

Rajesh Gupta calls on Speaker, backs time bound shift to paperless legislature

STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: Senior National Conference leader Rajesh Gupta on Thursday called on Speaker Legislative Assembly, Abdul Rahim Rather and discussed the ongoing Budget Session and the need to modernise the functioning of the Jammu and Kashmir Legislative Assembly. Gupta appreciated the Speaker's initiative to digitise Assembly proceedings and shift towards a paperless system under the National e-Vidhan Application (NeVA) framework, in line with Chief Minister Omar Abdullah's

vision of strengthening legislative infrastructure.



He noted that despite advances in digital governance, the Assembly still relies heavily on manual processes, with departments waiting for physical circulation of questions and agenda papers, reducing preparation time and limiting informed debate. Emphasising efficiency and transparency, Gupta said digitisation would ensure timely business circulation, better coordination and improved legislative productivity. He stressed the need for clear timelines and accountability. Speaker Rather assured that concrete steps are underway to streamline procedures and introduce a robust digital system to enhance democratic functioning in Jammu and Kashmir.

NOTICE

The candidate whose photograph is pasted here has lost his/her qualification certificate and has the following particulars:-
Roll No. 2652085, Class 10th, Year & Session 2018 Annual Regular, Registration No. M16221420105, Serial No. 18-ARSZ-1014669, Class 12th under Roll No.2604726, Year & Session 2020 Annual, and Name Manvi Sharma, Father's Name Kundan Sharma Mother's Name Geeta Sharma Residence Village Banair, Patta Rasana, Kathua, J&K. Now the candidate has applied for issuance of Diploma/Marksheet. Before the case will be processed under rules, if somebody is having objection in this regard he/she shall approach the office of the Joint Secretary Certificates J&K BOSE Rehari Colony Jammu within 7 days. After the expiry of the defined period no objection will be entertained. (Besides, the lost 'Qualification Certificates', issued in Session 2018 Annual in favour of candidate named Manvi Sharma is/are treated as 'CANCELLED').

JK PUBLIC SCHOOL PANJTIRTHI

REQUIREMENT:

Applications are invited for following post

1. English Teacher

Qualification: M.A English with B.Ed.

Interested candidates to walk in for interview for the said Post with curriculum vitae by 28th February, 2026 between 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

NORTHERN RAILWAY E-AUCTION NOTICE

The Senior Divisional Commercial Manager, Northern Railway, Firozpur for and on behalf of President of India, invites E-Auction from eligible and registered bidders for the following works over Firozpur Division:

Catalogue No.	Auction Start	Name of work
EAFZR-SLR26-12	05-03-26 at 11:00 Hrs.	Allotment of contract for leasing of parcel space in Train No./SLR compartment: 14620/F1, 15532/F1, 22446/F1, 22552/F1, 13308/F1, 20424/F1, 14682/F1, 14622/F1 & 19326/F1.
EAFZR-SLR26-13	09-03-26 at 11:00 Hrs.	Allotment of contract for leasing of parcel space in Train No./SLR compartment: 14650/R1, 15212/R1, 15212/R1, 15532/R1, 14604/R & 19612/F1.

For other details and registration, please visit Railway website www.irps.gov.in

SERVING CUSTOMERS WITH A SMILE 563/2026

Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Gandhi Nagar I/C University Works Department

e-NIT No: 146 dated: 11-02-2026

For and on behalf of the University of Jammu, the Executive Engineer, University Works Department invites the tender by e-tendering mode on item percentage basis from the approved & eligible contractors registered with PWD/CPWD/MES/JKPDCL and Railways or Private/Public Sector companies/ Firms registered with registrar of Companies/ firms or original manufacturer or authorized agent/Distributor of the original manufacturer for the following work:-

S.No.	Name of the Work	Amount in Rs.
1.	Construction of double storied building for Animal House for Zoology Department at New University Campus, University of Jammu on Design and Build Mode.	Rs. 2,17,18,506/-

Note:-
1. Detailed e-NIT & BOQ is available on the website www.jktenders.gov.in and the same can be downloaded/submitted online from 1600 hours on 18-02-2026 to 09-03-2026 (1400 hours).
2. The bidders are requested to go through the e-NIT thoroughly prior to submission of the bid.

