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**NOTICE**  
I, Tushar S/o Sh Ramesh Kumar R/o Govt Qtr 30-A Gandhi Nagar, Jammu have changed my name to Tushar Jangid (new name). I do hereby assume for this date the name/ surname Tushar Jangid (new name).

**NOTICE**  
The candidate whose photograph is shown above reports that he/she has lost his/her qualification certificate having the following description: Roll No. 134214, Class 10th, Year & Session Annual 1991 Name Naresh Bhagat, Father's Name Sh. S. L. Bhagat, Residence 39-A, Bakshi Nagar, Jammu. Now the candidate has applied for issuance of Diploma. Before the case will be process under rules, if somebody is having objection in this regard he/she shall approach the office of the Joint Secretary Certificates J&K BOSE Rehni Colony Jammu within 7 days. After the expiry of the defined period no objection will be entertained. (Besides, the lost "Diploma", issued in Session Annual 1991 in favour of candidate namely Naresh Bhagat is/are be treated as "CANCELLED".

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
I, Jai Krishan Kothidar S/o Lt. Sh. Pushkar Nath Kothidar R/o Channi Himmat am the original allottee/transferee of Plot No. 410, Sector No.3 in Housing Colony Channi Himmat Jammu and have applied for transfer of leasehold rights to freehold rights of above said plot in my favour. Objection, if any, may be conveyed to the Managing Director, J&K Housing Board, Green Belt Park, Gandhi Nagar, Jammu within a period of 15 days from the date of publication of this Notice. However, no objection will be entertained after the expiry of the above said period.  
**Name: Jai Krishan Kothidar S/o Sh. Lt. Pushkar Nath Kothidar R/o Channi Himmat**

**NOTICE**  
I, Rajeev Sharma (Attorney Holder) S/o Pawan Sharma R/o H. No. 286, Sector-G, Sainik Colony Jammu have applied for transfer of lease hold right of Shop No. 67, Yard No.6 Ext. 2nd measuring 12x15 Transport Nagar, Jammu. If anybody has any objection kindly approach Secretary JDA within 7 days.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
I, Hans Raj Sharma S/o Lt. Sh. Dina Nath R/o 410, Sector 4 Channi Himmat am the original allottee/transferee of Plot No. 410, Sector No.4 in Housing Colony Channi Himmat Jammu and have applied for transfer of leasehold rights to freehold rights to freehold rights of above said plot in my favour. Objection, if any, may be conveyed to the Managing Director, J&K Housing Board, Green Belt Park, Gandhi Nagar, Jammu within a period of 15 days from the date of publication of this Notice. However, no objection will be entertained after the expiry of the above said period.  
**Name: Hans Raj Sharma S/o Lt. Sh. Dina Nath R/o 410, Sector 4 Channi Himmat Jammu**

**NOTICE**  
I, Neeraj Sharma S/O Lt. Mulakh Raj Sharma R/O Q.No. 14 Rehari, Jammu is applying for transfer the lease hold rights in respect of Shop site no. 7 measuring 12'x15' Phase II situated at Paloura Housing colony, Jammu before the office of Jammu Development Authority if any body have any objections submit the same before the office of Jammu Development Authority within the period of 7 days after the publication of this notice.

**NOTICE**  
I, Ajay Wattal S/O Piaray Krishan Wattal R/O 19-A Karan Nagar, Jammu is applying for transfer the lease hold rights in respect of plot no. 18 N and 19 N measuring 5020 Sqft. situated at Roop Nagar Housing Colony, Jammu before the office of Jammu Development Authority if any body have any objections submit the same before the office of Jammu Development Authority within the period of 7 days after the publication of this notice.

**NOTICE**  
I, Rahul Magotra S/O Sh.P.K. Sharma R/O H.No. 180/4 JDA Housing Colony Upper Roop Nagar, Jammu is applying for transfer the lease hold rights in respect of Shop no. 5 Sector 3 measuring 10'9"x16' situated at Rajinder Nagar Housing Colony, Jammu before the office of Jammu Development Authority if any body have any objections submit the same before the office of Jammu Development Authority within the period of 7 days after the publication of this notice.

