

BIS Holds Awareness Camp for Jewellery Dealers in Katra

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Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), Jammu & Kashmir Branch Office (JKBO), conducted an awareness camp for gold and silver jewellery dealers at Katra today, in collaboration with the Directorate of Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs (FCS&CA), Jammu and the Legal Metrology Department, Jammu.

The programme aimed to create awareness among jewellery dealers regarding the BIS Hallmarking Scheme, applicable standards, and various BIS initiatives related to quality assurance and consumer protection.

During the programme, Sh. Vesalapu Avinash Babu, Scientist-D/Joint Di-



rector, BIS JKBO, provided detailed information on the BIS Hallmarking Scheme, including the importance

of hallmarking, purity of precious metal jewellery, and the role of BIS in ensuring quality and transparency in the jewellery sector. He also briefed the participants about various BIS activities and initiatives being undertaken for the promotion of standards and protection of consumer interests.

Officials from the Directorate of FCS&CA, Jammu, and the Legal Metrology Department, Jammu, also interacted with the jewellery dealers and apprised them of the relevant regulatory requirements and the importance of compliance with applicable provisions. The interaction provided an opportunity for the jewellery dealers to raise their queries and seek clarification on matters related to hallmarking, standards and regulatory compliance.

Power shutdown JAMMU, SEPTEMBER 16: Chief Engineer (Distribution) JPDCL Jammu has informed that the power supply to Bajalta and adjoining areas will remain affected on September 17 from 7 am to 12 noon.

Similarly, the power supply to Chenani, Narsoo, Sewna, Latti, Dudu, Kud, Mada, Mantlai, Sudh Mahadev and adjoining areas will remain affected on September 17 from 8 am to 2 pm.

Likewise, the power supply to Sheetla Mandir, Dabbar Generation Colony, Housing Colony, Shiv Nagar, Adarsh Colony and Dak Bunglow will remain affected on September 18 from 8 am to 2 pm.

Similarly, the power supply to Kishtwar town and adjoining areas will remain affected on September 19 and 20 from 6 am to 12 noon.

Meanwhile, Superintending Engineer, O&M Circle JPDCL Kishtwar has informed that the power supply to Gathi Morh, Chinta, Bhalra, Kapra, Manwa and adjoining areas will remain affected on September 17 from 10 am to 3 pm.

Billawaria, conducts on-site inspection of various ongoing development works in Gangyal

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Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) Jammu & Kashmir General Secretary and former Deputy Mayor of Jammu, Baldev Singh Billawaria, conducted an on-site inspection of various ongoing development works in the Gangyal area of the RS Pura-Jammu South Assembly constituency.

During the visit, Billawaria reviewed the progress of the ongoing works and interacted with concerned officials and executing agencies to take detailed feedback regarding the quality, progress and timely completion of the projects.

Speaking on the occasion, Billawaria said that under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Jammu & Kashmir has witnessed a new momentum in development, while strengthening public amenities remains a key priority of the government. He emphasized that development works related to roads, drains, drainage systems, sanitation, street lighting and other basic civic facilities must translate into tangible benefits for the common people.

He directed the concerned officials to ensure



that there is no compromise whatsoever with the quality of development works and that all projects are completed within the stipulated timelines. He further stressed that every development work undertaken with public money must be carried out with transparency, accountability and responsibility.

Billawaria also interacted with local residents, listened to their concerns and suggestions, and took up the issues raised by them with the concerned authorities, stressing the need for effective and timely action

for their resolution. He said that the BJP's commitment is not merely limited to announcing development schemes, but to ensuring that the actual benefits of development reach the last person in society.

He emphasized that better coordination among elected representatives, administration and the public is essential to make Jammu a modern, clean, convenient and developed city.

Billawaria reiterated that his efforts towards accelerating development and addressing public concerns in the area would continue

with full dedication.

Local residents and social workers expressed their gratitude to Billawaria for taking personal initiative to review the development works and raise issues concerning the people with the authorities. They said that such regular interaction and on-ground monitoring would further strengthen public confidence in the development process.

