

ADC reviews status of public services, development works in Sub-Division Gandoh

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Additional Deputy Commissioner, Anil Kumar Thakur, during a tour to Gandoh Sub-Division, chaired a meeting in the office chamber of the SDM, to review the status of public services, road maintenance, electricity infrastructure, educational facilities and telecommunication services in the region.

Sub-Divisional Magistrate Arun Kumar Badyal along with officers from various line departments attended the meeting.

The Additional Deputy Commissioner directed the officers of the Public Works Department (R&B) and PMGSY to ensure proper maintenance of respective roads and take necessary measures to address road-related issues for the convenience and safety of the general public.

The Executive Engineer, JPDCL was directed to expedite the completion of pending cable work in areas where electric poles have already been erected and ensure timely completion of the work. The officers were also asked to coordinate with each other to resolve public grievances

and ensure the effective implementation of ongoing developmental works.

Reviewing the education sector, the Zonal Education Officer (ZEO) Gandoh was directed to conduct regular inspections of schools and ensure the proper implementation of the Mid-Day Meal scheme, maintaining prescribed standards of quality, hygiene and nutrition for students.

The concerned officers were further advised to monitor the functioning of their respective departments and take prompt action to address issues affecting the delivery of essential public services.

The Additional Deputy Commissioner also directed representatives from BSNL and private telecom service providers to take necessary measures to improve and ensure reliable mobile network connectivity across Sub-Division Gandoh, particularly in areas experiencing poor signal coverage.

SHIMLA, OCT 14: General Officer Commanding-in-Chief (GOC-in-C), ARTRAC Lt Gen Shrinjay Pratap Singh called on Governor Shri Kavinder Gupta at Lok Bhavan, Shimla, today. It was a courtesy call.

During the meeting, the Governor acknowledged the significant role played by the Indian Army in safeguarding the nation's borders, maintaining national security and upholding the



country's sovereignty and integrity. He also recognized the dedication, discipline and commitment of Army personnel in serving the nation under challenging conditions.

The interaction also highlighted the importance of the enduring relationship between the armed forces and the people of Himachal Pradesh, a State with a proud tradition of military service and sacrifice.

Workshop on Alternate Agriculture System under HADP held at Kathua



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A one-day workshop on Alternate Agriculture System under Project 16 of the Holistic Agriculture Development Programme (HADP) was organised today at the office of the Chief Agriculture Officer Kathua. The Workshop aimed to promote alternate farming practices and sensitise farmers about government support initiatives.

Deputy Commissioner Rajesh Sharma attended the workshop as the Chief Guest and inspected stalls set up by the Agriculture and Allied Departments, showcasing modern agricultural machinery and government initiatives.

Addressing the gathering, the DC emphasised crop diversification and adoption of modern farming practices to enhance farmers' income. Highlighting the potential of high-value crops such as strawberries and dragon fruit, he urged farmers, particularly those from Bani, Basohli, Billawar and the Kandi belt, to explore alternate farming options suited to local agro-climatic conditions.

He encouraged youth to explore agriculture and allied activities as viable livelihood opportunities and directed the Agriculture and Allied Departments to strengthen grassroots awareness about government schemes to ensure that eligible farmers benefit from various initiatives. He also highlighted the importance of Soil Health Cards in promoting balanced fertiliser use and scientific farming.

The DC congratulated the Agriculture Department for organising the workshop and stressed that the effectiveness of such initiatives

should be reflected in their implementation on the ground and tangible benefits to farmers.

The DC distributed Soil Health Cards among five farmers whose soil samples had been tested at the Soil Testing Laboratory, Chief Agriculture Office, Kathua. The beneficiaries included Chaman Lal Sharma, Devinder Singh Jasrotia, Mahender Nath Sharma, Rita Devi and Anjana Devi.

Earlier, Chief Agriculture Officer Jatinder Kumar Khajuria briefed the participants about the implementation of Project 16, informing that seven clusters are working for farmers' welfare. He also highlighted the establishment of 92 vermicompost units and two commercial vermicompost plants, besides Farm Field Schools to promote scientific farming practices.

District Agriculture Officer (Extension) Raj Singh and Head of Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK) Dr. Vishal Mahajan also spoke about modern agricultural techniques, crop diversification and government schemes for farmers.

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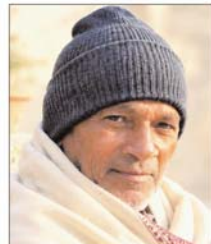
Chief Medical Supdt, Northern Railway, Jammu on the behalf of the President of India invites Expression of Interest on the prescribed form for the following work.

