

CS launches information pamphlets on forestry interventions

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JAMMU: The Chief Secretary, Dr. Arun Kumar Mehta on Tuesday chaired the 20th meeting of the Steering Committee of the Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management and Planning Authority (CAMPA) to review achievements registered under the Annual Plan of Operations (APOs) for the year 2021-22.

On the occasion, the Chief Secretary launched the Department's information pamphlets showcasing the forestry interventions in Kandi areas for rainwater harvesting under the ongoing Jal Shakti Abhiyan; complete profile of slope stabilization techniques; 'One Beat Guard- One Village' programme; and a profile brochure of the UT bird-Pheasant Kali.

The Chief Secretary also launched the study report on risk zonation and vulnerability assessment of forests to forest fires in Jammu and Kashmir. Besides, a short documentary 'From Forest Diversion to Eco-Restoration' on the efforts of the Forest Department to foster rehabilitation of degraded forests by stimulating natural regeneration and supplementary afforestation was also released today.

Further, the web portal of J&K CAMPA was launched for facilitating APO preparation and progress monitoring through online mode on a real-time basis. The Chief Secretary asked the Department to further augment its functioning by hosting the GPS coordinates of both completed and under-progress works on the departmental website; strengthening the third-party evaluation of works; and ensuring greater involvement of Village Plantation Committees in conservation efforts.

The Chief Secretary stressed the use of IT tools, drones, and mobile apps for real-time surveillance, besides ensuring people's participation in forest conservation, protection, and regeneration. The Department was asked to complete the audit of CAMPA accounts by 30th November 2021.

Regarding the physical and financial progress achieved under CAMPA, the PCCF apprised the Committee that till October 2021, Rs. 1238.29 crore stands deposited in the State Fund in addition to Rs. 23.13 crore available in the account maintained by the National Authority. Under the CAMPA scheme, Rs. 775.82 crore has been spent over the last decade on rehabilitating

64,499 Hectares area by planting 436 lakh trees.

The Chief Executive Officer, CAMPA made a detailed presentation giving the status of implementation of the approved Annual Plan of Operations (APOs) of 2021-22 and proposed Budget Estimates for the next financial year 2022-23. He informed that planting in about 25% of the target area has been achieved during the monsoon period and the remaining targets will be achieved during the winter planting season. Tendering for fencing works has been completed and fencing for winter planting is currently underway.

It was informed that under the 'One Beat Guard- One Village' programme, 1000 villages will be provided with low-cost greening interventions through the Panchayati Raj Institutions assisted by one Beat Guard. The interventions will include large-scale distribution, plantation, and monitoring of saplings for 3-5 years to ensure maximum survival and growth of plants and grasses within the village and Panchayat. The local produce is expected to facilitate the local communities in sustainably meeting the demand of minor forest produce viz. timber, fuel-wood, fodder, and grasses.

The Chief Secretary directed the department to enhance forest-based livelihood among rural communities in collaboration with the Science & Technology Department for utilization of biomass and weeds like lantana and pine needles in various industries. The Department was further asked to develop a deeper connect with the village communities through "One Beat Guard, One Village Program" and "Village Panchayat Plantation Committees" and formulate plans to meet their requirement for fodder, timber, and non-timber forest produce. He stressed the establishment of linkages of forestry activities with Jal Shakti Department to improve the water regime to help the local communities.

The Chief Secretary further directed the Department to identify all degraded forest areas in Jammu and Kashmir and formulate plans for their rehabilitation in three years, besides ensuring convergence with Rural Development Department, in this regard.

Reviewing the implementation of special projects, the Chief Secretary directed the Department to focus on the

treatment of catchment areas of various water sources; rehabilitation of Wular Lake and Tosamaidan; and stabilization of high gradient slopes. It was informed that during the current financial year, the Department has so far treated 3663 hectares of area, installed 13.32 lakh rft fencing, planted 10.07 lakh saplings, and produced 1.55 lakh plants in nurseries.

After detailed deliberations, the Steering Committee

approved the supplementary Annual Plan of Operations (APOs) for the Year 2021-22 worth Rs.13.26 crore for J&K Forest and allied departments.

Administrative Secretaries of departments of Finance, Rural Development and Panchayati Raj, Forest Ecology & Environment, Planning, Development & Monitoring, Revenue, and Tribal Affairs, besides, Principal Chief Conservator of Forests J&K, Director Ecology,

Environment & Remote Sensing, APCCF (CAMPA), Director, Social Forestry, Chief Wildlife Warden, and senior officers of the Forest and allied departments participated in the meeting. Representative of Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change and Non-official member Ch. Asif Iqbal (Advocate) as an expert and representative of tribal communities were also present.



