

Ladakh's Sacred Art Documented in New Book, Unveiled by LG Vinai Kumar Saxena

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JAMMU, OCT 03

Lieutenant Governor of Ladakh Vinai Kumar Saxena on Friday unveiled Sacred Art of Ladakh: Fading Treasures, a coffee-table book by industrialist, explorer and photographer Shreekant Somany, at The Grand Dragon Ladakh in Leh.

Published by Niyogi Books, the book documents Ladakh's rich Buddhist art, architecture and spiritual traditions through photographs and scholarly insights from 16 sacred and historic sites,



including Lamayuru, Thiksey, Hemis and Leh Mangyu, Sumda, Wanla, Palace.

The book is the outcome of Somany's nine journeys to Ladakh over more than four decades, beginning in 1981

. His photographs capture ancient murals, sculptures, monasteries, caves, forts and other heritage sites facing deterioration due to age and environmental conditions.

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Director Horticulture Jammu Gul Syed on Saturday flagged off an inter-district exposure tour of 30 farmers, with a special focus on women entrepreneurs, from the Chief Canning Instructor Office, Jammu.

The programme was organised under the guidance of the Director, with Chief Horticulture Officer Jammu R.K. Kotwal coordinating the initiative in collaboration with Chief Canning Instructor Sanjeev Karlupia. Manager-cum-Chemist Shrestha Gaur and other departmental officials were also present.

The tour aims to familiarise farmers with modern horticultural techniques, fruit processing, value addition, scientific preservation, packaging and marketing practices to improve productivity and generate additional income.



INDIA alliance to hold joint March to Save Democracy on Oct 7 in Jammu

JAMMU, OCTOBER 03: Congress, NC,PDP, NPPI today announced to jointly hold "Save Democracy " march in Jammu on Oct 7th besides holding similar march in different Districts between 4th to 8th Oct to expose Vote Chori by BJP, seeking removal of CEC Gyanesh Kumar.

Addressing a joint press conference here today at PCC HQ Rajiv Bhawan Shahedi Chowk Jammu, Senior leaders of Congress, NC and PDP announced the holding of protest march in Jammu on Oct 7 as part of first phase of nationwide campaign of IN-

DIA Block to save democracy ,launched from Oct 2nd,Gandhi Jyanti. Earlier a meeting of senior leaders of INDIA alliance parties including Working President JKPC Shri Raman Bhalla, Former minister Mula Ram, Chief Spokesperson Ravinder Sharma, Provincial Presi-



dent JKNC Ratan Lal Gupta, Ex MLC Sheikh Bashir Ahmed; Ram Paul Sharma; Rajinder Singh Manhas and Sat Pal Charak of PDP and Gagan Pratap Singh of NPPI was held at PCC HQ Shaeedi Chowk Jammu to discuss the schedule of Protests in different Districts as per decision taken in the meeting of INDIA Block in Delhi on September 30th. The meeting lasted for two hours followed by a press conference.

Senior Leaders of INDIA alliance announced that the like minded opposition parties have decided to jointly fight against " Vote Chori " carried out by ruling BJP through the manipulations in the electoral system under CEC Gyanesh Kumar and seek his removal besides other illegalities and theft of right to vote.

They said that Democracy is under threat in the country as exposed by the consistent efforts of LOP Shri Rahul Gandhi and entire opposition and vindicated by the media expose recently.

Over 13 .30 Cr voters have been deleted through

an illegal and arbitrary SIR exercise,depriving the genuine and eligible people from their precious right to vote.

It has been established beyond doubt and people are largely convinced that BJP government is involved in large scale vote chori and hijacking of elections system and democracy in the country.

Seeking removal of CEC Gyanesh Kumar and streamlining of the entire electoral system and the Independence and fairness of elections and impartial ECI,the parties have come together to fight for the cause of " Vote Bachao-Desh Bachao" campaign.