DIP/J-3953-P/25 Sdr. Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Gandhi Nagar I/c University Works Department

No. UWD/2025-26/2832-38 Dated: 11-02-2026

Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Gandhi Nagar I/C University Works Department

e-NIT No: 144 dated: 11-02-2026

For and on behalf of the University of Jammu, the Executive Engineer, University Works Department invites the tender by e-tendering mode on item percentage basis from the approved & eligible contractors registered with PWD/CPWD/MES/JKPDCL and Railways or Private/Public Sector companies/Firms registered with registrar of Companies/firms or original manufacturer or authorized agent/Distributor of the original manufacturer for the following work:-

S.No.	Name of the Work	Amount in Rs.
1.	Special Repair and Renovation to be carried out in the Centre for IT enabled services and management at New University Campus, University of Jammu. (Electrical Work)	Rs. 2,49,965/-

Note:-
1. Detailed e-NIT & BOQ is available on the website www.jktenders.gov.in and the same can be downloaded/submitted online from 1600 hours on 18-02-2026 to 27-02-2026 (1400 hours).
2. The bidders are requested to go through the e-NIT thoroughly prior to submission of the bid.

DIP/J-3950-P/25 Sdr. Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Gandhi Nagar I/c University Works Department

No. UWD/2025-26/2818-24 Dated: 11-02-2026

OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE KALAKOTE PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby informed to the general public residing in Municipal Committee Kalakote that a Public Helpline Number - 14420 has been notified for the registration of grievances and complaints related to the cleaning and maintenance of septic tanks and sewers within the jurisdiction of the Municipal Committee Kalakote of Jammu Division. In addition to the helpline, citizens may also lodge their grievances through Swachhata App.

All residents are requested to make use of these platforms for timely redressal of sanitation-related issues and to support the Municipal Council/Committee in maintaining a clean and healthy urban environment.

Sd/- Executive Officer Municipal Committee Kalakote

No:-MC/KK/2025-26/424 Date:14/11/2025 DIP/J-3991-P/25 Dt. 19-02-26

NORTHERN RAILWAY E-AUCTION NOTICE

The Senior Divisional Commercial Manager, Northern Railway, Firozpur for and on behalf of President of India invites E-Auction from eligible and registered bidders for the following works over Firozpur Division:

Catalogue No.	Auction Start	Name of work
EAFZR-RCR26-2	05-03-26 at 11:30 Hours	1) Setting up at operation of Textile store, Pooja Samagri Store and Salon at Amritsar Railway Station. 2) Renovation of Rail Coach and operation as Rail Coach Restaurant at Amritsar Railway Station. 3) Setting up and operation of Food Van at Nawana Shehar, & Muktsar Railway Station.
EAFZR-PnJ26-4	05-03-26 at 11:30 Hours	Operation and maintenance of Pay & Use Toilets Blocks at Jalandhar Cantt Railway Station.

For other details and registration, please visit Railway website www.irps.gov.in

No. NR-FZRCOML(NFR)/18/2024 Date: 18/02/2026 563/2026

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IN THE COURT OF PRINCIPAL JUDGE FAMILY COURT, JAMMU

Neeta Devi W/o Janmeet Singh Kala R/o H.No. 643 Near Church, Prem Nagar, Jammu (Petitioner)

Versus
Janmeet Singh Kala S/o S. Uttamjeet Singh Kala R/o Village Khadnyar Near Government High School, Tehsil and District Baramulla A/P Sharma Niwas House No. 79, Sector 4 Model Town Near Rose Public School Gangyal, Jammu. (Respondent)

In the matter of:- Petition under section 13 of Hindu Marriage Act for the dissolution of marriage by a decree of divorce.
NOTICE TO :
Janmeet Singh Kala S/o S. Uttamjeet Singh Kala R/o Village Khadnyar Near Government High School, Tehsil and District Baramulla A/P Sharma Niwas House No. 79, Sector 4 Model Town Near Rose Public School Gangyal, Jammu.

