

NC Committed to Socio-Economic Justice of SCs, STs, OBCs and Other Weaker Sections: Gupta

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Jammu and Kashmir National Conference (NC) Provincial President Jammu Rattan Lal Gupta today said that the party is unwaveringly committed to securing social, economic and political justice for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, OBCs and other weaker and marginalized sections of society.

Gupta was interacting with office bearers and functionaries of the SC Wing of JKNC at the NC Provincial Headquarters, Gandhi Nagar, Jammu, in the presence of Vijay Lochan, Chairman SC Wing, JKNC Jammu, who assumed charge of his new office at the Provincial



Headquarters, and Tejinder Pal Singh Aman, Provincial President, Youth National Conference (YNC) Jammu.

Gupta said that the Omar Abdullah-led Government is working towards inclusive and equitable development, with special focus on the welfare of weaker and disadvantaged sections. He said that social justice cannot remain confined to slogans and must be reflected in employment opportunities, education, economic empowerment, welfare

schemes and equal participation in the development process. He asserted that the National Conference has historically championed the cause of the poor, marginalized, weaker and deprived sections, and will continue to safeguard their constitutional rights and interests. The party believes that every citizen, irrespective of caste, creed or economic status, deserves dignity, equality and equal opportunities.

Taking a dig at the BJP, Gupta said that the people

are now seeking concrete measures rather than political rhetoric and divisive narratives. He alleged that attempts to exploit social and regional sentiments for political gains would not succeed, as the people of Jammu and Kashmir have repeatedly demonstrated their faith in democratic, secular and inclusive politics.

Congratulating Vijay Lochan on assuming the new Office, Gupta expressed confidence that under his leadership the SC Wing would emerge as a stronger platform for highlighting the genuine concerns of the Scheduled Caste community and ensuring their effective representation at every level. He said the NC would continue to oppose every attempt aimed at weakening social harmony, democratic institutions and the rights of weaker sections. The strength of Jammu and Kashmir lies in unity, inclusiveness and equal participation of all communities, he added.

He also urged party workers to strengthen the organizational base of the National Conference and spread the message of social justice, secularism, democracy and inclusive development across Jammu province. "The National Conference stands firmly with the weaker and marginalized sections, and will continue to fight for their rights, dignity and equitable share in development," Gupta said.

Ladakh LG visits heritage village Hunderman

LEH, SEPTEMBER 3:

Lieutenant Governor Shri Vinai Kumar Saxena, during his visit to Kargil, visited the historic Heritage Village of Hunderman, adjoining the Line of Control between India and Pakistan, to review ongoing initiatives to develop it as a prominent border and heritage tourism destination.

The visit reflects the Lieutenant Governor's vision of making Hunderman, with its unique history, heritage and strategic location, more accessible to visitors and positioning it prominently on Ladakh's tourism map. Shri Saxena emphasised that the village's proximity to the Line of Control, coupled with its rich heritage and distinctive character, gives it immense potential to emerge as a unique destination showcasing Ladakh's borderland history and culture.

During the visit, the Lieutenant Governor was briefed on the ongoing "Exploring LOC and Hunderman Village Experience" project that envisages a range of tourist-friendly facilities, including the LOC viewpoint, parking area, integrated amenity centre, information panels, walking promenade, landscap-



ing, smart toilets, café, viewing facilities, safety lighting and CCTV, solar panels, flag and selfie point and EV charging facilities, among other amenities. He directed the concerned officials to complete the development works by the end of October this year.

Development of this border village is aligned with Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi's larger vision of infusing self-sustainability and promoting inclusivity in the remote border areas.

"Hunderman is not merely a border village; it is a living symbol of Ladakh's history, heritage and re-

silience. My vision is to make Hunderman, the first Indian village on the LoC, accessible to visitors from across the country and the world and develop it as a unique border and heritage tourism destination. At the same time, tourism development must improve the quality of life of the people who call Hunderman their home," said L-G Shri Saxena.

L-G Shri Saxena stressed that the transformation of Hunderman into a heritage and border tourism destination should be community-centric, ensuring that the benefits of increased tourism activities translate

into livelihood opportunities for locals, while preserving the village's unique heritage and character.

