

Statehood protest will Echo J&K People's Collective Will: Dy CM

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Senior Jammu and Kashmir National Conference leader and Deputy Chief Minister Surinder Choudhary on Monday said that the upcoming protest in Delhi demanding the restoration of statehood would reflect the collective will of the people of Jammu and Kashmir and should compel New Delhi to honour its commitments.

Choudhary made these remarks while addressing a party meeting at Gandhinagar in Jammu. He said the continued delay in restoring statehood has adversely affected governance, as the elected government, despite its efforts, has been unable to deliver on several fronts due to the existing administrative framework.

"No less than the Prime Minister and the Home Minister had promised, both inside and outside Parliament that full statehood would be restored. However, it has been nearly two years since the elected government assumed office, and that promise remains unfulfilled. This has nothing to do with the performance of the government; rather, it is an affront to the collective will of the people who participated in the elections in large numbers. It amounts to denying the



people their democratic rights," Choudhary said.

He added that after the developments of 2019, the Union Government had projected a narrative of bringing Jammu and Kashmir at par with other states and Union Territories. "While other regions enjoy empowered governments, Jammu and Kashmir continues to be treated differently. Far from being placed on an equal footing with other regions, we continue to face differential treatment," he said.

Chairing the meeting, National Conference Provincial President Rattan Lal Gupta said the party's Jammu Provincial Unit would participate wholeheartedly in the Delhi protest. He also informed that the annual death anniversary of Madar-e-Meharban Begum Akbar Jehan Abdullah would be observed at Maharaja Hari Singh Park, opposite Fortune Hotel, on the banks of the River Tawi. The event will be addressed by the

party's Vice President and Chief Minister, Omar Abdullah.

Interacting with party office-bearers, Gupta said the National Conference's rank and file across Jammu Province are fully geared up for the Delhi protest to remind the BJP-led Central Government of its commitment to restore full statehood to Jammu and Kashmir. He added that extensive preparations are also underway to ensure that the death anniversary of Begum Akbar Jehan Abdullah is observed on a grand scale in Jammu.

Addressing the meeting Mr Arjun Singh Raju Hon'ble MLA Ramban assured that the decision of the high command regarding public meeting in Jammu and Protest at Delhi will be fully supported and participated.

Among others who were present in the meeting included: Arjun Singh Raju Hon'ble MLA Ramban, Sheikh Bashir Ahmad Provincial Secretary

Jammu, Dr. Chaman Lal Bhagat former MLA, Bimla Iuthra former MLA and State Vice President Women Wing, Sardar Tejinder Pal Singh Provincial President Jammu YNC, Rajni Devi Working President Women Wing Jammu, Pardeep Bali Provincial Secretary Jammu, Vijay Lochan Chairman SC Cell, Abdul Gani Teli Chairman OBC Cell, Rakesh Singh Raka Vice President Central Zone, Mohinder Singh former JCCB, Chander Mohan Sharma District President Jammu Urban, Subash Bhagat District President Jammu Rural "A", Sudagar Gupta District President Samba, Sham Narian Mehta District President Kathua Rural, Ramprashotam Sharma District President Udhampur Rural, Raj Kumar Sharma District President Reasi, Mohan Kaith Rtd SSP, Arunpal Singh Working President NCSU, Hameed Choudhary Zonal President Central Zone YNC, Jugal Kishore Zonal President Udhampur Reasi Zone, Shoket Choudhary District President Samba ST Cell, Nadeem Choudhary District President Jammu Urban ST Cell, Sardar Gurnam Singh District Secretary Jammu Urban, Nitish Gowsami Vice President Provincial YNC, Kuldeep Sharma and Mohd Arif Wani.

Free Multi-Specialty Medical Camp Benefits 205 Patients at Arnia

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Swami Vivekananda Medical Mission (SVMM) Charitable Hospital, Amphalla, in collaboration with the Dev Sthan Dati Maa Chanagiya Management Committee, organised a free multi-specialty medical camp at Dev Sthan Dati Maa Chanagiya in Tehsil Arnia, benefiting 205 patients.

The camp offered free consultations by specialist doctors, blood pressure and blood sugar screening, essential laboratory investigations, medicines, and cataract screening. Patients diagnosed with cataracts were also registered for free Phaco (phacoemulsification) cataract surgery at the hospital.

The camp was inaugurated by Bishnah MLA Rajeev Kumar Bhagat, who lauded the hospital's efforts in providing affordable and quality healthcare to rural and border residents and encouraged it to continue



such charitable initiatives.

Specialist services were provided by Dr. Arvind Kohli (Medical Director and CVTS Surgeon), Dr. Suruchi Gupta (Senior Eye Surgeon), Dr. Akhil Mahajan (Orthopaedic Surgeon), Dr. Uttam Chand Sharma (Physician), Dr. Rishabh Sharma (Dermatologist), Dr. Akriti Gupta (Dental Surgeon), and Dr. Meena Gupta.