**NOTICE**  
I, Sumit Bharti S/o Satish Bharti, R/o H.NO 96/P Sec 1, Trikuta Nagar, Jammu. I am working in collection agency (City Enterprises) and I have lost my fullerton India official receipt book (book No. 396913 book series. 9922801 to 9922825, when I was going residency road to Raghnath Bazar on 01/05/2023. Kindly logged my missing Receipt Book complain.

**NOTICE**  
I, have applied for conversion lease hold rights into free hold with regard to Plot No. 334, Sector No.1A at Trikuta Nagar Housing Colony Jammu. Objections if anybody please convey to Secretary JDA within 10 days from the issuance of this notice.  
**With regard. Smt. Sunita Sharma W/o Sh. Subash Chander R/o Roop Nagar, Jammu**

## NABARD team inspects works under flagship programme

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**  
KATHUA: A special team of NABARD Jammu on Wednesday reviewed works being done under NABARD flagship watershed development program in collaboration with PIA SARDA and Village Watershed Development Committee Sukhalkhadd in village Athayalta Block Mahanpur under District Kathua.



NABARD team during visit to site.

SARDA Mohammad Ghulam Ishaq together inspected the site and satisfied with the work being done by VWC. All the villagers thanked the PIA SARDA and

NABARD for running the watershed programme in a remote village like Athayalata. More than 50 villagers also participated in the program along with the dignitaries.

## Progress of Jal Jeevan Mission schemes reviewed at Poonch



DDC Poonch, Yasin M. Choudhary chairing a meeting.

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**  
POONCH: District Development Commissioner Poonch, Yasin M. Choudhary reviewed the progress of works and schemes taken up under Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM), here at a meeting held in the conference Hall of DC office complex.

The JJM aims to provide the potable drinking water facility to each and every household by 15th August 2023, the timeline set by the Government.

A threadbare discussion was held in connection with the implementation of Jal Jeevan Mission Program in the district, besides reviewing other ongoing schemes under NABARD, NRDWP and Languishing projects. The DDC also reviewed the progress of Irrigation & Flood Control works in the District.

Superintending Engineer Hydraulic Circle Poonch, Er Rajinder K. Sharma informed the chair about the progress of JJM and other works taken up under NABARD, NRDWP and

Languishing schemes. He informed that 128 JJM schemes comprising 256 works have been approved for the district at a cost of Rs. 508 crore. He said the works were tendered and allotted to different agencies strictly as per GFR 2017.

He said work on 204 schemes was in progress and 106 Borewells have been completed. He further assured that all the schemes under JJM would be completed within the set timeline.

The DDC exhorted the Field Engineers to work with mission mode to ensure completion of Jal Jeevan Mission Program of the Govt. well before 15th August 2023, the time line fixed by the government.

The meeting was attended by Chief Planning Officer, Maqsood Ahmed, SE PHE, Er. Rajinder K. Sharma, XEN PHE Er. Riaz Ahmad, XEN I&FC Division Er. Vaneet Vaid, AEs, AEs and Junior Engineers of the PHE Division Poonch and other concerned officers.

## Orientation programme on fire prevention & emergency services held at GDC Vijaypur

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**  
SAMBA: Government Degree College Vijaypur, in collaboration with Fire and Emergency Station, conducted an awareness/orientation programme on fire prevention and emergency services for the faculty and students of GDC Vijaypur under the patronship of worthy Principal of the college Prof. (Dr.) Vandana Gupta.

The program was initiated with the welcome address by Prof. Poonam Kundan, Head of Department of Environmental Sciences. She briefed the students regarding the imperativeness of the program to promote safety and reduce the risk of fire-related incidents.

In the first session, Jograj Singh Jasrotia (Incharge, Fire and Emergency Station, Vijaypur) explained to the students regarding types of fires and how various precautionary measures should be adopted during such disasters. He gave various tips on how to prevent fires from starting, such as keeping flammable materials

away from heat sources using smoke detectors and being cautious when cooking.

In the second session, mock drill was conducted by the team of personnel of fire station Vijaypur wherein they explicated the varied simple modes of using fire extinguishers in a user friendly manner and other firefighting equipment.