The LG also interacted with villagers and listened to their grievances. He reviewed the solar lift irrigation system, aimed at improving water availability for agricultural activities through renewable energy.

Chairman/CEC, LAHDC Kargil, Dr Mohd Jaffer Akhoun; Member of Parliament, Ladakh, Shri Mohmad Haneefa Jan; local Councillor, and senior officials of the tourism department and the local administration were present during the visit.

Sat addresses 'Seva Sankalp Abhiyan' workshop of District Jammu south

JAMMU, 03 SEPTEMBER 2026: J&K BJP President and Rajya Sabha MP Sat Sharma, along with General Secretary Baldev

Singh Billawaria, MLA Dr. Narinder Singh, MLA Ch. Vikram Randhawa, MLA Mohan Lal Bhagat, District Prabhari Parduman Singh,



Secretary and District Seh-Prabhari Reema Padha, District President Naresh Singh Jasrotia, and other senior leaders, addressed a workshop on the 'Seva Sankalp Abhiyan' for District Jammu South at BJP headquarters, Trikuta Nagar, Jammu.

The workshop was organized to train and equip the party cadre for effective implementation of the campaign, with emphasis on public participation, social

service, welfare outreach and ensuring tangible benefits reach people at the grassroots. The campaign, being organized to mark Prime Minister Narendra Modi's 25 years in public life, is envisioned as a sustained exercise to take the spirit and achievements of service-oriented governance directly to society.

Sat Sharma said that Seva Sankalp Abhiyan is not merely a programme calendar but an opportunity for BJP workers to turn the philosophy of 'Seva' into visible social action. He said every activity must have a clear objective, involve people meaningfully and create a positive impact on the ground.

Sharma said the 25-year journey of Narendra Modi in public life, from becoming Gujarat Chief Minister in 2001 to leading the country as Prime Minister, represents a remarkable chapter of dedication to nation-building.

He called upon workers to commemorate this milestone not through symbolism alone, but by reaching the needy, facilitating access to welfare schemes, undertaking social-service initiatives and strengthening the BJP's direct connect with every section of society.

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GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR
HEALTH & MEDICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT BRANCH
Civil Secretariat,
J&K

Subject:-Tentative Seniority list of Assistant Controller Drugs /Assistant Drug Analyst of Jammu & Kashmir Drugs & Food Control (Gazetted) Services.

Notification
Srinagar 24th of August 2026

Whereas, Rule 09 of SRO 56 of 1997, J&K Drugs & Food Control (Gazetted) Service Recruitment Rules provides for maintenance of updated and Final Seniority List of the members of the service by the Administrative Department strictly as per the J&K Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules 1956;and

Whereas, Health & Medical Education Department vide government Order No.542-JK(HME) of 2023 dated 28.06.2023 issued final Seniority list of Assistant Controller Drug / Assistant Drug Analyst as it stood on 28.06.2023;-

Whereas, All the officers mentioned in the said seniority list have either been regularized/confirmed as Deputy Drugs Controller/Drugs Analyst vide Government Order No. 981- JK(HME) of 2023 dated 04.12.2023, on the recommendations of DPC/PSC, or have retired from the service or opted UT of Ladakh vide Government Order No. 1212-JK(GAD) of 2021 dated 15.11.2021.

Whereas, on the recommendations of DPC/PSC, the Health & Medical Education Department vide Government order No.596-JK(HME) of 2026 dated 31.07.2026 has issued regularization/promotion order in respect ,(13) I/C Assistant Controller Drugs /Assistant Drugs Analyst of J&K Drugs & Food Control (Gazetted) Service as Assistant Controller Drugs /Assistant Drugs Analyst; and-

Whereas, in order to update the seniority list of Assistant Controller Drugs /Assistant Drug Analyst of Jammu & Kashmir Drugs & Food Control (Gazetted) Service, it has become imperative to include the recently promoted Assistant Controller Drugs/Assistant Drug Analyst in the seniority list at an appropriate places ;and-

Whereas, the updating and revision of seniority subsequently necessitates for notifying the Tentative Seniority list of Assistant Controller Drugs/Assistant Drug Analyst of Jammu & Kashmir Drugs & Food Control (Gazetted) Service for seeking objections for the concerned stakeholders ;

