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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER::::SIVASAGAR (DISTRICT DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY)

No. SVDM/ Flood/01/2023/19

Dtd. 24/04/2023

SOP to handle fake news during disaster like flood, storm, lightning, earthquake:

- In case of any fake news during disasters like flood, storm, lightning, earthquake etc. in the
 district, the DIPRO as per approval of the Deputy Commissioner, Sivasagar will issue press
 release immediately against the fake news.
- Press meet/ announcement through mobile Miking system/FLS etc. will be followed by DDMA,
 Sivasagar on any fake news during any disasters if situation demands.
- The DIPRO will also keep well co-ordination with electronic media, print media personnel, local you tubers etc. and take their assistance so that the fake news can be stopped immediately.
- The DDMA will take necessary action against the persons who spreads fake news as per DM Act, 2005 and other provisions of Cr. PC through police department.
- Social media page of the District Administration will be updated immediately with counter news against any remour/ fake news.

Addl. Deputy Commissioner & CEO, DDMA, Sivasagar