Principal of the College Dr. Vandana Gupta tendered sincerely the endeavour of fire and emergency services.

The students were unveiled from the ignorance of such imperative and cautious need as the hand holding of fire extinguishers and emergency evacuation was simplified to them.

Vote of thanks was presented by Dr. Shital Sharma (HOD Mathematics). The whole event was coordinated by Dr. Shital Sharma and Prof. Poonam Kundan and co-ordinated by Dr. Bandhana Khajuria, Dr. Gunjeet Mahiwal and Prof. Sonia Devi.

**IN THE COURT 2ND ADDITIONAL MUNSIFF, JAMMU**

**Present: Shama Sharma**

**Proclamation**

File No. 640 Civil/  
Date of Institution 09-05-2023  
Parvinder Kumar  
Vs  
Payal Sharma  
**Defendants**

**IN THE MATTER OF:** Suit for ejectment of the defendants from premises under her tenancy, comprising of shop situated at 64 Rehari Colony.  
Notice to: 1 Abhay Sharma S/o Late Kuldeep Kumar & Payal Sharma  
2. Palak Sharma D/o Late Kuldeep Kumar & Payal Sharma  
Both resident of H.No. 763 Near J&K Bank Rehari Colony, Jammu.  
Whereas above titled civil suit is pending for disposal before this court wherein the above said proposed defendants could not be served yet. This Court is satisfied that service of the said defendants is not possible in an ordinary process. Therefore, through the medium of this proclamation, the proposed defendants above said are called upon to appear before this Court and file their objections in person or through counsel on or before the next date of hearing i.e 26-04-2023 for their impleadment as defendants, failing which they shall be impleaded as defendants and the suit shall be decided in their absence and shall be binding upon them. If the date fixed is declared holiday the matter shall be taken upon next working day.  
Giving under my hand and seal of this court today on 01-04-2023.  
**Sd/-**  
**2nd Additional Munsiff Jammu**

**IN THE COURT OF CIVIL JUDGE (JR. DIVISION) R.S PURA**

**Present:- Arusa Chowdhary.**

Banarsi Lal S/o Lt Dhana Ram R/o W.No. 05 (R.S Pura) Teh. R.S Pura Jammu. (Plaintiff)

**V/S**

Raj Kumar S/o Lt Dhana Ram R/o Ward No. 05 (R.S Pura) Jammu and other (Defendants)

In the matter of: Suit for declaration to the effect that plaintiff being the real son, legal heir and legal representative of Deceased Dhana Ram S/o Late Balaki Ram Who was west Pakistani Refugee of 1947 of Village Jadacli Teh. Saikot, Distt.Saikot and Expied on 26-06-2000 is entitled to claim and received the amount of Compensation/ Relief of one time Settlement for displaced persons of west Pakistani Refugees of 1947 from DC office Jammu with Further relief of permanent Prohibitory injunction restraining the dependents from creating any hurdles in getting the said claim by the Plaintiff either by themselves or through any body also in any manner whatsoever may be.

**Proclamation**

Whereas, the plaintiff(s) has/have filed the above titled suit.  
Now, the Public at large, is hereby informed through the medium of this proclamation that counsel or through any authorized agent within a period of fifteen days. After expiry of this date, no objection shall be considered and appropriate orders shall follow. If the date fixed will be holiday, then the case will be taken up on the next working days.  
Given under my hand and seal of this Court today on 29-04-2023.  
**Sd/-**  
**Civil Judge (Jr. Division) R.S Pura**

**IN THE COURT OF MUNSIFF DISTRICT MAGISTRATE (T) POONCH**

**Present:- Tabraiz Ahmed**

Naseem Akhter D/o Bagh Hussain R/o Chandak, Tehsil Haveli, District Poonch. (Applicant)

**Versus**

1. Public At large. 2. Block Development Officer Nangali (Non Applicants)

**In the matter of:** Application for directing BDO Nangali to enter date of Birth and issue date of Birth Certificate of applicant Naseem Akhter D/o Bagh Hussain DOB 30-04-2001.

