Dergaon Co-District, Golaghat will ensure strict enforcement of this order.

The District Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Officer, Golaghat, shall continue necessary surveillance and containment measures as per the Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) issued by the Government.

Any person aggrieved by this order may approach the undersigned for exemption/ alteration etc. of this order.

In view of the emergent situation this order is passed ex-parte and addressed to the public in general.

In the event of any violation of this prohibitory order, action shall have to be taken against the violators U/S 223 of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023.

Dated, this 11<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2025.

District Magistrate,

Golaghat.

Copy to:

1. The CEO, Zila Parishad, Golaghat.
2. The Sr. Superintendent of Police, Golaghat.
3. The Addl. District Magistrate cum Co-District Commissioner, Sarupathar/Bokakhat & Dergaon co-District, Golaghat.
4. The Addl. District Magistrate (All), Golaghat.
5. The Circle Officer, Golaghat/Khumtai/Morongi Revenue Circle, Golaghat.
6. The Executive Officer, Golaghat/Dergaon/Bokakhat/Barpathar/Sarupathar Municipal Board.
7. The District Transport Officer, Golaghat.
8. The District Veterinary Officer, Golaghat.
9. The DIPRO for wide publicity of the same.
10. The Content Manager, Office of the District Magistrate, Golaghat for uploading the order on the official website.

*Digitally Signed by*  
**Shri Pulak Mahanta, ACS**  
Addl. District Magistrate,  
Golaghat.