

ADGP Armed J&K visits IRP-19th Battalion; reviews functioning

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KATHUA: Additional Director General of Police, Armed, Jammu & Kashmir, Shri Anand Jain, IPS, conducted an official visit to the IRP-19th Battalion Headquarters, Kathua to review the unit's functioning and welfare mechanisms. He was accompanied by Dr. Vinod Kumar, IPS, DIG IRP Range Jammu, and Shri Rajinder Singh, JKPS, SSP APCR Jammu.



ADGP Armed, Anand Jain during visit to Kathua.

Upon arrival, the ADGP was warmly received by Shri Atul Sharma, JKPS, Commandant IRP-19th Battalion, followed by a ceremonial Guard of Honour presented to the visiting dignitary.

During his visit, the ADGP carried out a comprehensive inspection of key battalion facilities, including the

Administrative Block, Barracks, Mess, Motor Transport Fleet, Canteens, and Main Office. He also inaugurated several newly developed facilities such as the CCTV Control Room, Sports-Gymnasium Hall, and Ladies' Washroom.

A tent designed and stitched

in which the Commandant briefed the officers and officials about the unit's role, current deployments, and various issues faced by the jawans. He also highlighted the significant achievements of the battalion during the year. The ADGP interacted patiently with the personnel, listened to their grievances, and issued immediate directions for necessary redressal.

In his address, the ADGP praised the Commandant and unit leadership for their proactive welfare measures, particularly following the recent flood-related damages. He stressed the need for maintaining strict discipline, physical fitness, regular participation in refresher courses, and ensuring proper digital attendance at all deployment sites. He further urged all ranks to stay away from drugs, avoid absenteeism, and uphold conduct that brings pride to the police force. The visit concluded with a BadaKhana

organized at the battalion headquarters.

Subsequently, the ADGP visited E-Company Headquarters at Lakhampur, where he reviewed the living conditions of the personnel, interacted with them, and emphasized maintaining high standards of cleanliness within the company premises.

The event was attended by several senior officers, including Shri Rajesh Sharma, DC Kathua; Ms. Mohita Sharma, IPS SSP Kathua; Ms. ManjitKour, JKPS Principal SPS PTS Kathua; Shri Rajinder Singh, JKPS SSP APCR Jammu; Sh. Karanvir Singh, SSP Dy. CO; Sh. Ravinder Singh, SP Dy. CO; Sh. Rajesh Jambwal, DySP; Sh. Sanjiv Sharma, DySP; Sh. SurinderKhadyal, DySP; Inspector Showkat Ahmad; Inspector Abhishek Sharma; Inspector Nisar Ahmad, among other officers and officials.

PHDCCI-HRAK delegation calls on Com Secy; discusses key issues concerning tourism, trade, industry



Delegation members calling on Comm Secy, Vikramjit Singh.

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KATRA: A joint delegation of PHD Chamber of Commerce & Industry (PHDCCI), Jammu Region & Hotel & Restaurant Association, Katra (HRAK) held a comprehensive meeting with Commissioner-cum-Secretary, Industries & Commerce Department, Government of Jammu & Kashmir, Vikramjit Singh, who graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. Deputy Commissioner Reasi, Nidhi Malik; Managing Director, J&K Trade Promotion Organization, Sudershan Kumar; Special Secretary, Industries & Commerce, Rashapal Singh; Asstt.Chief Conservator of Forests Vinay Khajuria, President HRAK and Chairman PHDCCI Jammu Region, Rakesh Wazir; HRAK Chairman, Shyam Lal Kesar; and Senior Vice President, Virender Kesar were prominently present.

During the meeting, the delegation submitted a comprehensive memorandum highlighting critical demands and suggestions vital for the survival, sustenance, and growth of trade, commerce and industry, along with the revival and promotion of tourism across Jammu & Kashmir, particularly in the Jammu region.

Rakesh Wazir urged the Government to extend the New Central Sector Scheme (NCSS), which expired on 30 September 2024, with special provisions favouring local stakeholders of the Union Territory. It was suggested that renovation and up-gradation of existing hotels, along with expansion of existing industrial units, be incorporated within the scheme by adopting clauses similar to the Substantial Expansion component of the 2017 Industrial Package.

The members emphasized that investors should be encouraged to invest in infrastructure-linked tourism projects such as large hotels, boarding schools, universities, medical colleges, multi-specialty hospitals, hotel management institutes and Haveli-type destination restaurants, which today significantly support health tourism, education tourism, spiritual tourism and adventure tourism.

