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HAPPY BIRTHDAY




Shivaay Mahajan

Class:- 4th 'B'

D.O.B:- 28-06-2016

JKPS Panjtirthi

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Usman Bashir

Class:- 7th 'B'

D.O.B:- 28-06-2012

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Poonch teacher killed by Pak shelling dubbed as terrorist by two national channels

Legal notice seeking Rs 5 cr compensation each served upon 2 national TV channels

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: The family members of Qari Mohd. Iqbal, a teacher who died on May 7, 2025 due to cross border Pak Shelling at Poonch have served a legal notice upon Zee News (A unit of Zee Media Corporation Ltd) and News 18 India(A unit of Network 18 Group) seeking damages /compensation to the tune of Rs 05 Crore each for airing/broadcasting a false, highly misleading and slanderous news item pertaining to Qari Mohd Iqbal, son of Peer Baksh, resident of Baila, Tehsil Mandi, District Poonch who died on May 7, 2025 at District Hospital Poonch because of Pakistan's Shelling but the two leading News Channels of the country maliciously labelled the deceased as a hardcore Terrorist associated with Lashkar-e-Toiba/Hizbul Mujahideen and further claimed that the deceased Teacher was on the most wanted hit-list of NIA and was killed by Indian Forces in a Terrorist Camp at Kotli (POK). The News Channels also claimed that the deceased Qari Mohd Iqbal had played a pivotal role in the Pulwama Terrorist Attack and Indian Forces were in search of this 'Khoon khaar Commander'.




In the legal notice served through S S Ahmed & Associates Advocates, it has been alleged that the damage caused by the misleading/malicious reporting to the deceased and his family members is irreparable and is a classic example of Yellow/unethical Journalism and the said News items also exhibited the high level of carelessness, gross misconduct and lack of responsibility on the part of the two Channels as despite government advisories/Press Council of India guidelines and norms of journalistic ethics, the story of War like situation was carried out without verifying its contents from genuine Government sources and an innocent teacher was dubbed as a "dreaded terrorist" aligned to outlawed terrorist organisations and the damage which is irreparable can only be indemnified by paying exemplary damages quantified as Rupees 05 Crore each to the family members of the deceased teacher as no apology of any kind can repair the damage caused to the reputation of the deceased and his family members.

A period of three weeks has been given to the Management of the two Channels to do the needful.

CAT quashes SSB's advt notification as same relates to post of Forester Jmu Division

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: A Bench of Central Administrative Tribunal (CAT) comprising Sanjeev Gupta (J) and Pragya Sahay Saksena (A) quashed the Advt Notification no. 04 of 2022 dated July 27, 2022 issued by the Service Selection Board in so far as the same relates to the post of Forester Jammu Division. CAT after hearing Sr Adv Abhinav Sharma with Adv Ravi Abrol for the petitioner also imposed costs of Rs 25000 on Chairman, Secretary and Controller of Examination J&KSSB for violation of interim order dated September 23, 2022 passed by this Tribunal to be paid to Advocates Welfare Fund, High Court of J&K, within a period of one month. The petitioners filed a present petition seeking setting aside the impugned Advertisement Notification no. 04 of 2022 dated July 27, 2022 issued by the SSB in so far as the same relates to the post of Forester Jammu Division, figuring at serial no. 193 and also seeking direction to the Service Selection Board to provide minimum qualification for direct recruitment to the post of Forester as "Bachelor's degree in Science or equivalent qualification with at least one of the subject in Forestry; Botany, Zoology; Agriculture, Bio-Technology, Environmental Science, Horticulture, Science Subject" in pursuance of the judgment dated December 4, 2017 passed by the High Court in case titled "Mohd. Yousuf Ganai & Ors. Vs. State of Jammu and Kashmir and Ors. CAT after hearing both the sides observed that it is also not discernible as to how the minimum qualification for a junior post is higher than that of a senior post, that is, the minimum qualification for the post of Forest Guard (which is lower than that of Forester) is Bachelor's Degree whereas that of the Forester is 10+2 with science subject. With these observations and in the facts and circumstances of the case, Original Application No. 1338 of 2022 and O.A. No. 1048 of 2024 are allowed and stand disposed and ordered that the Advertisement Notification no. 04 of 2022 dated July 27, 2022 issued by the Service Selection Board in so far as the same relates to the post of Forester Jammu Division, figuring at serial no. 193 is quashed and also ordered that the notices dated July 10, 2024 and September 5, 2024 to the extent they relate to the post of Forester Jammu Division, issued by respondent no. 4 in O.A. No. 1048 of 2024 are also quashed.

UNION TERRITORY OF JAMMU & KASHMIR

GOVERNMENT MEDICAL COLLEGE & ASSOCIATED HOSPITAL RAJOURI

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NOTICE

It is information for all the eligible candidates who have applied for the post advertised vide No. 73 GMCR of 2023 dated 02/12/2023 that the written exam will now be held on 27/07/2025. The notice for center of exam will be issued separately.