Now, therefore, a Tentative Seniority list of Assistant Controller Drugs /Assistant Drug Analyst of Jammu and Kashmir Drugs and Food Control (Gazetted) Service, is hereby notified as per Annexure "A" for inviting objections, if any, from the members of the service within 15 days from the date of issuance of this Notification, with the following conditions:-

1. That the concerned member shall submit his/her objection, if any, within the stipulated period of time supporting his/her claim with documentary evidence/proof. After the expiry of prescribed time limit, objections(s) from the stakeholder shall not be entertained and Final Seniority list will be issued.
2. That the date of birth reflected against the officers in the Seniority list, shall not be taken an authentic and shall be subject to verification from the service book/DOB certificate/other relevant record of the concerned employees as envisaged under rules and
3. The Reserved Category status reflected against the officers/employees in the Tentative Seniority List shall be subject to its authentication and verification from the competent issuing authority. In case the Reserved Category Certificate furnished by an Officer/Employee is found fake/false later-on/at any stage, the same shall be deemed to have been cancelled ab-initio and all the benefits which the officer/employee would have availed on the basis of such fake/false certificate shall stand withdrawn from the date of receipt/availing of such benefit(s) by him/her. Besides, disciplinary action under rules shall also be initiated against the officer/employee concerned. .
4. The Tentative Seniority List shall be without prejudice to the final outcome of writ petitions(s) if any, pending in any competent court of law. The Tentative Seniority list is also accessible on the official website of the Department at <https://hme.jk.gov.in>

Sd/-
DIP/J-9474/26. Dated: 03-09-2026 (M.Raju)IAS
Commissioner/Secretary to Government
No. HME-HRM/19/2022(132749) Dated:- -08-2026

Annexure "A" Notification dated:- 24-08-2026

S. No.	Name of the officer. Mr./Ms	Qualification	Date of Birth	Date of Retirement	Date of regularization as Assistant Controller/ Assistant Drug Analyst
1.	Tabasum Wani	B. Pharma	23.01.1963	31.01.2023	06.08.2020 to 31.01.2023
2.	Rajesh Kumar	B.Pharma	29.12.1968	31.12.2028	06.08.2020
3.	Sanjeew Kumar Gupta	B.Pharma	07.12.1969	31.12.2029	17.01.2022
4.	Arvind Kumar Sharma	B.Pharma	06.09.1968	30.09.2028	17.01.2022 to 31.12.2025
5.	Reem Gazala Khateeb	B.Pharma	04.05.1974	31.05.2034	17.01.2022
6.	Archana Mijoo	B.Pharma	08.10.1978	31.10.2038	18.10.2022
7.	Nazir Ahmad Dar (RBA)	B.Pharma	01.10.1976	31.10.2036	18.10.2022
8.	Humaira Yousuf Shawl	B.Pharma	27.08.1978	31.08.2038	12.01.2023
9.	Pankaj Malhotra	B.Pharma	12.08.1984	31.08.2044	12.01.2023
10.	Tasneem Ara	B.Pharma	11.03.1981	31.03.2041	12.01.2023
11.	Rumeesa Mohammad	B.Pharma	10.11.1979	30.11.2039	01.02.2023
12.	Nageena Akhter	B.Pharma	09.08.1964	31.08.2024	30.05.2024 to 31.08.2024
13.	Shibeer Ahmad Bhat	B.Pharma	01.08.1974	31.08.2034	01.01.2026

(Dr. Murtaza Rashid) IAS
Deputy Secretary to the Government

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER PWD (R&B) DIVISION BASOHLI

CORRIGENDUM FOR CANCELLATION OF WORKS

Sub: NIT S.No.1-Macadamization of road from Hansa Bhullari road to Chowmri Shiv Mandir (Under City & Town) (Capex Budget 2026-27).
NIT S.No.2-Macadamization of Siara Jourian Mata ji road Km.4th (Under City & Town)(Capex Budget 2026-27).

Reference: e-NIT No.65 of 2026-27 Dated 18-08-2026.

Due to poor response, the above noted work of above referred NIT is hereby cancelled.

