

**ADVISORY ISSUED BY RESERVE BANK OF INDIA REGIONAL OFFICE JAMMU
REGARDING "AVAILABILITY OF BANKING SERVICES" DURING LOCKDOWN**

Government of India has announced Lockdown throughout the country for 21 days ending on April 14, 2020. Banking being an essential service, Ministry of Home Affairs/ Ministry of Finance, Government of India has issued various guidelines for movement of Cash/ Banking staff for smooth functioning/ availability of banking services during the Lockdown.

In order to provide uninterrupted banking services and to avoid any inconvenience in the movement of banking staff, J&K Government has advised all the District Commissioners to issue necessary Passes to the banking staff (minimum required for operation of the banking services). Banks operating in UT of J&K are advised to immediately submit the details of their staff members(minimum) to the respective Office of the DCs for issue of passes.