Shyam Lal Kesar requested that incentives presently available to industry should also be extended to existing hotel, industrial and service-sector units. It was pointed out that when GST was introduced, the hotel sector-earlier under the zero percent tax slab-was assured reimbursement.

Virender Kesar said that to enrich the visitor experience, proposals included a Light & Sound Show on Maa Vaishno Devi's history in Katra, infrastructural enhancement of Mansar Lake including battery-operated tourist vehicles, and establishment of an interactive tourism museum depicting Jammu's heritage.

He further said that considering Katra's compact geography, beautification on the pattern of the Golden Temple and Chandni Chowk projects was strongly advocated, including underground wiring and robust sanitation.

The delegation also requested early development of already identified industrial parks around Katra and exploration of new sites for non-polluting pilgrimage-linked industries to encourage production of Prasad, chawanprash, dry fruits, pickles, spices, honey, patkas, chunnis, jute bags, photographs and other devotional products, thereby creating employment and value addition.

Commissioner-cum-Secretary, Industries & Commerce, Vikramjit Singh gave a patient hearing and assured sympathetic consideration of all issues.

GDC Khour, IIM Jammu host innovation bootcamp



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KHOUR: Institutional Innovation Council (IIC) of Government Degree College (GDC) Khour successfully organized an Innovation Bootcamp in collaboration with the Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Jammu on Monday, aimed at fostering creative thinking, entrepreneurial skills, and an innovation-oriented mindset among students. The programme commenced with a welcome address by ReetaMenia, Associate Professor in Economics who highlighted the importance of innovation and experiential learning in today's dynamic academic and professional environment. KamnavPadha, Manager, DST i-TBI, IIM Jammu, served as the resource person for the session. He engaged students through interactive discussions on innovative thinking, startup ecosystem, and practical approaches towards problem-solving. Mr. Padha emphasized the role of youth in driving innovation-led development and encouraged students to think beyond conventional boundaries. Addressing the gathering, the Principal of GDC Khour expressed gratitude to the IIM Jammu team for their support and stressed the significance of such collaborative programmes in enhancing student exposure and academic growth. The Principal reiterated the college's commitment to promoting skill-based learning and entrepreneurship. The event concluded with a vote of thanks presented by Mr. Khalid Sajad Bohra, Assistant Professor in History on behalf of college administration, faculty members, and students.

All faculty members of GDC Khour were present on the occasion, along with enthusiastic participation from students. The Bootcamp served as an enriching platform for young learners to gain valuable insights from experts in the field of innovation and entrepreneurship.

Kathua Police recovers online defrauded money



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KATHUA: District Cyber Police Station Kathua under overall supervision of SSP Kathua Mohita Sharma -IPS has demonstrated its commitment to combat cyber crime by recovering defrauded amount of Rs 12,47,262/- in several number of complaints in the month of September & October 2025. Cyber Police Station Kathua, a dedicated unit to deal with cases of online/offline frauds and cyber crime who has been relentlessly working for ensuring the safety and security of masses in general has once again successfully recovered an amount of Rs 12,47,262/- from fraudsters in several cyber crime complaints who used to deceive the people by adopting different tactics regarding online trading and investment and extract money from victims. In some complaint's victim was asked to invest money through a telegram group and other platforms (Facebook, WhatsApp etc) In this regard the complainants approached Cyber

Police Station Kathua of being fraudulently cheated, taking the cognizance of matter the cyber police station Kathua took no time to start the investigation and acted swiftly while exhibiting the ultimate professional excellence through its dedicated skilled human resource was put to task and in no time the lost amount of Rs.12,47,262/- was recovered from the fraudsters. Pertinently, from the date of establishment, Cyber Police Station Kathua has successfully recovered defrauded amount of Rs 1,18,80,550/- (Rupees One Crore Eighteen Lakh Eighty Thousand and Five Hundred Fifty) so far, this achievement of District Police Kathua underscores the unit's expertise dedication and tireless efforts in safeguarding the common citizens against online fraud and cheating.

Block Parlidhar delegation calls on DDC Udhampur, discusses key development issues

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UDHAMPUR: A delegation from Block Parlidhar, led by Sagar Verma, called on District Development Commissioner (DDC) Udhampur, Saloni Rai, and discussed several important public issues pertaining to the area.

At the outset, the delegation congratulated the DDC on the district receiving the Scotch Award for successful implementation of the Didi Ki Raso initiative and also conveyed their appreciation for the recognition accorded by Lieutenant Governor, Manoj Sinha, for providing timely relief and rehabilitation to the affected families during the heavy rains and landslides in August-September.