Whereas the above titled petition filed by the petitioner in terms of section 13 of the Hindu Marriage Act is pending adjudication before this court since 15.05.2025 in which petitioner has sought dissolution of her marriage solemnized with you and in this regard, notice was served upon you for appearance before this court and to file objections to the petition of the petitioner, but despite notice, you have not appeared before this court till date.

Therefore, through the medium of this publication, you are hereby informed to appear in the present case on 27.03.2026, either in person or through Advocate and file objections in the present case, failing which the matter shall be heard and decided under law.

In case of holiday on the above said date, the matter shall be taken up on the next working day.
Given under my hand and seal of 2026.
No: 83/PJCJ Date: 13.02.2026 Sd/- (Sandeep Kaur) Principal Judge Family Court, Jammu

IN THE COURT OF ADDITIONAL MUNSIF, SAMBA

Jyoti Devi W/o Late Sh. Jasvir Singh and D/o Sh. Thakur Singh R/o Bri Kamila, Tehsil Vijaypur District Samba. Present: Kritika Sethi (Plaintiff)

Versus
Nemo
In the matter of:
Civil Original suit for declaration, declaring Jyoti Devi and Bandana Devi are one and the same person i.e. the plaintiff be declared ad such both names refers to one and the same person for all purpose and be declared as such.

NOTICE TO GENERAL PUBLIC
Whereas the above named plaintiff has filed a Civil Original suit for declaration, declaring Jyoti Devi and Bandana Devi are one and the same person i.e. the plaintiff be declared ad such both names refers to one and the same person for all purpose and be declared as such.

Whereas through this publication the public in general is informed that if any person(s) has/have any objection in grant of decree of declaration in favour of the above mentioned plaintiff, he/she shall file his/her objections personally or through any authorized agent in this court on or before 06.03.2026, the next date fixed in the case, failing which appropriate orders shall be passed.
Take note that if the next date fixed is declared holiday, the case shall be taken up on the next working day.
Given under my hand and seal of this court today the 17th of February, 2026 at Samba.
Sd/- (Kritika Sethi) Additional Munsiff, Samba

The Jammu and Kashmir Estates & Engineering Department, Corporate Headquarters, Srinagar, M.A. Road Srinagar, 190 001 J&K

On-Line Request for Tender (e-NIT) For Comprehensive AMC (Annual Maintenance Contract) of Window/Split Air Conditioning Units Installed at various Branches / Offices of the Bank in Jammu Zone
Tender Notice along with Complete Tender document outlining the minimum requirements can be downloaded from and BIDs can be submitted on the Banks' e-Tendering Portal <https://jkbank.abccprocure.com> w.e.f. February 20, 2026, 16.00 Hrs. Tender Document can also be downloaded from Bank's Official Website <https://jkb.bank.in/>. Last date for submission of Bids is March 13 2026, 17.00 Hrs.
e-NIT Ref.No. JKB/E&ED/AMC-Split-AC-ZOJ/2026-1653 Dated: 18-02-2026 DIP/J-3965-P/25

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BEFORE THE COURT OF LD. ADDITIONAL DISTRICT JUDGE, Kishtwar

Power Grid Corporation of India Through its Chief Manager (Batote) Sanjeev Kumar DograCaveator
versus
Public at large.Non-Caveator

IN THE MATTER OF:-
Caveat Petition in terms of Section 148-A read with Section 151 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR LORDSHIP:-
The Caveator named above most respectfully submits as under:-

