

Innovation, technology can resolve citizen's day to day inconveniences: Dr Jitendra

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NEW DELHI: Innovation and Technology can resolve citizen's day to day inconveniences, Union Minister Dr Jitendra Singh said on Sunday. Innovation is not the domain of scientists alone, any person can foster innovation with change of mindset and approach, he said. The Union Minister, said this while formally launching the Monograph on Innovation in Public Administration compiled by Capacity Building Commission (CBC) here. Dr. Jitendra reiterated that it is Prime Minister Narendra Modi's vision to 'Ease the Living' of Citizens through innovation and institutionalising innovation in technological development. The idea of innovation goes beyond simple ease of living and leads multiple benefits to society as whole by bringing social change in



Union Minister Dr. Jitendra Singh formally launching the Monograph on Innovations in Public Administration compiled by Capacity Building Commission (CBC) at New Delhi on Sunday. Also seen are CBC members R. Balasubramaniam and Praveen Pardeshi.

behaviour, he said. "Many of these innovations are going to awaken our citizens with a lot of options that we have in the current milieu given the kind of technology available," he said. Drawing inspiration from the words of Prime Minister, Dr Jitendra Singh said, the use of technology will make governance and justice

delivery systems reach the poorest of the poor; the marginalised and women living in the hinterland. "Digital innovation will play an important part in the next decade for governance to transform India into a digitally empowered society and knowledge economy," he said. The DoPT Minister directed the Capacity

Building Commission to further publicise the innovations in public administration through films and videos as it reaches a wider audience on social media platforms. Congratulating all the civil servants who pioneered innovation through use of technology, Dr Jitendra Singh suggested that Artificial Intelligence and Data Analytics should be utilised to drive innovation. Chairman CBC, Adil Zaimulbhai said the monograph is inspired by the idea of 'One India, One Team'. The aim is to create a large database of case studies for civil servants across length and breadth of India and at various levels to access a repository of innovations and to inspire other citizens, he said. Praveen Pardeshi, Member, CBC, while giving presentation on innovations, categorically mentioned the

case study of on boarding local communities of Jammu and Kashmir near border areas on Government E-Marketplace (GeM) for procurement of locally produced and available products such as milk, fresh fruits and vegetables and also empowering and upskilling showcasing the human face of the Indian Army. Another such case study of 'One District One Product' on Mushroom cultivation in Assam was also showcased. Dr. R Balasubramaniam, Member, CBC, said the Commission received 243 innovations from 25 states and 13 thematic areas such as Agriculture, Railways, Livelihood, Water Conservation etc. Out of these 15 innovations have been included in the monograph after a 3 layered rigorous selection process, he said.

Yasha Mudgal presides public outreach programme

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B H A D R W A H : Commissioner Secretary, Tourism department, Yasha Mudgal on Sunday presided over a public outreach programme at Lal Ded Auditorium of Jammu University's Bhaderwah Campus here.



Commissioner Secretary, Tourism Deptt, Yasha Mudgal chairing public outreach programme at JU's Bhaderwah Campus.

Deputy Commissioner Doda Harvinder Singh; CEO Bhaderwah Development Authority, Bal Krishan; officers of district administration, officers of line departments Sarpanchs, Panchs, PRI representatives and large number of people were also present on the occasion.

During the programme, number of issues spanning tourism industry development, adventure tourism, infrastructure maintenance, lavender farming and implementation of government schemes were brought in to the notice of Commissioner Secretary to Sarpanchs, PRI representatives and public representatives. The demands ranged from improving amenities, employment opportunities and tourism initiatives in

the region for inclusive development.

The Commissioner Secretary, while addressing the gathering, acknowledged the progress under the present UT government, emphasizing significant advancements across all sectors in the district. She assured timely resolution of raised issues, highlighting the importance of completing projects within stipulated timeframes and pledged support for initiatives to boost tourism as well as address basic infrastructure needs of the region. Yasha Mudgal, on the occasion, urged concerned officers to prioritize the implementation of government-sponsored schemes to maximize benefits for the public. She

emphasized the potential of Bhaderwah in adventure tourism and called for promoting initiatives like homestays to enhance tourism and livelihood opportunities. The Commissioner Secretary also asked the officers for creating awareness about HADP schemes for inclusive development of the sector. She also directed officers to frame a tourism calendar to promote district Doda as an agri-tourism destination. During the programme, Deputy Commissioner reiterated the administration's commitment to resolving public grievances and promoting initiatives such as lavender farming and the Gandola car cable service to enhance tourism.