The programme was attended by SVMM Management Committee members, including President Amar Chand Gupta, Senior Vice

President B.B. Gupta, General Secretary B.S. Jamwal, Treasurer Dr. Sachin Gupta, Medical Superintendent Dr. Rabinder Rattanpal, and Liaison Officer Pawan Kumar Sharma. Representatives of the Dev Sthan Dati Maa Chanagiya Management Committee, including President Bharat Choudhary, Secretary Pawan Gupta, Member Suresh Gupta, and Sarpanch Raghubir Singh, were also present.

Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Arvind Kohli reaffirmed the hospital's commitment

to providing quality and affordable healthcare through regular charitable medical camps. Amar Chand Gupta reiterated the institution's guiding philosophy of "Nar Seva is Narayan Seva", while B.B. Gupta highlighted the importance of outreach programmes in delivering quality healthcare to rural communities. B.S. Jamwal expressed gratitude to the chief guest, the management committee, local residents, volunteers, and the medical team for making the camp a success.

World Zoonoses Day: Javid Dar calls for greater awareness, strengthened disease surveillance

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Minister for Agriculture Production, Rural Development and Panchayati Raj, Cooperative and Election Department, Javid Ahmad Dar, today underscored the importance of creating widespread awareness about zoonotic diseases and reaffirmed the government's commitment towards strengthening the animal health systems to safeguard the public health.

In his message on the World Zoonoses Day, the Minister said that being observed every year on July 6 it commemorates the historic achievement of the first successful rabies vaccination administered by Louis Pasteur in 1885. He said the day serves as an important reminder of the need for co-ordinated efforts to prevent and control diseases that are transmitted between animals and humans.

The Minister emphasized that Zoonotic diseases such as rabies, brucellosis, avian influenza and other emerging infections continue to pose significant challenges to human and animal health, livelihoods and food security. He stressed that early detection, effective surveillance, timely vaccination and responsible animal husbandry practices



are essential for preventing outbreaks and protecting communities.

Javid Dar highlighted the pivotal role of the Animal and Sheep Husbandry Department in disease surveillance, livestock vaccination, veterinary healthcare and public awareness. He said the department is continuously strengthening the veterinary infrastructure, expanding immunization programmes and promoting scientific livestock management to ensure healthy animals and safer communities.

The Minister urged the livestock farmers, pet owners and the general public to adopt preventive measures,

maintain proper hygiene while handling the animals, vaccinate pets and livestock regularly and promptly report any suspected disease outbreaks to the nearest veterinary institutions.

Reiterating the importance of the One Health approach, the Minister called for closer collaboration among the Animal Husbandry and allied departments to effectively tackle Zoonotic diseases. He said protecting animal health is intrinsically linked to protecting human health and preserving the environment.

The Minister also appreciated the dedication of veterinarians, para-veterinary

staff and field functionaries for their relentless efforts in safeguarding livestock health and supporting the rural economy. He expressed confidence that with collective awareness, scientific interventions and community participation, Jammu and Kashmir can build a resilient system for the prevention and control of Zoonotic diseases.

Javid Dar appealed to all stakeholders to observe World Zoonoses Day by spreading awareness about disease prevention and adopting responsible practices that contribute to healthier animals, healthier people and a healthier environment.

HC dismisses Sanjay Saraf's LPA against JKCA

SRINAGAR, JULY 6:

The High Court of Jammu & Kashmir has dismissed the Letters Patent Appeal (LPA) filed by Sanjay Saraf, upholding an earlier judgment that the dispute concerning the representation and voting rights of Whites Cricket Club is a private matter and is not maintainable under Article 226 of the Constitution.

The court reaffirmed that the controversy is essentially a private dispute and cannot be adjudicated through a writ petition. According to a statement, Saraf, who is associated with the Lok Janshakti Party, had recently attempted to enter the Jammu and Kashmir Cricket Association (JKCA) office accompanied by his Personal Security Officers (PSOs) and allegedly issued threats.

The statement further claimed that despite not being a member of the JKCA, he held press conferences and made public statements regarding the Association's affairs. The statement also al-



leged that Saraf, along with certain other individuals,

formed a parallel group with the objective of defam-

ing the JKCA. It added that the court had recently restrained Javid Khitab and others from using the name "JKCA."

The Association maintained that despite such attempts, it continues to function under the full control and supervision of the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) and highlighted its historic performances in the Ranji Trophy.

UNION TERRITORY OF JAMMU & KASHMIR OFFICE THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER PWD (R&B) DIVISION KATHUA

FRESH NOTICE INVITING TENDER

E-NIT No:49/2026-27/3622-26/G. Dated:04.07.2026

For and on behalf of the Lieutenant Governor, Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir e-tenders are invited on percentage basis from approved and eligible Contractors registered with Union Territory of J&K, CPWD, Railways, MES and other State/Central Governments for each of the following works: -

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5	Bid Submission End Date							
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Dated: 04.07.2026

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DIP/J-5132/26. Dated: 06-07-2026

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