1. That the Caveator, a Government of India Enterprise, is implementing the work of construction of 132 kV D/C Khellani-Kishtwar on consultancy basis for Jammu & Kashmir Power Transmission Corporation Limited (JKPTCL), in accordance with MoU dated 15th March 2022.
2. That the work of construction of 132 kV D/C Khellani-Kishtwar transmission line is currently ongoing in District Kishtwar and currently stringing work is pending between tower location no. 183-189 at village Kulli, location no 190-192 at village Lower Dulhatl, location no 193-195 at village Gujar Kothak, location no 196-197 at village Salana, location no 198-199 at village Satrool, location no 200-207 at village Upper Kandhni, location no 208-212 at village Fagumarh, location no 214-216 at village Warda, location no 217-219 at village Mandri, location no 220-222 at village Chanpoora, location no 223-225 at village Hasti, location no 225/1-228 at village Katar Samna of tehsil & District Kishtwar.
3. That the caveator apprehends that the non-caveator or any other person may file an Appeal, Petition, suit or any other miscellaneous application along with an application of stay against Caveator and by concealing material facts from this Hon'ble Court may succeed in getting some ex parte, interim/interlocutory order against the caveator herein.
4. That the caveator submits that in the eventuality of filing of any suit, appeal or any other miscellaneous application along with an application of stay against the Caveator, the caveators may kindly be provided an opportunity of being heard before passing any interim/interlocutory order which would otherwise cause prejudice and may not be repaired at later stage.
5. That it would, therefore, advance the cause of justice, equity and fair play, if this Hon'ble Court may be pleased to afford an opportunity of being heard to the caveator before passing any interim/interlocutory order in appeal/suit/plaint or any other miscellaneous application along with an application of stay filed or to be filed by any aggrieved persons in the interest of justice.

PRAYER
It is, therefore, most respectfully prayed that this Hon'ble Court may be pleased to afford an opportunity of being heard to the caveator before passing any interim/interlocutory order in suit/plaint or any other miscellaneous application along with an application for stay filed or to be filed by any aggrieved persons against the caveator qua the construction work of 132 kV D/C Khellani-Kishtwar, in the interest of justice.
Caveator Through Counsel
O P Parihar Advocate
Dated: 20-02-2026

Government of Jammu & Kashmir Office of the Deputy Director Governing Sheep Breeding & Research Farm Billawar

Auction Notice

As per the sanction received from the Director, Sheep Husbandry Department Jammu, vide its letter No. DSHU/12/2025-26/15792-93 dated 16-02-2026. 64 Nos. of Government Animals (Sheep) are being put publication at Govt. Sheep Breeding & Research Farm Billawar on 26-02-2026 (Thursday) at 11:00 AM.

Interested individuals/parties are hereby informed through the medium of this notice to participate in auction proceedings at scheduled date, time and venue. The terms and conditions are as under:

1. No person under 18 years of age shall be permitted to participate in the bid/auction.
2. The successful bidder will deposit the bid amount on spot and ensure that all the auctioned animals are transported humanely to avoid any cruelty to the animals.
3. Auction committee will reserve the right to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason.
4. In case of no successful bidding on the said date the auction process will continue on next days at the same venue till its culmination.

No: DDFB/Teach/2025-26/1477-85 Dated: 18-02-2026 DIP/J-11797/25 Dated: 19-02-2026 Sd/- (Dr.Sahil Pangotra) Deputy Director Govt. sheep Breeding & Research Farm Billawar/Sarthal

OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE KALAKOTE

NOTIFICATION
It is hereby notified for the information of all concerned, including the general public, that penalties shall henceforth be levied for violations of SWM Rules, 2016, SWM Bye-Laws, 2020, Plastic Waste Management Bye-Laws, 2022, and other applicable Municipal Bye-Laws, as detailed below:

1. Penalty/Spot fines for Littering of any kind of waste, including Municipal Solid Waste, in open areas, streets, nalhahs, drains, and water bodies:
 - o ₹100 for 1st offence
 - o ₹250 for 2nd offence
2. Penalty/Spot fines for Using / Storing / Selling single-use plastic carry bags and other banned plastic items:
 - o ₹1,000 for 1st offence
 - o ₹2,000 for 2nd offence
 - o ₹5,000 for 3rd offence