Those present on the occasion included Ranjit Singh, Punjab Singh, Subhash Chaudhary, Mukh Raj, Hardeep Singh and Om Nath.

NHM Employees Ongoing Strike Enters 8th Day Across J&K

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Under the banner of the UT Level Coordination Committee of NHM Employees J&K, National Health Mission (NHM) employees across Jammu Division today observed the 8th day of the ongoing strike-cum-protest, with continued participation and solidarity from employees working under various NHM programmes and categories.

The protests continued at District and Block Headquarters across Jammu Division under the leadership of Provincial President, JKNHMEA Jammu Division, Dr. Vikas Sharma. NHM employees including Doctors, Paramedical and Management Staff, besides employees associated with NTEP and other NHM schemes, participated in the protest programme.

On the 8th day of the agitation, employees once again reiterated their long-pending demands, including a comprehensive job policy, job security, golden handshake, retirement and social security benefits, EPF coverage for all eligible categories, loyalty benefits for left-out NHM employees, and other genuine issues concerning their service and future.



vice and future.

The employees stated that their continued participation despite the prolonged agitation reflects their unity, patience and determination to seek a secure, dignified and equitable future after years of dedicated service to the healthcare system of Jammu & Kashmir.

The Association has welcomed the reported initiative of Hon'ble Chief Minister J&K, Mr. Omar Abdullah, who has acknowledged that the protesting employees' concerns are genuine and has invited the protesting NHM employees for table-talk and dialogue for an early resolution of their long-pending demands.

The Association termed the initiative as a positive and constructive step and expressed its readiness to participate in the proposed dialogue with an open mind and in the spirit of

mutual understanding.

Chief Spokesperson, All JKNHMEA Jammu Division, Dr. Hamid Parray, said that the Association welcomes the Hon'ble Chief Minister's willingness to engage with the protesting employees and expressed hope that the dialogue would pave the way for a meaningful and time-bound resolution of their genuine concerns.

"We welcome the initiative of the Hon'ble Chief Minister to invite the protesting NHM employees for table-talk. Our objective has always been a peaceful and meaningful resolution of our long-pending demands. We are ready for dialogue and sincerely hope that the discussions will lead to concrete steps towards resolving the issues concerning job security, social security and the future of NHM employees," Dr. Parray said.

Dr. Parray further stated that NHM employees have continued to maintain peace, discipline and unity throughout the agitation and remain committed to

resolving their grievances through democratic and constructive dialogue.

"NHM employees have served the healthcare system of Jammu & Kashmir for years, including in difficult and far-flung areas. We are not seeking confrontation; we are seeking a secure and dignified future. If the Government is ready to sit with us and discuss our genuine demands, we are equally ready to come to the table in the interest of an early and positive resolution," he added.

He also appealed to all NHM employees to maintain complete unity, discipline and peaceful conduct throughout the ongoing agitation.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, REW POONCH

TERM NOTICE INVITING TENDER

e-NIT No. 111 of REW POONCH 2026-27 Dated:-12-09-2026 1st Call

For & on behalf of the Lt. Governor of Jammu & Kashmir Union Territory, the Executive Engineer REW Division Poonch, as his representative invites tenders by e-tendering mode from approved and eligible contractors registered with J&K Union Territory Govt/CPWD/MES for the following work under:

S. No	Name of Work	Name of Division	Estt. Cost (Rs in lacs)	Cost of document (in Rs)	Earnest Money (in Rs)	Allowed for completion-	Time and date of opening of tender	Class of Contractor	Position of Funds
1	BiPath From thangka main road to Shaktian to Chaur Wali- Pyl. Kalaban-Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27	Executive Engineer REW Division Poonch	1.49	200	2980	30 days	(1000 Hrs) on or after 21-09-2026 in the office of Executive Engineer REW Division Poonch	DEE	
2	Tractor Road from Main road to Zairat Moh Sayidan at W.no.2 Pyl. Kalaban-Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.49	200	2980	30 days			
3	BiPath From Main road to Masjid Baniya waki w.no.4 Pyl. Kalaban-Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.64	200	3280	30 days			
4	R/Wall Near Moh Bhokaran near qasam at W.no.5 Pyl. Kalaban-Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.98	200	3960	30 days			
5	Bathroom near house of mohd arfeen w.no.5 Pyl. Kalaban-Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		2.70	200	5400	30 days			
6	Up-gradation of Community Hall Near Zairat Peer Kalu Shah Moh Jalani at W.no.7 Pyl. Kalaban-Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		4.84	300	9680	30 days			
7	Title work of ziarat moh. Gali W No 2 Pyl. Ari Qasab Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.69	200	3380	30 days			
8	Title work of ziarat chrag wali W No 3 Pyl. Ari Qasab Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.69	200	3380	30 days			
9	Development of Ziarat W No 4 Pyl. Ari Qasab Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.49	200	2980	30 days			
10	Development of Ziarat Moh. Lass W No 1 Pyl. Ari Qasab Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.49	200	2980	30 days			
11	Dev of Graveyard Moh. Poswallan Pyl. Ari Qasab Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27	Executive Engineer REW Division Poonch	1.59	200	3180	30 days	(1000 Hrs) on or after 21-09-2026 in the office of Executive Engineer REW Division Poonch	DEE	Partially Available Demand
12	Tractor Road Moh. Katana W No 7 Pyl. Ari Qasab Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.99	200	3980	30 days			
13	Piwork at Mohalla Qureshi W.No. 10 Pyl. Kotan Kandi Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		0.99	200	1980	30 days			
14	Development of Graveyard at Mohalla Sari w.no.8 Pyl. Kotan Kandi Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		0.99	200	1980	30 days			
15	Protection Wall at Graveyard w.no.3 mohalla Guparan Pyl. Kotan Kandi Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		0.99	200	1980	30 days			
16	Water Tank near abdul Hamid Mohalla Magran w.no.2 Pyl. Kotan Kandi Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.00	200	2000	30 days			
17	Construction of Bi-path and Title Work from Hio Hai Near to Chetti Bella W.No.07 Pyl. Kotan Kandi Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.00	200	2000	30 days			
18	Footpath Main Road to Sadwala Near Rajayaz and Others Ward no.3 Pyl. Kotan Kandi Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.19	200	2380	30 days			
19	Construction of road Mohalla Bajaran w.no.8 Pyl. Kotan Kandi Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.30	200	2600	30 days			
20	Construction of water tank Near Mandir w.no.8 Pyl. Kotan Kandi Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		1.00	200	2000	30 days			
21	PiWork/Drain (Pacca) Mohalla Gureshan W.No. 03 No. Tariq Qureshi Pyl. Bhatala Block Mendhar Under PRI Grant Year 2026-27		4.00	300	8000	30 days			

NOTE:

The Contractors registered with DDC, Poonch in reference to GOVT. Order No: 238-F of 2021, Dated 07-09-2021 can participate upto an amount of Rs 3.00 Lacs, in local Panchayat works.

1. After opening of the tender if the lowest bidder are found to be high & value of work is more than the advertised cost, he/she is advised to negotiate higher quoted rates with the department / or further consent within five days after the opening of the tenders, failing which the work shall be put to fresh tender.

2. Vide Finance Department Circular No. 01 (Adm) FD of 2025 Dated:- 08-07-2025. Every participating supplier/contractor to mandatory disclose the bank account number which is linked with their GSTIN at the time of bid submission no payments shall be released by the Government Department/Agency to any other bank account except the one linked with the GST registered number of the successful bidder.