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National Epilepsy Day

17th November 2021

In the event of an Epileptic Seizure

DO'S

- Try to prevent a fall
- Lay the person on the floor in safe area
- Clear the area of sharp objects or furniture
- Cushion the person's head
- Loosen the tight clothing especially around the neck
- Turn the person on his/her side
- Stay till professional help arrives/person recover
- Monitor vitals


DON'TS

- Don't put your fingers in the Person's mouth
- Don't force anything between the teeth
- Don't make person to smell shoes, onions etc
- Don't restrain the patient
- Don't move the person during seizures
- Don't give anything by mouth until seizures stop/person is alert
- Don't attempt to give oral medications

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Subject: Allocation of MBBS/BDS seats of Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India from Central Pool for spouse and children of terrorist victims for the academic year 2021-22.

References:

- (i) F.No.17015/69/2021-CT/II dated 26-10-2021.
- (ii) Notice No-075-BOPEE of 2021 dated 30-10-2021

Notice No. 077-BOPEE of 2021
Dated: 11-11-2021

Attention of eligible candidates who want to be considered for allocation of MBBS/BDS seats under the Central Pool Quota of the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India is invited towards BOPEE's Notice No. 075-BOPEE of 2021 dated 30-10-2021 vide which the eligible candidates of NEET-UG 2021" were advised to keep their documents ready for submission of the same at the time of invitation of applications. Now, the Ministry of Home Affairs vide their communication F.No.17015/69/2021-CT/II dated 26-10-2021 have asked to invite applications on prescribed format annexed as Annexure "A" to this Notice, for allocation of MBBS/BDS seats from Central Pool for spouse and children of terrorist victims for academic year 2021-22. Briefly the eligibility is reproduced as under:-

Educational qualification:-
The candidate must have passed in the subjects of physics, chemistry, Biology/Bio-technology and English individually and have obtain a minimum of 50% marks (40% for SC/ST and 45% for PWD category candidates) taken together in physics, chemistry, biology/bio-technology at the qualifying examination as mentioned in the clause-4(2) of Regulations of Graduate Medical Education 1997.

Selection of candidates:-
The selection of candidates will be made on the basis of rank obtained in the National Eligibility-cum-Entrance Test (NEET) — 2021 being conducted by the National Testing Agency. As per Graduate Medical Education Regulations 1997, of Medical Council of India, It shall be necessary for the candidates to obtain minimum marks at 50th percentile at NEET 2021. However, In respect of candidates belonging to, SC/ST, the minimum marks shall be at 40th percentile. In respect of candidates with specified disability, the minimum marks shall be at 45th percentile.The percentile shall be determined on the basis of highest marks scored in the All India Common Merit List in National Eligibility Cum Entrance Test for admission to MBBS/BDS Courses.

Reservation:-
The Reservation Policy being followed by the UT's of J&K and Ladakh shall apply on Central Pool MBBS/BDS Seats.
The documents required to be attached are as under:-

1. Domicile Certificate of UT of J&K/ST Certificate of Leh/Kargil for the candidates belonging to UT of Ladakh.
2. NEET Score Card.
3. 10+2 marks card.
4. Date of birth certificate.
5. Category certificate, if any.

In addition the applicants shall have to submit the following documents priority wise duly authenticated by the Home Department of J&K Government for ascertaining the eligibility under victim

Priority I, II and III :-

| Priority | Documents Required | Designated Authority | Authenticate Authority |
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| Priority-i Children of families where a parent or a direct member of the family has been killed in acts of terrorism or has been an innocent victim in cross-firing or in firing by armed forces in combating terrorism. | FIR, Death Certificate, Post Mortem Report and Affidavit that No other member of the family has got benefit of | SHO and Hospital concerned duly countersigned by the SSP concerned. | Administrative Secretary to Govt. Home Department |
| Priority-ii Children of such persons who are exposed to substantive risk due to their assignment mainly relating to combating acts of terrorism, added weightage is to be given to the persons who have come in the "hit list" of terrorist organizations. | FIR, Death Certificate, Post Mortem Report, Certificate that the deceased was sole Bread earner and Affidavit that No other member of the family has got benefit of this category. | SHO and Hospital concerned duly countersigned by the SSP concerned and Tehsildar concerned regarding the person killed that he/she was sole bread earner in the family. | Administrative Secretary to Govt. Home Department J&K. |
| Priority-iii Children of such families who have migrated from Kashmir due to the current situation and have lost their means of livelihood including their business or use of their property. | Certificate of Migration, loss of property, business and livelihood. | Supporting documents for loss of property (FIR etc), Migrant certificate from the concerned Relief Commissioner. | Administrative Secretary to Govt. Home Department J&K. |

The children of All India Service Officers posted in the State/UT would also be eligible to participate in the said merit system. The selection of candidate in category (iii) above should be entirely on merit among the eligible candidate in this category.

The Last date of submission of application in duplicate is 17-11-2021 upto 2.00 P.M

Further, Board does not guarantee or undertake that mere submission of applications shall confer any right to the applicant for his/her selection, which shall be done by the concerned Ministry, Government of India in accordance with the rules/procedures on the subject.

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No: BOPEE/Exam-26/2021
Dated 11-11-2021
DIP/J-4227-P/21
Dated 16-11-2021

Sd/-
(Dr. Sunil Gupta)
Controller of Examinations
J&K BOPEE