Additionally, the syllabus for the post advertised under the above-mentioned advertisement no. is similar to the Jammu and Kashmir Service Selection board syllabus for the same kinnd of post

No: GMCR/2025-26/1616-21

Dated: 25-06-2025

DIP/J-2750/25

Dated: 27-06-2025

Sd/-

Prof (Dr) A S Bhatia

Principal

Govt Medical College Rajouri

NOTICE

I, Anchal Kumari Prajapati D/o Anada Lal Prajapati R/o Near Shiv Mandir, Sunjwan, Jammu state that my name name has wrongly been written as Achal Kumari instead of Anchal Kumari Prajapati in my Aadhar Card bearing No. 700750760826. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to concerned authority within seven days.

NOTICE

I, Jagdev Singh S/o S. Mangat Singh R/o H.No. 222, Sect:-A, Sainik Colony Jammu P.No: 180011 state that my name has wrongly been written as Jagdave Singh instead of Jagdev Singh in my Aadhar Card bearing No. 262442706484. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to concerned authority within seven days.

NOTICE

I, Brij Raj Singh Jamwal, Brij Bhushan Singh Jamwal, Brij Kumar Jamwal S/o Vasdev Singh R/o H.No. 19, Exchange Road, Jammu. I am applying for the registration of my Plot No.144, measuring 40ft X 80ft located at Upper Roop Nagar, Sector-9, Jammu. Objection if any conveyed to office of the JDA, Rail Head Complex, Jammu within seven days.

NOTICE

I, Asho Kumari W/o Prem Singh R/o Village Dhandal P.O: Jaganoo, Teh: Ram Nagar, District Udhampur state that my name has wrongly been written as Asha Devi instead of Asho Kumari in my Aadhar Card bearing No. 384714862552. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to concerned authority within seven days.

NOTICE

I, Salinder Kaur W/o Ajit Singh R/o Nardi, Bala Jammu Akhnoor J&K state that my name has wrongly been written as Surinder Kour instead of Salinder Kaur in my Aadhar Card bearing No. 879723665178. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to concerned authority within seven days.

NOTICE

I, Sh. Roshan Lal Kaul S/o sh. S.J.Kaul R/o House No.05, Lane No.07, Puran Nagar Bhagwati Nagar, Jammu an applying for transfer of Electricity connection Consumer ID No. 0103010028326 & Water Meter Connection ID No. 0101020191421 in the name of Ganga Devi W/o Sh. Ram Krishan R/o House No.99, Lal Dhaar, Mughal Maidan, Kishitwar, J&K have purchased the said property mentioned above and hereby declare that I have applied for change of name on the Electricity and water Meter Connections associated with this property. Any Objection may be reported to the respective Utility authorities within 7 days of this notice.

NOTICE

My name has wrongly been written as Fozia Khan instead of Fozia Mirza of my son's school record in his 8th class under Roll No. 19, Session (24-25) studying at Crescent Public School Janipur, Jammu. Now I am applying for Correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to concerned authority within 7 days.

Fozia Mirza

M/o Raja Bilawal Maroof Khan

R/o H.No.1664, Lakkar Mandi, Janipur, Jammu

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, Arvind Kumar legal heir of the deceased Late Sh. Mohan Lal S/o Ram Lai R/O Village Radwan Kalan, Ramgarh, Samba of Plot No.107, Sector No-4 in Housing Colony, Channi Himmat, Jammu and have applied for transfer of leasehold rights of above said plot in my favour. The following original papers issued by J&K Housing Board stands misplaced not traceable. 1. Allotment Letter. 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.

NOTICE

I, Suman Datta, , D/o Sh Ved Parkash, R/o Ward No 11, Mohalla Panditan, Poonch, Tehsil Haveli, District Poonch, J&K UT, stated that my name and Date of Birth have wrongly been written as Suman Lata (wrong name) instead of Suman Datta (Right Name) and November 15, 1969 (wrong Date of Birth) instead of May 9, 1969 (Right Date of Birth) in my Aadhaar Card. I am applying for the correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed the concerned authority within 7 days of publication of this notice.

NOTICE

I, Raveena W/o Farman Ali Ward No.5, Chak Dravkhan Kathua. I am applying for Date of Birth Certificate of my son Mohd. Bilal who born at GMC Kathua vide MRD No.17746 Dated: 19-12-2023. Objection if any may be conveyed to Office of the Tehsildar Kathua within seven days.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The plot No. 64 A/D measuring 75'x120' at Housing Colony Gandhinagar, Jammu was allotted to Sh. Bashir Ahmed Burza vide Govt Order No.33-13-273-A dated 27/01/1962. The Ownership Rights of the said plot is under the process of transfer to Sh. R. K. Suri and Sh. Yogeshwar Mengi R/o 64 A/D Gandhinagar, Jammu on the basis of Court decree and Sale deed. Any person having any objections to this transfer shall furnish the same in writing to the office of Managing Director J&K Housing Board Jammu within a period of 15 days, however no objection will be entertained after the expiry of the above said period.

Sd/-

R. K. Suri and Yogeshwar Mengi

R/o 64 A/D Gandhinagar, Jammu

Dated: 27-06-2025

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STATE TIMES

HIGH COURT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH AT SRINAGAR

(Chief Justice's Secretariat)

ADVERTISEMENT NOTIFICATION NO: 03 of 2025/Psy

DATED: 26.06.2025

Subject:- Advertisement for the District Cadre posts of Drivers Grade-II, in the Pay Level-2 (19900-63200) in District Judiciary of UT of Jammu & Kashmir.

