

# SWD Srinagar conducts Training Programme on PC&PNDT Act

**SRINAGAR, FEBRUARY 13:** Social Welfare Department, Srinagar, through SANKALP-Hub for Empowerment of

Women (Mission Shakti), successfully organized a Training-cum-Sensitization Programme on the PC&PNDT Act for owners of diagnostic centres in District Srinagar at the Conference Hall of Amar Singh College, Srinagar.

The programme aimed

to strengthen compliance with the provisions of the Pre-Conception and Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques (Prohibition of Sex Selection) Act and to sensitize representatives of diagnostic centres about their legal and ethical responsibilities. Representatives from ultrasound clinics, genetic counselling centres, genetic laboratories, and imaging centres across the district participated in the programme.

The initiative focused on reinforcing the objectives of the PC&PNDT Act, which was enacted to prevent sex selection and address the issue of declining child sex ratio.

Ruqaya Ashraf, District Mission Coordinator, Mission Shakti Srinagar, inaugurated the session with a detailed discussion on the Beti Bachao Beti Padhao initiative and the implementation of the PC&PNDT Act.

She emphasized the collective responsibility of stakeholders in ensuring strict adherence to the law.

# Municipal Council Doda Launches Waste Segregation Awareness Drive

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Acting on the directions of Executive Officer Sh. Yasir Hussain Wani, the Municipal Council Doda today deputed a special enforcement and awareness team to sensitize residents about proper waste segregation practices.

The team, headed by Shabir Ahmad, visited various localities across the town and interacted with residents at the household level, educating them on the importance of separating dry and wet waste.

The officials demonstrated simple methods of segregation and emphasized that proper waste management is essential for maintaining cleanliness and ensuring a healthy environment.



During the drive, citizens were clearly informed about adhering to municipal guidelines and were instructed to segregate dry and wet waste before handing it over to the door-to-

door collection vehicles for safe and systematic disposal.

The initiative forms part of the Council's ongoing efforts to promote sanitation awareness and strengthen

solid waste management practices in the town. Residents appreciated the outreach programme and assured their cooperation in maintaining cleanliness in their respective areas.

# Sat flags Cold Storage shortage in Rajya Sabha

**NEW DELHI, FEB 13:** Jammu & Kashmir BJP President and Member of Parliament (Rajya Sabha), Sat Paul Sharma, sought re-

ply on an important public-interest issue in the Rajya Sabha regarding the lack of cold storage and transport facilities in Jammu & Kash-

mir, particularly affecting perishable agricultural produce such as fruits, vegetables, dairy products, saffron, apples, and walnuts.

In response to the unstarred question, the Union Minister of State for Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Ramnath Thakur provided a detailed written reply outlining the measures being undertaken by the Government of India to strengthen post-harvest management and logistical infrastructure in the Union Territory.

The Minister informed that the Government is implementing various schemes aimed at creating and strengthening cold chain infrastructure and transportation facilities across the country, including in Jammu & Kashmir.

Under the Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH), financial assistance is being provided for establishing cold storage units, controlled atmosphere (CA) storage, pack houses, refrigerated vans, and ripening chambers. Being a major horticulture-producing region, Jammu & Kashmir is receiving assistance under MIDH based on proposals submitted and approved by the State Level Executive Committee.

Additionally, under the Pradhan Mantri Kisan SAMPADA Yojana (PMKSY) of the Ministry of Food Processing Industries, support is extended for the creation of integrated cold chains and value addition infrastructure, including reefer transport facilities.

The Minister further stated that the Agriculture Infrastructure Fund (AIF) provides medium- to long-term debt financing for post-harvest management infrastructure, including cold storage and refrigerated transport systems. Support is also being extended under Operation Greens, which aims to stabilize supply and reduce post-harvest losses of perishable crops by promoting value chain development, storage, and transportation infrastructure.



Regarding timelines, the Minister clarified that the development of cold storage and transportation facilities is a continuous process and depends on viable project proposals, financial closure by proponents, and statutory clearances. Generally, projects sanctioned under these schemes are implemented within a period of 12 to 24 months.

On the question of inter-ministerial coordination, the Government stated that logistical infrastructure such as roads and railways falls under the mandate of the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways and the Ministry of Railways. A coordinated approach is being adopted to enhance multimodal transportation networks and last-mile connectivity. Notably, action has already been initiated for setting up a Multi Modal Logistics Park at Jammu to facilitate timely transportation of agricultural produce, including apples, saffron, and walnuts.

To reduce and mitigate post-harvest losses, the Government is promoting scientific post-harvest management practices such as grading, sorting, and packaging; establishing cold chain infrastructure from farm gate to market; encouraging Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs) for aggregation and better market linkage; implementing market reforms and digital platforms like e-NAM for improved price discovery; and providing capacity building and technical guidance to farmers and stakeholders.