Name of work	Expression of interest from ESI/ ECHS/ CGHS empanelled/ non-empanelled private hospitals for empanelling name for treatment of patients of Health Unit/SVDK (Katra), Jammu and Kangra Valley section of Jammu Division.		
	Completion period	Two year from the date of commencement	Estimated cost of work
Earnest money	NA	Cost of application form by Cash/By post	NA
Place& time of submission of bids	Complete file should reach in the office of Chief Medical Supdt, N.Rly. Divisional Hospital/ Jammu one month from the date of the issue of notice time 13:00 Hrs.		
No.: Med/ JAT/ Recog./ JAT/ 2026		Date: 14.10.2026	

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CREMATION

With profound grief and sorrow we inform the sad demise of our beloved **Sh. Mohan Lal R/o H.no 333, Nai Basti, Jammu** who left for heavenly abode. **Cremation** will take place on **15-10-2026 (Thursday)** at **11:00 AM** at Shastri Nagar, Jammu. **GRIEF STICKEN**
Smt. Raj Devi - Wife
Smt. Sonia Devi w/o Sh. Pankaj Mehra - Daughter
M.: 7051904327, 9796601781



Sh. Mohan Lal

UNION TERRITORY OF JAMMU & KASHMIR OFFICE OF THE PROJECT OFFICERSOIL & WATER MANAGEMENT COMMAND AREA DEVELOPMENT JAMMU SHORT NOTICE INVITING TENDER e-NIT No.19 of 2026-27 Dated: 13-10-2026

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

S.N o.	Name of Work	Advertised Cost (Rupees in Lacs)	Cost of Document (Rupees)	Earnest Money	Time Allowed for completion	Time and Date of opening of Tender	Class of Contractor
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Name of the Project:- Construction of Field Channels on Pouni Khul, Khanyari Khul, Kund Khanyari Khul, Bhukkard Khul and others in Pouni Reasi CAD Project under NABARD Reasi CAD Project.							
1.	Construction of Field Channels on Pouni Khul, Khanyari Khul, Kund Khanyari Khul, Bhukkard Khul and others in Pouni Reasi CAD Project under NABARD Reasi CAD Project. Total Length RMT = 7898	190.40	3000/-	2% of the Advertised Cost (Rs 3.808 Lacs)	16 months (upto March 2028)	28-10-2026	"A" Class

Position of AAA :- Accorded
Position of TS :- Accorded
Major Head of Account :- 4401-Capital Outlay on Crop Husbandry
Position of Funds :- Proposed under NABARD, RIDF-XXXII 2026-27 & 2027-28

The Bidding documents consisting of qualifying information, eligibility criteria, specifications, drawings, Bill of Quantities (BOQ), Set of terms and conditions of contract and other details can be seen/downloaded from the Departmental Website <http://jktenders.gov.in> as per below schedule:
In case the project has not been sanctioned by the Competent Authority, the Tender Inviting Authority reserves the right to reject/cancel the tender or allotment, without assigning any reason(s) thereof.

1.	Date of publishing of Tender Notice	13-10-2026
2.	Period of downloading of Bidding documents	From 13-10-2026 to 27-10-2026,
3.	Bid submission Start Date.	13-10-2026, 1700 Hrs
4.	Clarification Start Date	13-10-2026

5.	Clarification End Date	23-10-2026 up to 1700 Hrs
6.	Pre-Bid meeting Date	24-10-2026 at 1700 Hrs in the Office of the Project Officer, S&WM, CAD, Jammu.
7.	Bid Submission End Date	27-10-2026 up to 1500 Hrs
8.	Date & Time of opening of Technical Bids (Online)	28-10-2026on or after 1100 Hrs in the Office of the Project Officer, S&WM, CAD, Jammu.
9.	Date & Time of opening of Financial Bids (Online)	To be notified after Technical Bid evaluation is completed.

No:-S&WM/Tend/NABARD/2026-27/221-24
Date: 13-10-2026

Sd/
Project Officer
Soil Water Management
CAD, Jammu.

DIP/J-12428/26. Dated: 14.10.2026



GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER PWD (R&B) DIVISION, PADDAR
Sh. Javed Iqbal Wani (Contractor)
S/o. Sh. Abdul Latief Wani
R/o Ghat Doda, Tehsil & Distt. Doda

No: EE/R&B/P/ 2855-58 Dt: 13/10/2026

SHOW CAUSE NOTICE

Subject: Impptt/Upgrad of link road from Gulabgarh Matti to Massu via Leaundi Hamirdran Km 3rd to 5th RD 700 (Under NABARD RIDF-XXVIII).