**Notice to the Public Notice**

Whereas the applicant mentioned supra has filed an application for registration of his date of birth in the record of BDO Nangali as Naseem Akhter D/o Bagh Hussain DOB 30-04-2001. Now the public at large is hereby informed through this Proclamation that if anybody has any objection with respect to registration of date of birth particular of applicant then he/she may approach this court for filing objection within 15 days from the date of Publication, failing which the application shall be dealt in accordance with law. Note that in case of holiday, the matter will be taken up on the next working day. The next date fixed for hearing is 31-05-2023.  
Issued under seal and signature of this court today on 08-05-2023 at Poonch.  
**Sd/-**  
**Munsiff Distt Mobile Magistrate (T) Poonch**

**J&K Bank Limited**  
Business Support Division  
Corporate Headquarters, Srinagar  
M. A. Road Srinagar, 190001

**On-Line Tender (e-NIT)**  
for  
**Selection/Engagement of Agency for providing Skilled Manpower to the Bank**

E-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.abcpocure.com> w.e.f. **May 10, 2023, 16.00 Hrs.** Tender Document can also be downloaded from Bank's Official Website [www.jkbank.com](http://www.jkbank.com). Last date for submission of Bids is **May 31, 2023, 17.00 Hrs.**  
e-NIT Ref. No. **JWB/BSO/SMP/2023-642**  
Dated: 08-05-2023  
**DIP/J-551-P/23**

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**STATE TIMES**

**UNION TERRITORY OF JAMMU & KASHMIR**  
**OFFICE THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER**  
**PWD (R&B) CONST. DIVN. NO. I JAMMU**

EXTENSION NOTICE		
Name of work :- Notice Inviting Tender for :-		
S. No.	Name of Work	Advertised Cost
1	1/ Macadamization of roads in Block A,B,C&D Gandhi Nagar area and near House No. 19-C Extn. Gandhi Nagar area, Jammu (Amount Rs. 25.00 Lacs). 2/ Macadamization of link road from Main Kunjwani Narwal road to old Little Flower School (Plats) Greater Kailash, Jammu (Amount Rs. 23.00 Lacs). 3/Macadamization of road from National Highway to Raika Masjid (Amount Rs. 20.00 Lacs). (Under City and Town Programme for the year 2023-24)	68.00
2	1/ Macadamization of roads in Vishal Colony and adjoining lanes (Amount Rs. 15.00 Lacs). 2/ Macadamization of roads in Raina Colony and roads in Panchayat Babliana (Amount Rs. 19.00 Lacs). 3/ Macadamization of road from Mahakali Nagar to Kansirpur Ashram Rohni via Daswan Ghat (Amount Rs. 25.00 Lacs). (Under City and Town Programme for the year 2023-24)	59.00
3	1/ Macadamization of road from Kotli Mian Fateh - Bishnah road Km 2nd onwards (Amount Rs. 33.00 Lacs). 2/ Macadamization of road from Kotli Mian Fateh Adda to Potato Farm (Amount Rs. 20.00 Lacs). (Under City and Town Programme for the year 2023-24)	53.00
4	1/ Macadamization of road from Karan Bagh Chowk to Miran Sahib Chowk via SKUAJST from Km 1st RD (20-655) Right Tube. Km 1st RD (360-418) Left tube, Km 1st RD (550-640) Left tube, RD (790-835), Km 2nd RD (550-930), Km 3rd RD (0-300), Km 6th RD (250-500) (Amount Rs. 29.00 Lacs) 2/ Macadamization of road from Chatha Mill Chowk to Rani Bagh Peer Baba Chatha (Amount Rs. 20.00 Lacs). (Under City and Town Programme for the year 2023-24)	49.00
5	1/ Macadamization of roads in Channi Himmat Sector-5 & 6 (Internal lanes) (Amount Rs. 23.00 Lacs). 2/ Macadamization of road from Channi Himmat Sector-3 & 4 near H.No. 4294 (Amount Rs. 20.00 Lacs). (Under City and Town Programme for the year 2023-24)	43.00
6	1/ Macadamization of road from Hand Pump to 4th Tawi Bridge and Ware House Main road (Part-II) (Amount Rs. 20.00 Lacs). 2/ Macadamization of various road of Bashir Gujjar Basti at Upper Belicharana and Link road in Lower Belicharana (Amount Rs. 20.00 Lacs). (Under City and Town Programme for the year 2023-24)	40.00
7	1/ Macadamization of road from Chatha Malador Stand to Khandwal & road from FC1 to Hakka Morh in Patches and stretches (Amount Rs. 20.00 Lacs). 2/ Macadamization of road at Panchayat Chatha Ward No. 6 to H/o Sh. Mohinder & adjoining area (Amount Rs. 20.00 Lacs). (Under City and Town Programme for the year 2023-24)	40.00
8	Macadamization of road from Bund Khandwal to Lalyal in stretches / patches (Under City and Town Programme for the year 2023-24)	30.00