Sat Sharma stated that strengthening cold storage and transportation infrastructure is crucial for safeguarding the interests of farmers and horticulturists of Jammu & Kashmir, reducing post-harvest losses, ensuring better price realization, and boosting the region's agricultural economy.

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Sh.Kapil Sharma S/o Lt.Sh. Vijay Sharma R/o 29-C/C Gandhi Nagar Jammu

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The concerned Girdawars and Patwaries are directed to remain present at the venue and maintain a Grievance Register strictly as per the prescribed format regarding objections/representations of the public.			
<b>S.No</b> <b>Name of Village</b> <b>Venue</b> <b>Date</b>			
1	Bishnah	Panchayat Ghar Harsa Dabber	11.02.2026 to 21.02.2026
2	Harsa Dabber		
3	Dhindey Khurd		
4	Chak Bana Brahmana		
5	Chak Avtara	Panchayat Ghar Chak Avtara	11.02.2026 to 21.02.2026
6	Jinder Khurd		
7	Mehmodpur		
8	Kanhal		
9	Chak Jarallan		
10	Bhatyari		
11	Bagh Jogian		
12	Chak chua		
13	Salehar	Panchayat Ghar Salehar	11.02.2026 to 19.02.2026
14	Kothey Salehar		
15	Laswara	Panchayat Ghar Laswara	11.02.2026 to 19.02.2026
16	Makhanpur Charkan		
17	Nougran	Panchayat Ghar Nougran	11.02.2026 to 21.02.2026
18	Kotli Charkan		
19	Prithipur		
20	Ismailpur Kothey		
21	Bahadurkhan		
22	Chorli	Panchayat Ghar Chorli	11.02.2026 to 19.02.2026
23	Chumbian Jattan		
24	Chumbian Jattan		
25	Partap Singh Pura		
26	Fatwal		
27	Chak Jagtu	Panchayat Ghar Chak Jagtu	11.02.2026 to 19.02.2026
28	Chak Tahir		
29	Sehora	Panchayat Ghar Sehora	11.02.2026 to 21.02.2026
30	Sikanderpur		
31	Sultanzpur		
32	Chak Lala		
33	Deoli	Panchayat Ghar Deoli	11.02.2026 to 21.02.2026
34	Taraf Brahmana		
35	Chak Waziru		
36	Majua Uttami	Panchayat Ghar Majua Uttami	11.02.2026 to 21.02.2026
37	Rakh Mangal		
38	Mangal		
39	Chak jawahar Singh		
40	Nandrol		
41	Buda Pahal		
42	Ratnal		
43	Rehal Dhamalian	Panchayat Ghar Ratnal	11.02.2026 to 18.02.2026
44	Chak Ratnal		
45	Chak Hasal		
46	Khojipur		
47	Chak Umra	Panchayat Ghar Khojipur	11.02.2026 to 21.02.2026
48	Majua Laxmi		
49	Chak Bana Jattan		
50	Atmapur		
51	Shahpur Brahmana		
52	Chak Keshav		
53	Karyal Brahmana	Panchayat Ghar Karyal Brahmana	11.02.2026 to 21.02.2026
54	Chak Mian sukha Singh		
55	Chak Mian sab Singh		
56	Chak Suba		
57	Chak Qadir		
58	Songoli		
59	Dollain		
60	Chak Bhatyari		
61	Gudwal		
62	Khairi	Panchayat Ghar Khairi	11.02.2026 to 18.02.2026
63	Kulwal		
64	Sarore	Panchayat Ghar Sarore	11.02.2026 to 21.02.2026
65	Chak Murar		
66	Najwal		
67	Saidgarh		
68	Chak Chimna	Panchayat Ghar Saidgarh	11.02.2026 to 19.02.2026
69	Muzafferpur		
70	Chak Baghwana		
71	Chak shivu		
72	Rehal Klandrian		
73	Badipur Salarian	Panchayat Ghar Rehal	11.02.2026 to 21.02.2026
74	Bunnal		
75	Bundwal		
76	Pasgal		
77	Pandori Brahmana	Panchayat Ghar Pasgal	11.02.2026 to 20.02.2026
78	Pandori Manhasan		
79	Krail Manhasan		
80	Morchapur		

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DIP/J-11494/25. Dated: 13-02-2026

Tehsildar  
Bishnah

No:-MC/R/2024-25/

DIP/J-3852-P/25 Dt: 13.02.2026

Sd/-  
Chief Executive Officer  
Municipal Council, Reasi.