Reference:

1. Superintending Engineer PWD (R&B) Circle Doda-Kishtwar's Notice No: 10282-86 Dt: 03/12/2025
2. This Office Notice No: EE/R&B/P/1937-41 Dt: 24/11/2025 & No: EE/R&B/P/1839-42 Dt: 25/07/2026 AND
3. Asstt. Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Sub-Division Paddar's Notice No: R&B/SD/P/113-114 Dt: 12/10/2026

Whereas, the above mentioned work stands allotted to you vide Superintending Engineer PWD (R&B) Circle Office allotment No. SED/R&B/DB/15172-74 dated 29/03/2023, with a stipulated completion period of 02 (two) years.

Whereas, despite repeated instructions and notices issued from time to time vide above referred notice numbers to expedite the pace of the work but no significant improvement has been observed.

Whereas, even after the expiry of the stipulated completion period approximately 50-60% of the work has been executed by you till now, this reflects your unwillingness and inefficiency towards the completion of the work which constitutes a breach of the terms and conditions of the agreement.

Whereas, you had assured this department that the work would be completed before the commencement of the Machail Mata Yatra, 2026 but all your commitment proved to be a futile, which resulted in unnecessary delay and inconvenience to the general public and causing considerable embarrassment to the department before the higher authorities and the district administration. The project is sanctioned under NABARD & being a time bound project is supposed to be completed within the prescribed time period.

Whereas, your carelessness and continue failure to complete the work despite repeated notices and assurances, has created an awkward position of the department is facing immense embracement before the higher authorities, administration as well as the general public during every review meetings.

Whereas, sufficient funds have been allocated from the higher authorities for the said work despite that you are not adhering the instructions regarding resumption of the work.

Now, therefore, you are hereby called upon to show cause within three (03) days from the date of issuance of this notice as to why action should not be initiated against you under the relevant provisions and clauses of the contract including rescission of the contract, forfeiture of the security deposits and blacklisting at your risk and cost.

In the event, if no satisfactory reply is received, or the work is not started within three (03) days, it shall be presumed that you have nothing to state in your defense. Accordingly, this department shall be at liberty to initiate such action as deemed appropriate under the applicable rules and the terms and conditions of the contract, without any further notice.

Sd/-
(Er. Gurjeet Singh)
Executive Engineer
PWD (R&B) Division
Paddar

DIP/J-12447/26. Dated: 14.10.2026

Office of the Executive Engineer, Jammu Power Distribution Corporation Limited (JPDCL), Poonch Power Development Department

Tel No. 01965-220117

Fax No.01965-220117

e- NIT No: 44 of 2026 Dated:13.10.2026

1. INVITATION:-

For and on behalf of the Lieutenant Governor of the UT of Jammu and Kashmir, the Executive Engineer (Distribution), Electric Division JPDCL Poonch hereinafter referred as 'Employer', invites online e-bids from reputed Companies or Class 'A' registered contractors for below mentioned work under UT Capex Budget (WSS Scheme) 2026-27

S. No	Name of Work	Period of Completion	Status of Funds
1	Creation of 100 KVA S/Stn. at Draba Stage Ist	20 Days	Awaited

1. Bidders are advised to study the Bidding Document carefully. Submission of e-Bid against this SBD shall be deemed to have been do

2. be after careful/conscious study and examination of the procedures, terms and conditions of the Standard Bidding Document with full understanding of its implications.

3. The tender document is available at website <http://jktenders.gov.in>. Interested Bidders may view, download the e-Bid document, seek clarification and submit their e-Bid online up to the date and time mentioned in the table below:
Special condition 1:- It is mandatory to mention the name of work, e-NIT No, and name of contractor on Treasury Challan. The Date on the Treasury Challan/Bank Draft must be after e-NIT. Pulish Date (must be between the date of start of bid and Bid Submission end date).

2. The date of Earnest Money i.e 2% in shape of CDR, FDR, must be between the date of start of bid and Bid submission end date) pledged to Executive Engineer Electric Divison JPDCL Poonch.

4. The bidder has mandatory upload scan copy of GST Registration & Latest clearance Certificate Form GSTR-3B of last Month/Quarterly.

5. The date of the Additional Performance Security i.cum balance in shape of CDR, FDR, BG should be after the opening date of Fiancial Bid pledged to Executive Engineer Electric Division JPDCL Poonch.

Additional Performance Security for Unbalanced bidder.

The successful bidder L1 shall have to deposit an additional performance security in the shape of CDR/FDR/BG before award of contract in case the bid of the successfulla bidder is found to be unblance and the following scale shall apply there to.

S. No.	Percentage of Unbalanced bid viz Advertised cost on account of Low Rate	Additional Performance Security
1	Upto and including 15% below	Nil
2	15% upto and including 20% below	5% of the Advertised Cost.
3	20% upto and including 25% below	10% of the Advertised Cost.
4	25% upto and including 30% below	15% of the Advertised Cost.
5	30% upto more below	20% of the Advertised Cost.