Verma also expressed gratitude to the DDC for her personal intervention in resolving the three-year-old public demand for the construction of a sports stadium for the youth of Block Parlidhar in Bilhand Panchayat. He informed that 15 kanals of state land have been identified and demarcated by a Commission constituted by the Tehsildar Ramnagar,



Delegation members calling on DC Saloni Rai.

under the supervision of Naib Tehsildar Chin Singh, and the report has been submitted to the DDC for the transfer of this land to the Department of Youth Services and Sports.

The proposed site, located on the Dhanu-Rang Road, is ideally suited for developing the stadium and will also serve as a venue for government and co-curricular activities in the area.

Further, Verma apprised the DDC that out of 18 PMGSY roads sanctioned under the 4th phase for Block Parlidhar, final surveys and DPRs for 15 roads have been completed successfully by the department. He requested that the remaining 3 roads be taken up

for early completion of survey and DPRs. He also urged that priority be given to connecting Ramnagar with the Majalta-Khoon Dhar road (Batch-II)-a long-pending demand of the people of both Tehsil-as it would shorten the distance by about 35 km via Chountra Mata-Thial, thereby saving time and fuel.

The District Development Commissioner listened patiently to the issues raised and assured the delegation that all genuine demands would be addressed in a time-bound manner to ensure basic facilities are provided to the public. Among those present were Bandhu Ram Sharma and Raj Kumar Lasotra.

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The said borrower having failed to repay the said amount, notice is hereby given to the said borrower in particular and the public in general that the undersigned being authorized officer of the J&K Bank Ltd. has taken **Symbolic Possession** of the mortgage property described herein below, in exercise of the powers conferred on me under section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 6 & 8 of the said Rules, on this the **04th day of November 2025**.

The said borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned against dealing with the said property in any manner whatsoever and any dealings with the said property will be subject to the charge of the J&K Bank Limited for the amount aggregating to **Rs. 83,50,540.20 (Rupees Eighty Three Lacs Fifty Thousand Five Hundred Forty and Paise Twenty only)** together with future interest thereon from 01.10.2025 and other charges incurred or to be incurred.

The borrowers attention is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of the time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTIES

Hypothecation of all kinds of stocks, book debts and other current assets.

Extension of charge on existing Equitable mortgage of land measuring 10 marlas with house plinth situated in Khasra no. 71 min, Khata No. 294 & Khewat No. 42 situated at Village Deeli (Digiana), Teh. And Distt. Jammu in the name of Tara Chand S/o Sanji Ram.

Extension of charge over existing Registered Mortgage of Double storey House along with land underneath measuring 10 marlas falling under Khasra no. 02 min., Khata no. 162 min and Khewat no. 11 situated at Mouza Ghagrote, Teh. Vijaypur and Distt. Samba in the name of Sh. Bharat Bhushan S/o Ram Dhan

Date: 04.11.2025 Place: Digiana, Jammu/Vijaypur, Samba **DIP/J-2482-P/25** Authorised Officer

OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOOD SAFETY, POONCH (Department of Food Safety, J&K)

PROHIBITORY ORDER

Whereas, samples of Desi Ghee (Babu G) having batch no, JMA-06, Pkd on 13/06/2025 and Desi Ghee (Kartar) having batch no. K00024, pkd on 01/04/2025 were lifted by the Food Safety Officer, Headquarters and Food Safety Officer Surankote / Mendhar Poonch, and sent to the Public Health Laboratory, Srinagar for analysis; and

Whereas, the Public Analyst, PHL Srinagar, has declared both the aforesaid samples as Sub-Standard under the provisions of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 and rules made thereunder;

Now, therefore, in the interest of public health and safety, the general public is hereby warned and advised not to purchase or consume "Desi Ghee (Babu G)" and "Desi Ghee (Kartar)" until further orders.

Further, all Food Business Operators, shopkeepers, and dealers are hereby prohibited from storing, selling, or distributing the said products within the jurisdiction of District Poonch.

Strict action shall be initiated under relevant provisions of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 against any person found violating this order.

Issued in the interest of public health.

No:- FSSA/ACF/P/95/2025-26

Dated: 08/11/2025

DIP/J-7761/25

Dated: 10/11/2025

Sd/-
Assistant Commissioner
Food Safety Poonch

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, 400 KV TLD(BHEP) CHANDERKOTE

No: TLD/BHEP/378-80.