3. In Pursuant to Finance Department of J&K Government Order No: 238-F of 2021 Dated:- 07-09-2021 issued vide endorsement No. FD-Code/327/2021-22 Dated:- 07-09-2021, (The Participation Rules for District Capex Works) shall be as under. The participation in the tendering process of works up to an amount of Rs. 3.00 lakhs is restricted to resident of concerned Panchayat only in 1st Call, for subsequent call the bidders from adjoining Panchayats can participate too, after production of the residence proof certificate for local bidders or adjoining area certificate issued from Concerned BDO's, as the case may be under his seal & signature or the authorised representative of Block Development officer with dispatch no. & date, as per the below enclosed format and after 3rd call the participation is open to all for participation. Moreover other than District Capex works the participation is open for all bidders.

Residence Certificate for Tender Participation

This is to certify that Mr./Ms. (Full Name), S/D/W of (Parent/Guardian Name), is a permanent resident of:

Village/Ward:

Panchayat:

Block:

District:

State:

His/her residence has been verified and found genuine for the purpose of participating in government tendering processes.

Adjoining Panchayats

The applicant's Panchayat is bordered by the following adjoining Panchayats:

1.

2.

3. etc.

Total adjoining Panchayats: written in words and digits to prevent tampering) (Any alteration in this section invalidates the certificate)

4. Bid must be accompanied with cost of Tender Document in shape of Treasury Challan Debited to MH.0515 REW and earnest money in the shape of CDR @ 2% of the advertised cost in favour of Executive Engineer REW Division Poonch failing which the tender will be rejected outright. The tender fee will be accepted only in the form of Treasury Voucher and No other mean or other mean will be accepted. It is mandatory to mention the name of work, e-NIT No on Treasury Challan. The date of the Earnest Money & Tender fee must be between the date of start of bid and Bid submission date) pledged to Executive Engineer REW Division Poonch.

5. Successful bidder will submit 3% additional performance security in the shape of CDR/FR/ B.G. The total 5% will be released after completion of defect liability period of the work.

6. As per Order issued by this office vide No. XEN/REW/P/4058-61 Dated:-21-02-2025. The Extra CDRs shall be released after successful completion of works.

7. The lowest bidder shall have to provide the CDR/FR/B.G. within weeks' time for the issuance of allotment failing which he/she will be recommended for block listing. The CDR issue date to be uploaded, shall not before the date of e-NIT and no other CDR shall be accepted as replacement, under rules.

8. The successful bidder / Contractor who fails to start work within seven (07 Days) from the date of issuance of Allotment will be imposed a penalty of Rs 200 / Day starting from 8th day, deductible from the running/interim bills of contractor.

9. The tender receiving authority reserves the right to accept or reject any tender or all tender without assigning any reason there off.

10. No tender document will be accepted displaying firm/company name without proprietor name against which the tender documents will be submitted.

11. After opening of Financial bid, within 05 days, if the successful bidder doesn't approach with the CDR, the 2nd lowest bidder, shall be approached for the negotiation and allotment of work at rates quoted by 1.

12. The already defaulted contractors are not allowed to participate in any tendering work of REW Division Poonch.

13. Subletting of allotted work is not allowed and will attract strict legal action, even cancellation of contract with imposition of costs and penalty etc. If any successful bidder found involved in some of any stage.

NOTE: No PRI member shall be allowed to take part in tendering process

1	Date of Issue of Tender Notice	12-09-2026
2	Period of downloading of bidding documents	From 12-09-2026 to 19-09-2026, 1855 Hrs
3	Bid submission Start Date	12-09-2026 from 1855 Hrs onwards
4	Bid submission End Date	19-09-2026 up to 1855 Hrs
5	Date & time of opening of Technical Bids (Online) (in case of holiday, the bid shall be opened on next day)	21-09-2026 on or after 1000 Hrs in the Office of the Executive Engineer REW, Poonch
6	Date & time of opening of Financial Bids (Online) (if only successful technical bidders)	To be notified after technical bid evaluation is completed

1. The bids for the work shall remain valid for a period of 120 days from the date of opening of Technical bids.

2. The earnest money shall be forfeited, if:

a) Any bidder/tenderer withdraws his bid/tender during the period of bid validity or makes any modifications in the terms and conditions of the bid.

b) Failure of Successful bidder to furnish the required performance security within specified time period.

c) In case contractor fails to execute the agreement within 28 days after fixation of contract.

