

Div Com chairs public grievances redressal camp; listens to people's issues

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
KATHUA: Divisional Commissioner Jammu, Dr Raghav Langer on Wednesday conducted an extensive tour of Kathua district and chaired a public grievances camp at village Mangtian Block Barnoti and listened to people's issues.

He was accompanied by Deputy Commissioner Kathua, Rahul Yadav; Additional Deputy Commissioner, Kathua; concerned SDM, BDO, Tehsildar, besides functionaries of JPDCCL, Jal Shakti, PWD and other concerned.

A large number of people including BDCs Chairperson, Sarpanches/Panches and locals from adjoining panchayats of the Block raised issues of public importance.



Divisional Commissioner Jammu, Dr Raghav Langer listening to public issues at Barnoti.

The PRIs, Public sought blacktopping of roads, Health facilities, augmentation water supply and Power infrastructure, KV School, development of water bodies, Play Ground and other issues of public concern.

The Div Com gave a patience hearing to all the deputations, individuals and issued on the spot directions to the concerned depart-

ments for timely redress of the projected issues. He assured the PRIs and Public that all the genuine demands would be met on priority. The concerned officers informed that the most of issues raised by public are being addressed and others would get resolved under languishing projects, PMDP and other government funded schemes.

DC Ramban reviews Ramzan arrangements

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RAMBAN: Deputy Commissioner, Ramban, Mussarat Islam on Wednesday reviewed the arrangements for ensuing holy month of Ramzan.

Assistant Commissioner, Revenue, Dharendra Sharma; Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Mohammad Farid Bhat; Assistant Director, Food, Civil Supplies, & CA, Nasir Ahmad Bhat; Tehsildar HQA, Ashraf Pervaz; Tehsildar Ramban, Mohammad Rafiq and representatives of religious organisations attended the meeting.

Directions were issued to the concurred departments to ensure uninterrupted water and power supply, especially during Sehri and Iftar hours, cleanliness and strict monitoring of quality and rates of essential commodities.

The Deputy Commissioner directed the concerned

departments to make adequate arrangements to provide better amenities to the people and intensify market checking to keep check on overcharging of daily-use items like fruits and vegetables. He instructed all SDMs and officers of Municipal Council Ramban and Municipal Committees of Banihal and Batote to intensify sanitation operations, ensure cleanliness in and around the mosques and check market rates.

The DC also passed instructions for the constitution of joint teams of concerned departments to check display/fixation of rates, overcharging and quality of the products especially related to poultry and mutton.

The Deputy Commissioner urged the religious leaders to stick to orders issued regarding gathering of people in view of the surge in Covid-19 cases. He assured them all possible facilitation during the holy month of Ramzan.

GDC Samba organises workshop on employment opportunities through DIC

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
SAMBHA: Career counselling cell (CCC) of GDC Samba organised workshop on employment opportunities through DIC Samba. The programme started with the lighting of traditional lamp by the I/C Principal, Resource persons from DIC Samba and the faculty members of the college. Dr. Shobha Gupta was the chief guest of the function.

Sansar Chand, General Manager of DIC Samba and Sandeep Kumar, functional Manager of DIC Samba were the resource person on the occasion. The welcome address was presented by Prof. Shivali Rattan, HOD, Economics. The Resource person Sansar Chand laid stress on the various schemes of DIC for the students to pursue their career after graduation as entrepreneurs. He further entrusted about the different incentives bestowed to the entrepreneurs

after installation of their units namely subsidy on DG set, for continuous electricity supply, establishment of laboratories for quality control and installation of pollution controlling equipments. Further he motivated the students to shape their destiny by setting up their own units through active cooperation and support by DIC Samba.

The young functional manager Sandeep Kumar, DIC Samba touched the important issues for starting the industrial units. He informed the students that the soft loan upto the amount of Rs. 25 lacs is readily available under PMEGP. He further thrustured that there is availability of land in SIDCO Samba at subsidised rates for establishing the units. He impressed upon the youth to come forward for setting up of their own units, as ample schemes are available for generating employment for oneself and the society also.