Grand Gurmat Samagam in memory of Sant Gurbaksh Singh Ji Dana held



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JAMMU: A grand 'Gurmat Samagam' in the memory of Sant Gurbaksh Singh Danna was held on Sunday at Gurudwara Sri Guru Arjun Dev Ji, Domana, under the patronage of Sant Tejwant Singh Ji, 'Dera Mukhi' Sant Pura Danna.

The programme was organized with the active cooperation of Joginder Singh Bali and Updesh Kour Bali (Hongkong Waley), Baldev Singh CEO Peaks, Adv Surinder Kour, Bhagiri family from USA and Jeet Singh of Holand and others followers of Dera Sant Pura Dana.

Besides local Ragi jathas prominent Ragi Jatha of Bhai Sahib Bhai Shub Deep Singh, Hazuri Ragi Sri Darbar Sahib Amritsar was the main attraction of the Samagam, another prominent Ragi Jatha of Bhai

Sahib Bhai Tavneet Singh of Chandigarh also graced the occasion by reciting Shabad Kirtan.

Local prominent Ragi Jathas who recited Shabad Kirtan were Bhai Sahib Davinder Singh Ji, Bhai Sahib Bhai Kulwant Singh Ji, Bhai Sahib Bhai Jagjir Singh Ji Hazuri Ragi Gurudwara Sant Pura Danna, Bhai Sahib Bhai Bahadur Singh, Bhai Sahib Charanpreet Singh, Bhai Sahib Bhai Gian Singh Ji, Bhai Sahib Bhai Gurnit Singh, Bhai Sahib Bhai Suraj Singh Hazuri Ragi Gurudwara Shaheed Bunga Srinagar; Bhai Sahib Bhai Surinder plal Singh, Bhai Sahib Bhai Ramneek Singh & Bhai Sahib Bhai Paranjit Singh. Bhai Harpinder Singh Ji Incharge Sikh SGPC Sikh Mission Jammu & Kashmir; Bhai Balwant Singh Parcharak &

Bhai Kulwant Singh Ji Parcharak Mission J&K.

The programme was organized with the cooperation of various Sikh organisations, Noutwan Sabhas and Sikh Sangat of JKUT. Sikh devotees from Rajasthan especially came to attend the Samagam and paid rich tributes of Sant Gurbaksh Singh Ji Danna. prominent personalities who also participated the Samagam included Charanjit Singh Khalsa former MLC, J.P Singh retd. Inspector General of Police J&K, Raman Bhalla Ex- Minister; Balvinder Singh renowned Social Activist and Vice president DGPC Jammu, Artar Singh Member DGPC Jammu, Paramjit ex-Corporator.

The stage was coordinated by Manjit Singh Bali Administrator SGSD International School Domana.

Congress expect PM to announce his commitment on floor of house: Tara Chand

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JAMMU: Facilitating the newly appointed office bearers of Chhamb and Akhnor Constituency including block presidents in mammoth gathering in border town Khour on Sunday, former Deputy Chief Minister and Chairman Campaign Committee J&K Congress, Tara Chand expected Prime Minister to announce his commitment on the floor of the house Jammu and Kashmir as full-fledged state from Union Territory during his tour to Jammu in coming days.

While speaking to party delegates, Tara Chand stressed upon the party line to strengthen Congress at grass root level and ready to face any challenge with iron hands.

He said every Congressman will fight as the spirit we are feeling in party leaders like Rahul Gandhi who is nowadays on Bharat Jodo Nyay Yatra.

youth of rural and border belt who always remain on foot to serve the country by volunteering themselves for army and other paramilitary forces.

Employment for meagre 4 years is nothing but a lollipop for youth of the country, he said adding that our leader promised to reverse this scheme on previous lines if INDIA block came in power.

Former Dy CM said that Congress will fight every election against BJP government on local issues as Jammu and Kashmir was degraded to Union Territory and our special status was also snatched from us.

Others who also spoke on this were General Secretary (Org) Narinder Gupta, General Secretary Gurmeet Singh, Narinder Sharma, District President Shamsheer Singh Chib, Sahil Sharma, Vijay Singh Chib, Varun Magotra, Jagatger Singh, Daljeet Singh,



Chairman Campaign Committee J&K Congress, Tara Chand along with newly appointed office bearers.

Criticizing present Central Government led by BJP to initiate schemes like Agniveer for unemployed youths, Tara Chand termed this as mockery against

Madan Sharma, Devinder Singh Bittu, Jagdish Raj Sharma, Capt Kalidass, Lala Bansilal Gupta, Kewal Sharma and Romesh Verma.