Opposition MPs will march to Election Commission Office in Delhi on Oct 6th,followed by seeking an appointment with President of India besides holding five mega rallies in different parts of country, they disclosed.

They also reiterated the demand for the early restoration of statehood to J&K and said that people are highly resentful over the delay in granting statehood by the BJP government at the centre.

Enforcement Wing Agri Deptt reviews measures to strengthen quality control of Inputs

JAMMU, OCTOBER 3: A comprehensive review meeting of the Enforcement Wing of the Agriculture Department, Jammu, was held today under the supervision of Director Law Enforcement, J&K, S. Balbir Singh, to review ongoing enforcement activities and strengthen the quality control mechanism for agricultural inputs across the Jammu Division.

The meeting was attended by Assistant Director Law Enforcement, Jammu, S. Kuldeep Singh along with Law Enforcement Inspectors from different districts of the Jammu Division.

The meeting focused on reviewing enforcement activities and ensuring the availability of standard and quality-certified seeds, pesticides and fertilizers to farmers. Detailed deliberations were held on measures to curb the sale and

distribution of misbranded, spurious and substandard agricultural inputs and to ensure strict compliance with the provisions of relevant Acts and Rules.

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GOVT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF EDUCATION OFFICER UDHAMPUR
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NO:- CEOU/GA/ 44739-90
Dated:- 01-10-2026
Sub: - Counselling of Cluster Resource Coordinators (CRCs) for the academic session 2026-27.
Ref:- This Office Notification No. CEOU/CRC/2026-27/42678-83 dated: 22-09-2026.

NOTICE
It is hereby informed that all candidates who have been enlisted in the merit list vide this office notification No. CEOU/CRC/2026-27/42678-83 dated: 22-09-2026 and whose names appear in the subject-wise merit lists enclosed as Annexures, for the post of Cluster Resource Coordinators for Teaching Support for the academic session 2026-27 (ending on 31-03-2027), are required to appear before the Screening Committee in respect of District Udhampur on 05-10-2026 at 11:30 AM sharp at venue : Conference Hall CEO OFFICE UDHAMPUR along with all the original testimonials/ 01 set of self – attested photocopies of all uploaded documents/ 02 passport size photographs. Any candidate having any objection regarding the merit list may approach this office on 03-10-2026. No claim or objection shall be entertained thereafter.
DATE: 05.10.2026 (Monday)

S. No	Subject	S.no of the candidate as per updated merit list	Remarks
1	English	1-10	Annexure "A"
2	Economics	1-5	Annexure "B"
3	Physics	1-5	Annexure "C"
1	EVS	1-5	Annexure "D"
2	Urdu	1-5	Annexure "E"
3	Mathematics	1-5	Annexure "F"

DIP/J-11697/26. Dated: 03.10.2026

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF EDUCATION OFFICER, UDHAMPUR
Subject: English (Annexure A)

S.No	DOMICILE DISTRICT	Name	Parentage	Contact No.(10 digits)	Total Points	Remarks
1	Udhampur	Anjali Sharma	Sudesh kumar	6005623252	71.528	
2	Udhampur	NEHA Bandal	Mohan Singh Bandal	9622668585	70.58	
3	Udhampur	KIRAN LATA	GOVIND SINGH	9797542407	67.12	
4	Udhampur	Zahida kousar	D/o Abdul Ghani	7006096332	64.12	
5	Udhampur	Bhriqun Sawhney	Rakesh Sawhney	7051201436	62.64	
6	Udhampur	Divya Sharma	Narinder Kumar	9906901584	62	
7	Udhampur	Nidhi Thakur	Krishan Lal Majhal	9622311447	61.44	
8	Udhampur	Asiya Lone	Farooq Ahmed	7780858135	61.4	
9	Udhampur	Izina saleem	wazir mohd	7006834785	61.4	
10	Udhampur	Sakshi Sharma	Sh Romesh Kumar	7889640750	59.52	

Subject: Economics (Annexure B)