GDC Kathua organises ‘Say No to Plastic, Polythene’ awareness campaign

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
KATHUA: In continuation to its campaign of creating awareness in and outside the campus, NSS units of GDC Kathua on Wednesday organised "Say No to Plastic and Polythene" and Corana Epidemic Awareness campaign. To keep in mind recent surge in corona cases NSS units decided to launch this campaign actively.

In these activities more than hundred volunteers participat-

ed. Volunteers interacted with students and staff of the college while holding poster of SOP guidelines and appealed them to follow covid guidelines during their visit to college and markets.

In another activity, volunteers conducted door to door campaign among shopkeepers and appealed them to use jute bags while delivering their material to the customers and volunteers also appealed the customers to avoid use of plastic and polythene and carry jute bags while shopping in the market. In coming days volunteers will also organise more activities on Social evils like Drugs Addiction, Girl Child infoticide, Say no to dowry etc. These activities are being organised under the guidance of Principal Prof Assa Ram Sharma and supervision of NSS Program officers Prof Mannohan Singh, Prof. Ritu Kumar Sharma and Prof Neha Bandral.

FOB Udhampur organises webinar on COVID-19 vaccination drive

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
UDHAMPUR: Field Outreach Bureau (FOB), Udhampur; Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, Government of India organized a webinar on "COVID-19 Vaccination drive" in district Udhampur.

The webinar focused on the potential acceptance of COVID-19 Vaccination among the healthcare workers, people above the age of 45 years in the district and the progress made in the vaccination drive throughout the district from the day of the onset of the vaccination program in J&K.

In her introductory address, Ms. Neha Jalali, Deputy Director, Regional Outreach Bureau (ROB) J&K and PIB Jammu said that the biggest aim of conducting these webinars is to spread awareness among the masses related to the COVID-19 vaccination and to clear the doubts if any by interacting with the experts available during the webinar.

She also said that ROB J&K and its field units across the UT of Jammu and Kashmir and the UT of Ladakh have been vanguard from the very first day of the pandemic spreading awareness be that the COVID 19 appropriate behaviour or this vaccination using social media and other platforms.

In his Keynote address, Mohd Syed Khan, Additional Deputy Commissioner, Udhampur gave brief overview of the "Role of District Administration in COVID19 vaccination process in the district". Chief Medical Officer, Udhampur, Dr. K.C Dogra, spoke about the efforts of health department Udhampur for streaming the COVID-19 vaccination process. Despite the various challenges be-like shortage of staff, typography of district, we were able to manage it, he added. He appealed to people to come forward for COVID-19 vaccination.

During the Webinar,

GDC Billawar celebrates World Health Day

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
BILLAWAR: GDC Billawar celebrated "World Health Day" in which series of activities were conducted on 6th and 7th April 2021. In order to celebrate World Health Day, College organized various activities namely, Lecture by Health team of Sub-District Hospital, Billawar; Essay Writing, Poster making and Quiz Competition. All these activities were conducted on the theme "Building a fairer, healthier world for everyone" and focuses on the need to stay safe and positive in the pandemic times.

In Lecture hour session, Dr. Ganga Ram Kundal, Dr. Surinder Kumar, Dr. Neelam Kiranjit Kour, Dr. Nidhi Verma focused on various health issues especially, COVID19 pandemic. In Essay writing, Shuvam Mankotia has secured first position, Romani Panooh has secured second position and Sonika Devi has secured



DDC Rajouri, Rajesh K Shavan chairing a meeting.

DFO Social Forestry; Executive Engineers of the Jal Shakti, PWD, PDD, I & FC, REW and other district and sectoral officers attended the meeting.

The DDC took a detailed stock of the physical and financial achievements under different schemes and projects being executed by PWD, Jal Shakti, RDD, Power, JKPCCL, Education, Health, I&FC Agriculture, Horticulture, Animal and

Sheep Husbandry and other Departments, in the district. Issues about the execution of works on the projects were also discussed threadbare in the meeting.