Sub: Publication for seeking offers from various firms/contractors for SITC of integration of data from BHEP-I to NRLDC including patching and Replacement of obsolete of old PLCC Panels of BPL make including replacement of 4 Nos old Distance Protection Relays at Kishanpur in national as well as local dailies.

The scope of work includes the following detail:

- Supply, Installation and commissioning of New PLCC Panels after Replacement of obsolete old PLCC Panels of BPL make of 400 KV D/C Baglihar Kishanpur transmission line.
 - Supply portion:
 - 8 Nos. Programmable Single Channel Analog PLCC Panel ETL600 Integrated with 4-Command protection coupler- NSD600. (02 Protection Panels CH-I & CH-II per Ckt at each end)
 - 4 Nos Programmable Single Channel Analog PLCC Panel ETL600 Integrated with VFT Modem NSK600 & AF I/O for Data & Speech Communication.
 - 4 Nos. Line Matching Unit MCD-80(A9BS-A9BT) for phase to phase inter-circuit coupling (01 Set of LMU).
 - 2000 m Coaxial Cable 75 Ohm Armoured.
 - 2 EPBX 8 (E&M) x 16 SLT
 - 10 sqmm multistrand copper cable with green sleeve Cables 50 m
 - Other cables and allied material.
 - Installation testing & Commissioning:
 - Dismantling of OLD PLCC panels and Installation, testing & commissioning charges as per the expert.
- Telemetry in BHEP-I.
 - Supply of 02 No. RTU for integration of data of 6 nos. bays (approximate 100 Nos. DI points and 100 Nos Analog points). 2nd RTU to be kept as spare.
 - IDMSOB MODEM for Data Communication with 19" rack size side strips.
 - Cabling and other allied miscellaneous items.
 - Erection & commissioning of RTU, cabling and other allied material etc of integration of data including patching in PLCC panels at Kishanpur end for transmission of BHEP data to NRLDC.
- Replacement of 4 No.s old Distance Protection relays at Kishanpur.

The interesting firms are requested to submit the offer in the above mentioned official email id as per the annexure-I. The firms are also requested to include any missing items in the above scope of work which is mandatory for the completion of the work.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer
400 KV TLD BHEP
Chanderkote

DIP/J-2529-P/25
Dated:- 10/11/2025

S. No.	Description of Items	Unit	Qty	Unit Price	Amount (Rs)
A. SUPPLY PORTION					
1	Supply of 02 no. RTU/BCU for integration of data of 6 nos. bays (approximate 100 DI points and 100 No. Analog points). 2nd RTU/BCU to be kept as spare.	No	2		
2	Supply of miscellaneous items as per details below: i. LIU(110 Volt DC), = 2 Nos. ii. OFC matching with LIU = 1 KM(Aprox). iii. Media converter 110 Volt DC = 4 Nos. iv. Multifunction transducers 3 phase, 420 Volt = 6 nos. v. CMR 110 Volt DC with 2No & 2 NC contacts = 80 Nos. vi. Cable for CT/PT and AL points: 5C,2.5.MM sq: = 200 mtr. vii. Cable for DI points: 19C,1.5 MM sq: = 700 mtr. viii. CAT 6 cable for MFT and RTU connection: = 600 mtr.	Lot	1		
3	PLCC panels, ETL 600 complete set alongwith cabinet.	No.	12		
4	Distance Protection Relay Supply Model :REL 670 (With 24input & 32 Output) Withinbuit DR & Fault Locator, OV Protection and software, Suitable for Aux. 220V DC.	No.	8		
5	HF Cables (All types as per requirement)	Lot	1		
6	Miscellaneous items (Required but not included in this Bop)	No.			
B. Erection portion					
1	Erection, commissioning and Integration of RTU for providing data of 06 No bays to NRLDC over IEC-60870-104 Protocol as per data list received from NRLDC. (Work shall include cabling, CMR Transducer installation, LIU/Fibre laying etc.)	Lot	1		
3	Dismantling of Old PLCC panels and Installation, Testing & commissioning of new PLCC panels of ABB make at both ends of 400 KV D/C Baglihar Kishanpur transmission line (BHEP-I and Kishanpur substation.)	No.	12		
4	Erection, Testing & Commissioning of Distance Protection Relay at Both ends (i.e. Baglihar and Kishanpur 55) of 400 KV D/C BagliharKishanpur transmission line.	No.	4		
5	Deputation of PLCC Engineer for patching in PLCC panel at Kishanpur end	Man days	15		
Net Amount (Rs)					
Add GST					

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