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RISKING MORE NORMALITY IN CORONA CRISIS?

State negotiates further Easing with Communities

"We can risk more normality" Prime Minister Dreyer has promised lately. Today the State Administration will negotiate with the Supreme Organizations of Communities to what Extent Normality should be exercised.

Since weeks the number of corona infections has raised only slowly. Is now the time for faster easing of restrictions? That is the topic Prime Minister Dreyer (SPD) will discuss with supreme organizations of the communities in Rhineland-Palatinate this afternoon. The topics discussed should itemize regular operation of schools and CDC as well as options for gastronomy businesses. Many communities want to allow larger outdoor events as fast as possible. Besides that previous offers of bus travels should be a topic.

More easing earlier as planned?

The prime minister and her partners in the discussion want to reveal details in the early evening. The discussion is to find agreement on "how we want to configure during the oncoming months in Rhineland-Palatinate and what easing can be implemented faster than planned", Dreyer said in the state parliament last week.

"We can risk to implement more normality", she announced, but also warned of presumption. Since May 27 outdoor events of up to 100 people are authorized with restrictions. Effective June 10 this will be extended to events of up to 250 people. At that date in-door events with up to 75 people will also be authorized again.

As of June 2, 8 a.m.