While reviewing the progress of the PWD Rajouri division, the meeting was informed that against the target of constructing 134 bunkers, the work on 124 is complete in all respects.

Regarding the progress on roads, bridges and buildings,

it was given out that out of 64 roads, 13 bridges and 06 buildings, the work on 19 roads, 06 bridges and 02 buildings is complete and the rest are at different phases of execution. Under NABARD, the work on 02 schemes out of 21 is complete. Similarly PWD Nowshera subdivision has completed work on 03 projects out of 12 NABARD schemes.

About the PMGSY Department Rajouri and Budhal subdivisions, the meeting was informed that the 57 schemes out of 138 schemes and the 86 schemes out of 124 schemes are complete in Rajouri and Budhal subdivision respectively and the rest are at different phases of execution.

Regarding the Power sector, the meeting was apprised that out of 04 works under B2V, 03 are complete and under BADP, the work on 02 projects out of 03 is complete

in the Rajouri subdivision. Similarly, the progress regarding other schemes of the PDD in Rajouri and Kalakote subdivisions was also reviewed in depth.

While reviewing the progress of the RDD sector, the concerned officer informed that as many as 31278 houses have been registered under PMAY, 30682 have been sanctioned and 30796 have been geotagged. He also briefed the meeting about the progress regarding other important schemes like MGNREGA, Adhar seeding, construction of Bunkers and others. The DDC directed the concerned officer from RDD to complete the work on all the PMAY houses by the end of May this year. He directed the concerned PWD Executive Engineers to complete the blacktopping work of all the roads within the municipal limits at the earliest.

JKPCC conducts public hearing

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
SAMBHA: Jammu and Kashmir Pollution Control Committee (JKPCC) conducted public hearing on Wednesday for the Environmental Clearance of Minor Mineral (River Bed Material) Project at River Basantar Downstream NH-1A Bridge Samba Block No:- 2/1 Chak Manga Gujran 9.99 hectare area Basantar Samba. In compliance to the ELA notification 2006 issued by Ministry of Environment and Forest Govt. of India.

The penal for the public hearing comprised of Suram Chand Sharma Addl. District Magistrate Samba, Hans Raj Singh Galoch District Office PCC Reasi (Representative of Regional Director, PCC Jammu), Angrez Singh Divisional Officer PCC Samba (South) and Kulwant Singh District Mineral Officer Samba. The public hearing was attended by large number of people including public representa-



A panel of officials listening to public hearings.

tive, Panchs, Sarpanch of adjoining Panchayat/village Chack Manga Gujran, Chack Manohar Gopala, Chack Nanake, Madhera and Badhare.

At the onset, Hans Raj Singh Galoch District Officer, PCC Reasi briefed the public present about the importance of conducting public hearing. Various issues with relate to the said mining project were raised and discussed with the general public during the course of proceedings. All the issues raised were discussed in thread bare and the queries raised were answered in detail by Abhinav Mishra consultant of project proponent from M/S Cognizance Research India Pvt Ltd. The other

who participated in the public hearing including Rajinder Raina, Manager Estate SIDCO Samba, Surinder Tripathi, JEE PCC Samba (South), Naveed Choudhary, Inspector PCC Samba (North). The proceedings of public hearing were recorded by videography and the public was assured to incorporate their valuable suggestions in the report to be sent to State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) for grant of the Environment Clearance. Proceeding of the public hearing conducted by Subash Chander, DM PCC Samba (South) and vote of thanks presented by Angrez Singh Divisional Officer, PCC Samba (South).

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4.	33 KV Cable Jointing kit Heat Shrinkable Outdoor	No.	10	
5.	Rubber Insulation Mat for 33 KV HT Panel	No.	05	
6.	Rubber Insulation Mat for 11 KV HT Panel	No.	10	
7.	Welding Electrodes Stainless Steel (SS) 309 Mo.	Kg	30	
8.	MS Welding Electrodes	Kg	30	
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