Special awareness campaign organised across Kashmiri Migrant Camps



Dr. Arvind Karwani, Relief & Rehabilitation Commissioner (M) J&K visiting a stall during the camp.

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JAMMU: The Relief & Rehabilitation Commissioner (M) J&K, in collaboration with the J&K Bank, organized special awareness camps at Jagti, Nagrota, Muthi, and Purkoo Camps during the week ending 17th February, 2024, under the LGs SSS (Self Employment, Skill Development/ Scholarship and Social Assistance/ Sports) Campaign, to aware the beneficiaries about various Government Schemes.

On the directions of District Development Commissioner, Jammu, Sachin Kumar Vaishya officers from the Line Departments viz Industries, Social Welfare, Horticulture, Animal Husbandry, Agriculture, Employment, KVIB, Labour, Handicraft & Handloom gave awareness about various Government schemes in the Camp. The departments also enrolled beneficiaries and gave detailed information about self employment generation schemes.

On the directions of MD & CEO of J&K Bank, Baldev Prakash, a team of J&K

Bank Officers headed by the Zonal Head, Rajesh Dubey, Rohit Kumar, Incharge Advances and concerned branch heads also attended these camps and gave awareness about the various services offered by the J&K Bank. The Jammu & Kashmir Bank also sanctioned 117 cases of self employment on spot involving an amount of Rs 2.47 crore. Further, the bank assured sanction of more cases in the coming week.

A team of doctors from the Ayush Department held free health checkup in these camps and examined more than 500 persons. Free medicines were distributed to the patients.

Dr. Arvind Karwani, Relief & Rehabilitation Commissioner (M) J&K, accompanied by Vijay Sharma, Deputy Commissioner (Relief), senior officials of Relief Organization, and officials from PWD(R&B), PDD and Jal Shakti also visited different migrant camps and took stock of the problems being faced by the camp inmates.

The Relief & Rehabilitation

Commissioner (M) J&K, visited the Health Centre, Zonal Office (Relief) and Higher Secondary Schools in the camp area, and assured camp residents of early resolution of their genuine demands and also emphasized on transparent and time bound disposal of all issues.

JAMMU MUNICIPAL CORPORATION
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER (E)
NOTICE INVITING TENDER
E-NIT No. 19 EL/2023-24 Dated: 15-02-2024
For and on behalf of the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Jammu. The Executive Engineer, Electric Division.
Municipal Corporation, Jammu is inviting online tenders on PERCENTAGE basis from Registered class of Electrical contractors/Firm as per the prescribed format for the works shown here under.

S.No	Description of Works /Items	Approx. Qty (in Nos)	Adv. Amount (In Lacs)	Cost of Tender Fee (In Rs.)	Earnest Money 2% of advertised cost (in Rupees)	Completion time
1.	Arrangement of electric tools for day to day maintenance of electric assets of Jammu municipal Corporation	AS per BOQ	1.748 Lacs	600/-	3496/-	15 days

Position of AAA ----- accorded
Major Head:-Under G.I.A 2023-24
1. The complete bidding process will be online.
2. The bid shall be uploaded in electronic format on the website http://jktenders.gov.in up to 02/03/2024 till 13:00 hours.
3. The bid received will be opened on 04/03/2024 up to 14.00 hrs same day or any other day convenient to the tender opening committee
A) Documents required to be uploaded online for Technical Bid.
1. The Scanned copy of earnest money deposit @2% on advertised cost of work in shape of CDR/TDR/FDR pledge to Executive Engineer Electric, JMC.
2. Cost of bidding document in shape of e-Challan/Single Window Challan of JMC pledged to Executive Engineer Electric, JMC; JMC/tender fees receipt through online payment through the JMC link http://www.jmcjammu.org/online- payment.html
3. Contractor registration card renewed for the current financial year i.e up to 31.12.2024.
4. Scanned copy GST Card and latest clearance certificate Form GST-3B .
5. Scanned copy of Pan Card.
6. Scanned copy of duly filled Annexure "A", Annexure "B" and Annexure "C".
Note: Non Submission of any of the above documents online shall render the bidder as nonresponsive and his financial bid shall not be open
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DIP/J-5404-P/23 Dt. 18-02-24
Executive Engineer (E)
Municipal Corporation,
Jammu

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Valeur Fabtex Private Limited, a NSDC empanelled Training Partner, invites Applications from candidates with prescribed qualification & Experience for Engagement as Vocational Trainers- (Total No. Of Positions:66) to be engaged in Government Schools in the UT of Jammu and Kashmir.