**Reference :- This office Short e-NIT No. CD-I/02 of 2023-24 dated 25-04-2023**  
The bid submission date, the dates of downloading, submission of bids and opening of Technical bids are extended as per below.

Sl. No. of Bidding Document	Read as	Instead of
Page No. 3 of e-NIT	Period of downloading of bidding documents From 26-04-2022 to 11-05-2023, 1800 Hrs	Period of downloading of bidding documents From 26-04-2022 to 08-05-2023, 1800 Hrs
Page No. 3 of e-NIT	Bid Submission End Date 11-05-2023 upto 1800 Hrs	Bid Submission End Date 08-05-2023 upto 1800 Hrs
Page No. 3 of e-NIT	Date & time of opening of Technical Bids (Online) 12-05-2023 on or after 1400 Hrs in the Office of Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Const. Divn. No. I Jammu	Date & time of opening of Technical Bids (Online) 09-05-2023 on or after 1400 Hrs in the Office of Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Const. Divn. No. I Jammu

All other terms and conditions shall remain same.

No.: 712-30  
Dated :- 6/05/2023  
DIP/J-1219/23  
Dated :- 10/05/2023

**Sd/-**  
**(Er. K.K Atri Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Const Divn. No. I Jammu)**

**J&K FOREST DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION WEST CIRCLE JAMMU.**

**Corrigendum to e-NIT No. 01 of 2023-24, dated 25-04-2023 issued under endorsement No. 41-60/Tender/GM/FDC/W/J dated 25-04-2023.**

- Please read **Document Download End date as 24-05-2023 at 1600 Hrs** instead of **17-05-2023 at 1600 Hrs** figuring at S. No. 5 of the calendar pertaining to the above referred e-NIT.
- Please read **Bid Submission End date as 24-05-2023 at 1600 Hrs** instead of **17-05-2023 at 1600 Hrs** figuring at S. No. 6 of the calendar pertaining to the above referred e-NIT.
- Please read **Technical Bid Opening date as 25-05-2023 at 1200 Hrs** instead of **18-05-2023 at 1200 Hrs** figuring at S. No. 7 of the calendar pertaining to the above referred e-NIT.

Rest of the term and condition of the e-Nit shall remain unaltered.

**-Sd/-**  
**No. 81-100/ GM/FDC/W/J**  
**Dated 08.05.2023**  
**DIP/J-560-P/23**  
**Dated:- 10/05/2023**

**(Mohammad Ayub Khan)**  
**General Manager (Ext)**  
**J&K Forest Development Corporation**  
**West Circle Jammu**

**Government of Jammu & Kashmir**  
**Office of the Sr. Aquaculture Engineer(XEN)**  
**Fisheries Deptt Suleiman Complex Dalgate Srinagar (J&K)**  
Telephone No 0194-3513051 e-mail:- [sraquaengineer@gmail.com](mailto:sraquaengineer@gmail.com)

**Notice Inviting Tenders**  
**ABRIDGED SHORT TERM E-NIT No 03 OF 2023-24**

For and on behalf of the Lieutenant Governor of Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir, e-tenders are invited by Sr.Aquaculture Engineer(XEN), Fisheries Department J&K Srinagar by e-tendering mode on **percentage basis** from approved and the eligible registered Contractors registered with J&K Government, CPWD, Railways& other Central/State Governments of the classes mentioned here under in strict accordance with conditions noted below.