A. Shops / Commercial Establishments (Hotels, BWGs, Institutions):

- o ₹1,000 for 1st offence
- o ₹2,000 for 2nd offence
- o ₹5,000 for 3rd offence

B. General Public / Households (for failure to segregate waste at source):

- o ₹500 for 1st offence
- o ₹1,000 for 2nd offence
- o ₹2,000 for 3rd offence

C. Illegal dumping and burning of waste in unauthorized areas:

- o ₹2,000 to ₹5,000

No:MC/KK/2025-26/423 Date: 14/11/2025 DIP/J-3990-P/25 Dt. 19-02-26 Sd/- Executive Officer Municipal Committee Kalakote

OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE KALAKOTE Public Notice

Subject: Ban on Single-Use Plastic Items
It is hereby informed for the information of the general public, shopkeepers, vendors and institutions that as per Government orders and directions of the Pollution Control Committee, the use, sale, storage, distribution and manufacture of Single-Use Plastic (SUP) items such as plastic carry bags, plates, cups, straws, cutlery, polythene sheets, etc. is strictly prohibited within the limits of Municipal Committee Kalakote.

As per the latest Plastic Waste Management Rules, plastic carry bags below 120 microns thickness are strictly banned. All citizens are requested to avoid the use of single-use plastics and instead adopt eco-friendly alternatives like cloth bags, jute bags, paper cups, and biodegradable materials.

Defaulters found violating the norms shall be liable to penalty and legal action as per rules.

No:-MC/KK/2024-25/415 Date:14/11/2025 DIP/J-3993-P/25 Dt. 19-02-26 Sd/- Executive Officer Municipal Committee Kalakote

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER PWD (R&B) DIVISION THATHRI NOTICE INVITING TENDER

e-NIT NO. 72 OF 2025-26
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, Railways, MES and other State/Central Government for each of the following works:-

S. No	Name of Work	Estimated Cost (in Lacs)	Earnest Money	Cost of document	Time of completion (in days)	Date of opening of tender	Class of Contractor
01	Construction of boys Toilet at Middle school Budhi	2.37	4740	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
02	Construction of boys Toilet at Primary school Chutheri	2.37	4740	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
03	Construction of boys Toilet at Primary school Gilni	2.37	4740	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
04	Construction of boys Toilet at Middle school Gogara-B	2.37	4740	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
05	Construction of boys Toilet at Gugrari	2.37	4740	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
06	Construction of boys Toilet at Primary school Honda	2.37	4740	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
07	Construction of boys Toilet at Primary school kuttana	2.37	4740	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
08	Construction of boys Toilet at Middle school Ranote	2.37	4740	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
09	Construction of boys Toilet at Middle school Sihal	2.37	4740	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
10	Construction of boys Toilet at Middle school Sipla	2.37	4740	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
11	Construction of boys Toilet at Middle school Kahai	2.36	4720	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
12	Construction of girls Toilet at Middle school Indrala	2.36	4720	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
13	Construction of boys Toilet at Pershulla	2.36	4720	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D
14	Construction of boys Toilet at Primary school shah Mohalla Jaura	2.36	4720	600	30 Days	On or after 24/02/2026 at 12:30 PM	A,D

The Bidding documents Consisting of qualifying information, eligibility criteria, specifications, Drawings, bill of quantities (B.O.Q), Set of terms and conditions of contract and other details can be seen / downloaded from the departmental website www.jktenders.gov.in as per below schedule.

S. No	Date of Issue of Tender Notice	Period of Downloading of bidding documents	Bid Submission Start Date	Bid Submission End Date	Date & Time of Opening of Technical Bids (Online)	Date & Time of Opening of Financial Bids (Online)
1	18/02/2026	From 18/02/2026 (12 00 PM) to 24/02/2026, (1600 Hrs.)	18/02/2026	24/02/2026, (1600 Hrs.)	25/02/2026 on or after 1230 Hrs. in the Office of Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Division Thathri.	To be notified after Technical bid evaluation is completed

No: EE/PWD/DT/2025-26/7852-68 Dated:-17/02/2026 DIP/J-11805/25 Dated: 19-02-2026 Sd/- (Er. Shamis Din) Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Division, Thathri.