S.No	DOMICILE DISTRICT	Name	Parentage	Contact No.(10 digits)	Total Points	Remarks
1	Udhampur	Gulzar singh	Sudesh kumar	6006940065	80.768	
2	Udhampur	Vanshika Gupta	Bindu Gupta & Rajesh Gupta	9682392800	71.99	
3	Udhampur	BARBIE GUPTA	SUNMATI GUPTA	8493813900	69.67	
4	Udhampur	Nesha	Heem Raj Sharma	6006543856	64.7	
5	Udhampur	Minerva sharma	Ashok kumar	9149628556	64.31	

Subject: Physics (Annexure C)

S.No	DOMICILE DISTRICT	Name	Parentage	Contact No.(10 digits)	Total Points	Remarks
1	Udhampur	Riya sharma	Vijay kumar	9103407829	70.68	
2	Udhampur	Bandhna Verma	D/o: Sh. Ram Krishan and Smt. Pushpa Devi	9149938366	69.52	
3	Udhampur	SOMIT KUMAR	PARAS RAM	7889607927	69	
4	Udhampur	Simran Sharma	Ganesh Dutt	7889618260	67.26	
5	Udhampur	Abhinash Chelotra	Madan Lal	7006274808	67.18	

Subject: EVS (Annexure D)

S.No	DOMICILE DISTRICT	Name	Parentage	Contact No.(10 digits)	Total Points	Remarks
1	Udhampur	Anisha Bajal	Madan Lal	7006055996	72.168	
2	Udhampur	Sonika Sharma	Anil kumar	6006280227	71.58	
3	Udhampur	Priya Sharma	Ram Paul Sharma	8492055897	67.032	
4	Udhampur	NEHA DEWAN	OM PARKASH	6005751232	64.664	
5	Udhampur	Uzma Tahir	Tahir Quyoom	9596133243	60.312	

Subject: Urdu (Annexure E)

S.No	DOMICILE DISTRICT	Name	Parentage	Contact No.(10 digits)	Total Points	Remarks
1	Udhampur	Altaf Ahmed	Mohd Sadiq	9682664704	80.36	
2	Udhampur	Anar singh	Amar nath	9149404630	75.52	
3	Udhampur	shehraz akhter	BASHIR KHAN	9797487211	71.488	
4	Udhampur	ADILA MALIK	MUSHTAQ AHMED	7006364377	67.396	
5	Udhampur	ARTI DEVI	JAGDISH CHANDER/SHEILA DEVI	7006583328	61.896	

Subject: Mathematics (Annexure F)

S.No	DOMICILE DISTRICT	Name	Parentage	Contact No.(10 digits)	Total Points	Remarks
1	Udhampur	Komal Kumari	Ravinder Kumar	8082211671	82.92	
2	Udhampur	SUDARSHAN KUMAR SHARMA	JAGDISH KUMAR	9103236656	76.08	
3	Udhampur	Pawan Singh	Lashu	6005341597, 80823 48525	75.56	
4	Udhampur	ASHISH GUPTA	PAWAN KUMAR	9797556480	75.4	
5	Udhampur	Tamanna	Vijay Kumar	7006967731	67.04	

Note:- The claim of the candidate who fails to appear in the counselling session on the allotted date, for the said post shall be forfeited and the same post will be allotted to the next candidate falling in the merit list as per criteria. Final merit will be decided after proper verification of original documents at the time of counselling.