3. Instruction to bidders regarding e-tendering process.

4. Bidders are advised to download bid submission manual from the "Downloads" option as well as from "Bidders Manual KP" on website <https://www.jktenders.gov.in/> to acquaint bid submission process.

OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION:

1. Position of A.A.A. : Accorded

2. Position of T.S. : Accorded

3. Position of Funds : Partially Available/Demanded

Sd/-
Executive Engineer
Rural Engineering Wing, Poonch

No:- XEN/REW/P/1458-64
Dated:-12-09-2026

DIP/J-10614/26
Dt: 16-09-2026

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL GOVT. NURSING COLLEGE UDHAMPUR

(www.principalgncudhampur.co.in)

Subject:- Invitation of Offline Applications for Admission to left over seats for B.Sc Nursing Course for the Session 2026-27 in Govt. Nursing College Udhampur.

Reference:- President J and K Nursing Council Notification No.:- JKNC-26/157/1400-1409, dated:- 11-09-2026

ADVERTISEMENT NOTICE

In pursuance to the subject and reference cited above, Applications in prescribed format are invited from eligible/desirous candidates for admission against left over seats in B.Sc Nursing Course under various Categories for the session 2026-27 in Govt. Nursing College Udhampur.

The applications completed in all respects may be submitted to the Office of the undersigned by applicant personally in Physical form w.e.f 15-09-2026 to 19.09.2026 (during Office Hours). The application only of those candidates will be accepted who have appeared in the Entrance Test conducted by J&K BOPEE for admission to B.Sc. Nursing Course for Session 2026-27.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Admission of the above mentioned course is strictly as per the Eligibility Criteria laid down by Indian Nursing Council, J&K Board of Profession Entrance Examination (JKBOPEE) on its website for the Session 2026-27 through various Notifications for the admission to the aforementioned course.

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED

The self attested copies of the following documents are required to be enclosed with the Application form:-

1. 10th Mark Sheet with Diploma (DOB)

2. 12th Mar Sheet

3. Domicile Certificate

4. Valid Category Certificate issued by the Competent Authority (if any)

5. One Passport Size Photograph affixed on the Application Form

6. Copy of JKBOPEE Entrance Result of the concerned candidate/applicant.

Note: Incomplete form shall be rejected.

No: PRINC/GNC/Udh/1077-81
Dated: 14.09.2026

Sd/-
Principal
Govt Nursing College
Udhampur.

DIP/J-10585/26 Dated: 16-09-2026

Jammu and Kashmir Power Transmission corporation Ltd.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER

TRANSMISSION LINE MAINTENANCE DIVISION-I

JKPTCL, JANIPUR, JAMMU

Telephone : (0191) 2536504

No.: TLMD-I/J/1847-49 Date:14/09/2026

EXTENTION NOTICE - 03

Due to poor response for e-NIT No: TLMD-I/J/14 of 2026-27 dated: 07-08-2026 floated by this office under endorsement no.: TLMD-I/J/1461-64 dated:07-08-2026, for the work of "Replacement of 132 KV CT Set, 132KV PT Set & operating assemblies of 33KV VCB, ABB Make (3No.s) at GSS Janipur" for JKPTCL Jammu."

The dates for downloading & submission of tender are further extended as under:

A	e-Bid submission (end) date & time	24-09-2026 (12:00 Hrs).
B	Online Commercial and Technical e-Bid opening date & Time	26-09-2026 at 14:00 Hrs
C	Venue for opening of technical & commercial e-Bids	Office of Executive Engineer, TLMD-I, JKPT-CL, Jammu, Pin Code - 180007

All other terms & conditions of the above tender shall remain the same

DIP/J-2237-P/26
Dated: 16-09-2026

Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
TLMD-I, JKPTCL, Jammu