The fresh tender shall be invited shortly.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer
PWD (R&B) Division
Basohli

DIP/J-9446/26. Dated: 03-09-2026

Government of Jammu & Kashmir Union Territory OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER PWD (R&B) DIVISION SATWARI, JAMMU

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

SHORT E-NITNO.68OF2026-27DATED:-01/09/2026

For and on behalf of the Lieutenant Governor of Union Territory of J&K - tenders are invited on percentage basis from the eligible consultant's registration with Council of Architecture (CoA) India for the below mentioned works:-

S. No	Name of Work	Estimated Cost (In lacs)	Cost of T/Doc. (In Rs.)	Earnest money @ 2% of Advertised Cost	Time of completion	Time & Date of Opening of tender (Technical Bid)
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.
1	Consultancy for "Construction of SC Ghou Manahasan and demolishing of old building" (2nd Call)	1.55	600/-	3,100	20 days	15-09-2026
2	Consultancy for "Construction of Indoor Stadium, Multipurpose Hall and Allied Sports Infrastructure at Khel Parisar Khanpur, Gole Gujral, Jammu"	12.27	600/-	24,540	20 days	15-09-2026
3	Consultancy for "Construction of 03 ACRs Examination Hall, Toilet Complex for Boys and Girls Staff at Govt. Model HSS Marh"	1.98	600/-	3,960	20 days	15-09-2026

Position of AAA = Accorded

1	Date of publishing of Tender Notice	01-09-2026 from 1800 Hrs
2	Period of downloading of bid documents	01-09-2026 from 1800 Hrs
3	Bid submission Start Date	01-09-2026 from 1800 Hrs
4	Bid Submission End Date	14-09-2026 upto 1600 Hrs
5	Date & time of opening of Technical Bids (Online)	15-09-2026 after 1300 Hrs.
6	Date & time of opening of Financial Bids (Online)	To be notified after technical bid evaluation is completed.

1. The Bidding documents consisting of qualifying information, eligibility criteria, terms and conditions and other details can be seen/downloaded from the website www.jktenders.gov.in.
 2. Bidders shall upload EMD in the shape of CDR/FDR duly pledged to the Executive Engineer, PWD (R&B) Division Satwari, Jammu. The Earnest Money Deposit (2% of the Advertised Cost of the tender) from all the bidders in the shape of CDR/FDR before evaluation of technical bids and shall be released after submission of performance security @ 3% of the quoted rate by the bidder.
 3. Cost of tender document: Bid must be accompanied with cost of tender document in shape of Treasury Challan/receipt issued after date of issuance of e-NIT under MH 0059-Rev mentioning the name of work otherwise will not be accepted for which the tender fee was deposited in favour of Executive Engineer, PWD (R&B) Division Satwari, Jammu. Copy of receipt of cost of tender documents should be uploaded on official website www.jktenders.gov.in upto the specified bid submission date and time.
 4. Timeschedule: The work, as per "Scope of work" should be completed in 15 days.
 5. Clarification: Bidder can seek clarification to the RFP document by writing a email id:- xenpdsatwari2023@gmail.com or from the office of Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Division Satwari, Jammu on any working day.
 6. Instruction to bidders regarding tendering process. Bidders are advised to download bid submission manual from the "Downloads" option as well as from "Bidders Manual Kit" on website to acquaint bid submission process. To participate in bidding process, bidders have to get "Digital Signature Certificate (DSC)" as per Information Technology Act-2000. Bidders can get digital certificate from any approved vendors. The bidders have to submit their bid online in electronic format with digital Signature. No financial bid will be accepted in physical form. Bids will be opened online as per timeschedule mentioned in NIT. Bidders must ensure to upload scanned copy of all necessary documents mentioned in NIT and SBD with technical bid.
- Note: Scan the documents on 100 dpi with black and white option.
7. The department will not be responsible for delay in online submission due to any reasons.
 8. Validity: The offer shall remain valid for a period of 60 days (sixty) from the date of opening of financial bid.
 9. The date and time of opening of financial bid shall be notified on website www.jktenders.gov.in and conveyed to the bidders automatically through an e-mail message on their e-mail address. The financial Bids of Responsive bidders shall be in the office of Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Division Satwari, Jammu. The date for same shall be intimated separately.

No: XEN/SAT/PWD/2026-27/
Dated:

DIP/J-9391/26. Dated: 03-09-2026

Sd/
Executive Engineer
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