UNION TERRITORY OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR
(IRRIGATION & FLOOD CONTROL DEPARTMENT)
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, TUBE-WELL Irr. DIVISION, JAMMU

e-NIT No. 29 OF 2026-27

For and on behalf of the Lieutenant Governor of J&K Union Territory tenders are invited through e-tendering by the Executive Engineer, Tube-Well Irrigation Division Jammu in two cover system (Cover-Ist contain CDR/FDR & prequalification and Cover-IInd contain Price Bid). The tender is invited on percentage basis from approved, eligible and registered firms dealing with such jobs having good experience for the work mentioned below:

S. N o	Name of work	Estt. Cost (amt. in lac)	Earnest Money (Amt. in rupees)	Cost of Tender documents (Amt. in Rupees)	Time of completion	Bid Validity	Class of contract or
1	Improvement of Supply Channel between RD 0- 500M of Nikowal-1 Tubewell in Suchetgarh constituency District Jammu.	Rs 6,60,254/-	Rs13,205 /-	Rs 500/-	30 days	120 days	A, B, C & D Class

Position of AAA i) Accorded. (Vide Superintending Engineer Hyd Circle Jammu's Order No. SE/HYD/DB/291 of 2026-27 Dated: 14.09.2026

Position of Funds: Partially Available

Position of TS: Accorded

Name of Scheme/Project : 1/ Improvement of Supply Channel between RD 0- 500M of Nikowal-1 Tubewell in Suchetgarh constituency District Jammu.

Programme : UT CAPEX 2026-27

1) The Bidding documents consisting of specifications, eligibility criteria and other details can be seen/ downloaded from the website www.jktenders.gov.in as per the schedule given below

1) Date of Publishing of Tender Notice : 01-10-2026 (06:00 pm)

2) Date of downloading Tender Documents start : 01-010-2026 (06:00 pm)

3) Bid submission start date : 01-10-2026 (06:00 pm)

5) Bid submission end date : 15-10-2026 (2:00 pm)

5) Date and time of Bid opening : 16-10-2026 (12:00 Noon)

2) The complete Bidding process will be on line.

3) Bid must be accompanied by bid cost of Documents as mentioned above, in the form as specified in the bidding Documents. The cost of tender should be paid through challan simply remitting into treasury under MH 0702 and uploading treasury challan receipt alongwith tender.
(Note: The fee on account of downloaded bidding documents shall be acceptable in form of Treasury Challan under MH 0702. Further, bidders are requested to mention name of the work/ NIT No. on the particular challan. The treasury challan before date of publication of e-NIT shall not be accepted).

4) In light of Government Notification issued by Finance department Civil Secretariat vide no. A/24(2017)-651 dated:-07- 06-2018, the bidder must upload the copy of Challan/Receipt on account of cost of tender documents remitted in the treasury concerned. For that the bidders must write an application to be addressed to treasury officer concerned requesting therein for remittance of amount as cost of tender documents towards M.H 0702/Revenue (others) for the work.

5) Lowest Bidder i.e. L1 shall be intimated by auto electronic mode by e-tendering process to deposit the original copy of required earnest money in the shape of CDR/FDR, pledged to Executive Engineer, Tube-Well Irrigation Division, Jammu, Tender Documents fee in shape of Treasury Challan / Receipt and hard copies of all relevant documents as mentioned in clause of general instructions to the Bidders within 03 days from the date of opening of Financial Bids, in case the bidders fail to submit the same, even after issuing tender or If any bidder /tenderer withdraws his bid, the Earnest Money of such bidders shall be forfeited.

The Lowest Bidder i.e L1 shall submit a performance security @3% of the quoted cost in the form of CDR / FDR / Irrevocable Bank Guarantee duly pledged to Executive Engineer, Tube Well Irrigation Division Jammu, payable at Jammu before the award of contract. However, the 02% Earnest money deposit in the shape of CDR / FDR can be released on the submission of performance security.

The performance security shall be valid till the expiry of defect liability period and can be released thereafter subject to satisfactory performance of the job / work during the defect liability period.

6) The bids for the work shall remain open for acceptance for a period of 120 days from the date of opening of bids. If any bidder /tenderer withdraws his bid, the Earnest Money of such bidder shall be forfeited.

No: TWID/J/4065-4082
Dated:- 1-10-2026

DIP/J-11690/26. Dated: 03.10.2026

Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
Tube-Well Irrigation Division
Jammu