S. N o	Name of work	Approx. Cost (Rs. in lacs)	Earnest Money	Class of Contract	Cost of Tender Document	Time of opening of bid	Time of completion
01	Faceliffing of Trout Fish Farm Dachigam Srinagar in view of up-coming G 20 Summit	Rs 23,45 lacs	Rs 46900/-	"BEE"	Rs 1000/-	17-05-2023 at 12.00PM	One Month

**Position of AA= Accorded**  
**Position of Funds = Accorded**

The bidding documents consisting of qualifying information, eligibility criteria, specifications, bill of quantities (B.O.Q), set of terms & conditions of contract and other details can be seen/downloaded from [www.jktenders.gov.in](http://www.jktenders.gov.in) under **ASH/Director Fisheries /Engineering Wing** as per the schedule of dates given below.

1	Date of Issue of Tender Notice	08-05-2023
2	Period of downloading of bidding documents	08-05-2023 from 2.00 pm to 16-05-2023 upto 4:00 pm
3	Bid submission Start Date	08-05-2023 from 2:00 pm
4	Bid submission End Date	16-05-2023 upto 4:00 pm
5	Date & Time of opening Bids (Online)	17-05-2023 at 12:00 pm In the Office of the Sr. Aquaculture Engineer (XEN) Fisheries Deptt(Suleiman Complex Dalgate Srinagar

The Detailed NIT/Terms & Conditions can be had from the office of the undersigned on any working day during office hours

**Sd/-**  
**No:SAE/D/2023-24/ 76-78**  
**Dated:-08-05-2023**  
**DIP/J-1205/23**  
**Dated:- 10/05/2023**

**Camp Clerk Sr. Aquaculture Engineer (XEN)**  
**Fisheries Department**  
**Srinagar**

## SDM Khour reviews security scenario in Pargwal area

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**  
PARGWAL: Sub Divisional Magistrate Khour, Anil Kumar Thakur today conducted a tour of Pargwal area to address various public issues and to clear various inter departmental bottlenecks for effective public services delivery.

The SDM took review of the security scenario and asked to keep a close vigil on suspi-

cious activities in view of the upcoming G20 Summit at Srinagar.

Later, the SDM held an interdepartmental meeting to review the implementation of different schemes and to resolve bottlenecks.

Earlier, he convened a meeting of revenue officials and asked the department to immediately complete the ongoing Agriculture Census

and provide online services to the general public as per Public Services Guarantee Act.

Those present in the meeting included BDC Chairperson, Nisha Devi; Tehsildar Pargwal, Manjeet Singh; BDO Pargwal, BMO Pallanwala and representatives of PHE, R&B, PDD, Horticulture, Irrigation & Flood Control and Police.

listened intently to the issues raised by the villagers pertaining to road connectivity, health, electricity, and water.

The DC directed the officers to engage with the public and redress their grievances. He emphasized the significance of prioritizing the welfare of the people and ensuring that their concerns are addressed expeditiously. Moreover, the District Forest Officer (DFO) was tasked with fencing the forest land to safeguard the environment and prevent encroachment.

The visit of the Deputy Commissioner signifies the UT government's commitment to promote transparency, accountability, and public participation in the governance process. The initiative was well-received by the locals, who expressed their gratitude to the DC and his team for their efforts to resolve their concerns.



Deputy Commissioner Samba, Abhishek Sharma and others during the programme.

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**  
SAMBA: Deputy Commissioner Samba, Abhishek Sharma conducted an extensive tour of Block Purmandal to engage with the locals and address their concerns.

The tour commenced with an interactive session with youth at the Purmandal Play field, where the DC enlightened them about the perilous effects of drug addiction. Furthermore, a cricket match was held to promote

healthy competition among the youth as part of Nasha Mukta Bharat Abhiyan.

The Deputy Commissioner proceeded to hold the Block Divas at Paddal village, which is considered the remotest village in the Purmandal block. In an attempt to improve accessibility to governance, DC Sharma and his administration team trekked 11 kilometers to reach the locals of remotest village. They traversed via Devak River and