Sector	Qualification
IT-ITES (11) Kathua -09 Kulgam -01 Udhampur -01	Bachelor Degree in Computer Application/ Science/ Information Technology (BCA, B.Sc /B.E. in Computer Science/ Information Technology) OR DOEACC A Level Certificate. The suggested qualification is the minimum criteria. However, the Higher qualification will also be acceptable. Desirable: The candidate should have a minimum of 1 year of work experience in the same job role. 5/He should have knowledge of equipment, tools, material, Safety, Health & Hygiene
Agriculture(16) (Dairy Worker) Doda -06,Rajouri -04 Udhampur- 02, Kathua -03 Kishtwar -01	Post-graduation in Dairying/ Animal Husbandry, M. Tech in Food Technology with Dairy/Animal Husbandry as elective Subject from a recognized Institute /University, with at least 1-year work experience. OR BVSc, B. Tech Dairy, B. Sc. Agriculture, B.Tech in Food Technology with Dairy/Animal Husbandry/elective Subject with 2-years' experience and Diploma in Veterinary or Husbandry with 3-years' experience.
Agriculture (01) (Paddy Farmer) Rajouri -01	Post Graduate in Agriculture/Agronomy from a recognized institute/University, with at least 1-year work experience. OR B.Sc. Agriculture with 2-years' experience. M.Sc. Agriculture with 1-year experience.
Tourism & Hospitality (04) (House Keeping) Kathua -02 Baramulla -02	Qualification: Master's Degree in Tourism & Travel Management/Administration OR Master's Degree in Hotel/Hospitality Management/Administration & Tourism OR Master's Degree in Hotel/Hospitality Management/Administration OR Master's Degree in Tourism Management OR Master's Degree in Travel and Tourism Management OR Master Degree in Hotel Management from a recognized institute of Hotel Management OR Any equivalent Master's Degree Programme having nomenclature of 'Tourism' or 'Travel' and offered by a UGC recognized University/Institute. OR Bachelor Degree in Hotel Management/B.H.Sc. from any institute recognized by UGC + at least two-years professional experience in housekeeping department in hotel industry. OR Three years diploma after class XII from any recognized institute of Hotel Management + at least five years professional experience in housekeeping department in hotel industry OR Graduate in any discipline + P.G. Diploma in housekeeping from a recognized institute of Hotel Management + at least three years professional experience in housekeeping department in hotel industry.
Automotive (14) Kupwara -09, Anantnag -01 Bandipora-01, Pulwama -01 Shopian -01, Udhampur -01	Bachelor Degree in Automobile Engineering /Mechanical Engineering from a recognized Institute /University, with at least 1-year work / teaching experience OR Three years Diploma in Automobile Engineering /Mechanical Engineering from a recognized Institute /University, with at least 3-year work / teaching experience OR B. Voc. (Bachelor in vocational) in Automobile with at least 2-year work /teaching experience).
Electronics & Hardware (20) Kathua -01, Kulgam -01 Kupwara -03, Poonch -03 Udhampur -03, Ramban -04 Doda -01, Reasi- 01 Pulwama -01, Budgam -01 Anantnag -03	B.E. / B.Tech. in Electrical/ Electronics /Telecommunication with one-year experience in the relevant field OR Three Years Diploma in Electrical/ Electronics/ Telecommunication from recognized board of technical education with 2-years' experience in relevant field.

Minimum Competency: 1. Effective communication skills (Oral & Written), Basic computing skills, technical competency, soft skills, Facilitation skills. 2. The suggested qualification is the minimum criteria. However higher qualifications will also be acceptable. Pre-Requirement: 1. The candidates should be domicile of J&K UT. 2. The selection shall be made on district basis i.e. candidates hailing from the districts where vacancies exist shall be preferred based on merits. In case of non-availability of candidates within district, the selection for such trade will be made from other district within the same division. 3. Age Limit-18-40 years (As on Jan. 01 2024) Age relaxation to be provided as per Govt. Rules. 4. Number of vacancies are likely increase or decrease at the time of recruitment Note: All communication for job application to be done through e-mails. All positions purely on Contractual basis. This is not a Government Job and the selection process is strictly based on merit and management reserves the right to accept/reject an application without assigning any reasons whatsoever. All-inclusive Gross Honorarium 20,000/-Per month. Last date for receipt of CV: 27 February 2024. Only shortlisted candidates will be called for written and Personal interview. Interested Candidates can fill the form- https://forms.gle/3QFMpaBLUwJrGUA or send updated CV on this Mail ID HR1@valeurfabtex.com by mentioning the Sector/Trade in subject line. For More information Call -9205765301/9319995462.