A	Tender Document Sale/Download Start Date	13.10.2026; 4:00 PM
B	Tender Document Sale/Download End Date	03.11.2026; 04:00 PM
C	e-Bid submission (start) date & time	13.10.2026; 4:00 PM
D	e-Bid submission (end) date & time	03.11.2026; 04:00 PM
E	Submission of Hard Copy of Tender Fee & EMD Instrument (End) date & time	04.11.2026 up to 04:00 PM
F	Commercial and Technical Bid opening date & time	05.11.2026; 11:00 AM
G	Online financial e-Bid opening date & time (Only of the technically qualified Bidders)	Will be communicated to the Technically Qualifying Bidders.
H	Venue of opening of techno-commercial Bids	Soft Copy Electronically & Hard copy in the Office of the Executive Engineer (Distribution), Electric Division JPDCL Poonch
I	Estimated Cost	Rs.11,73,000
J	Cost of e-Bid document	Rs.1000 (Non-Refundable)
K	Amount of Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Rs. 23,460/-

3. The Bidders need to submit the proof/cost of e-Bid document as stated in the above table through Demand Draft from any Nationalized/Scheduled bank pledged to Executive Engineer (Distribution), Electric Division JPDCL Poonch, payable at Poonch. The original demand draft shall be submitted in a separate envelope to the Office of the Executive Engineer (Distribution), Electric Division JPDCL Poonch and should reach at **least one day before opening** of commercial and technical e-Bid. The scanned copy of the Demand Draft must be uploaded along with the e-Bids.

4. Bidders must quote for all the particulars of the item in the Technical Bid and in the price schedule/BOQ of financial bid. The bids of Bidders who will not quote for all the particulars for any item in technical and financial bids shall be liable to be rejected at the discretion of the Employer keeping in view the interest of the JPDCL.

5. All the e-Bids must be accompanied by the scanned copy of EMD in the form of CDR/FDR/Bank Guarantee only from any Nationalized/Scheduled bank only pledged to **Executive Engineer**. No interest shall be payable on Earnest Money deposited with the Department.

a. Hard Copy of original instrument of EMD shall be demanded from the successful bidder(s) after the opening of the Financial e-Bids.

b. The date and time of opening of Financial-Bids shall be notified on Web Site <http://jktenders.gov.in>. This is conveyed to the technically qualified Bidders automatically through an e-mail message on their e-mail address. The Financial-bids shall be opened accordingly online on the same Web Site.

6. The e-Bids will be electronically opened in the presence of Bidder's representatives, who choose to attend at the venue, date and time mentioned in the above table. An authority letter of Bidder's/OEM representative will be required to be produced.

7. The JPDCL reserves the right to cancel any or all the e-Bids/ the e-Bid process without assigning any reason thereof if any major lapse/deviation is found. The decision of the JPDCL, will be final and binding.

8. In the event of date specified for e-Bids opening being declared a holiday for JPDCL office then the due date for opening of e-Bids shall be the following working day at the appointed time and place.

9. All the required documents excluding Price Schedule/BOQ should be uploaded by the e-Bidders electronically in the PDF format, whereas Price Schedule/BOQ should be uploaded electronically in the same BOQ sheet provided with the SBD.

10. To participate in e-bidding process, Bidders have to get 'Digital Signature Certificate (DSC)' as per Information Technology Act-2000, to participate in online bidding.

11. The bidder must have successfully completed similar / electrical works in any of the following manner, issued by not less than the Executive Engineer. (The condition does not apply on fresh card).

i. Three similar Electric completed works costing not less than the amount equal to 40% of estimated cost in aggregate. OR

ii. Two similar Electric completed works costing not less than the amount equal to 50% of estimated cost in aggregate. OR

iii. One similar Electric completed work costing not less than the amount equal to 80% of the estimated cost.

12. Before quoting the rates bidders are requested to visit the site.

13. The successful bidder must submit the inspection/fitness certificate obtained from Director TTC along with final bill.

Hard Copy of the Cost of Tender Document must be delivered to the Office of the Executive Engineer (Distribution), Electric Division JPDCL Poonch in sealed cover at least one day before the scheduled date of opening of the commercial and technical-Bids. The sealed cover shall be super scribed as **"COST OF TENDER DOCUMENTS AGAINST e-NIT NO: 44 of 2026 Dated:13 .10.2026"**

No/EDP:

Dated:

Executive Engineer
Electric Division JPDCL
Poonch

DIP/J-2555-P/26. Dated: 14.10.2026