Online applications are invited from the eligible candidates for participating in the selection process for the District Cadre posts of Drivers Grade-II in the Pay Level-2 (19900-63200) in District Judiciary of UT of Jammu & Kashmir. The important dates/details with regard to the posts being advertised are as under:

a)	Date of commencement for submission of online applications	28.06.2025
b)	Cut of date/Last Date for submission of online application	15.07.2025
c)	Last Date for submission of fee	15.07.2025

1. NUMBER AND BREAK-UP OF POSTS, CATEGORY-WISE:

Name of District Cadre	No. of vacant posts with break-up	
Jammu	OM	01
	SC	01
Ramban	OM	01
Doda	OM	01
Rajouri	OM	01
Baramullah	OM	01
	SC	01
	OM	01
Srinagar	SC	01
	OM	01
Kupwara	OM	01
Kulgam	OM	01
Budgam	OM	01
Anantnag	OM	01
Total		13

Total Number of Driver Grade-II Posts Advertised = 13

2. DOMICILE: The candidate(s) seeking to apply for the advertised posts shall be Domicile(s) of the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir and must possess a valid Domicile Certificate issued by the Competent Authority on the prescribed format in terms of the Jammu and Kashmir Grant of Domicile Certificate (Procedure) Rules, 2020 notified vide S.O. 166 of 2020 dated 18.05.2020, on or before the cut-off date. The Domicile certificate is required to be uploaded while submitting online application

3. AGE LIMIT: The requirement of age for applying against these posts, as on 01.01.2025 for Open Merit & various Reserved Category Candidates, shall be as under:

S. No.	Category	Maximum Age Limit in Years
i)	Open Merit (OM)	40
ii)	SC	43
iii)	Government Service/ Contractual Employment	40

4. QUALIFICATION REQUIRED: The minimum academic/technical Qualification(s) prescribed for the advertised posts by or before the last date of submission of application forms are mentioned below. The qualification certificate and LMV/ HMV Driving License are required to be uploaded while submitting online application.

Name of post	Pay Scale	No. of Vacancies	Minimum qualification
Driver (Grade-II)	Level-2 (19900-63200)	13	Matric with valid LMV/ HMV Driving License

Note: - Number of posts may increase or decrease, depending on vacancy position at the time of final selection.

5. APPLICATION OF RESERVATION: A candidate seeking consideration under Reserved Categories must ensure that they possess a valid Category Certificate strictly as on the Cut-off Date and the same is required to be uploaded while submitting online application. The reservation for various categories would be determined as per the provisions of Reservation Act, 2004 & the Rules framed there under as amended by the Government of UT of Jammu & Kashmir vide S.O. 176 Dated 15.03.2024 read with S.O. 305 Dated 21.05.2024. A candidate uploading invalid or irrelevant Category Certificate shall face rejection of his/her application form.

6. APPLICATION FEE: A Fee payable: Rs.400/-(Rupees Four Hundred only) for all categories. Fees are to be paid through online mode only. Application received without prescribed fee shall be rejected.

7. DATE & CENTRE OF EXAMINATION: The eligible candidates shall have to appear in the test on the date(s) to be notified separately. The information about venues, dates of Driving test/written test/ interview/downloading of Admit Card to the eligible candidates shall be available on the official website of the High Court, i.e., <https://www.jkhighcourt.nic.in> in due course. No claim of being unaware of the dates and schedule shall be entertained. The prospective candidates are advised to keep watch on the High Court website during whole selection process. No representation for change of examination centre shall be entertained under any circumstances.

8. SCHEME OF EXAMINATION: The Selection criteria shall consist of:

i) Driving Test (Qualifying nature)

All the applicants are required to appear in Driving Test in first instance and only those candidates who qualify the Driving test shall be eligible for appearing in written/ OMR test.

ii) Written CBT/OMR test structure (50 marks)

a. The test shall comprise of an online Computer Based Test (CBT) /OMR Examination carrying 50 marks;

b. The Examination shall be of 60 minutes duration.

c. The question paper shall comprise of 50 questions and each question shall carry one mark. Each question will contain multiple choices.

d. There shall be no negative marking;

e. The candidates who secure marks as per merit will be called for interview/ viva-voce in the ratio of 1:5

iii) Interview/Viva-Voce (10 marks)

a. The interview/viva-voce shall carry 10 marks

b. The final selection for the post will be made on the basis of combined merit obtained in CBT/OMR Examination and Interview.

Note: Mode of examination shall be notified later.

9. SYLLABUS/PATTERN OF QUESTION PAPER FOR THE ONLINE CBT/ WRITTEN/OMR EXAMINATION:

The question paper shall comprise of following parts with breakup of marks:

a. Traffic Rules and Signaling = 20 marks

b. Motor parts and its repair = 15 marks

c. General Knowledge/Current Affairs = 15 marks;

10. PROCEDURE FOR FILLING ONLINE APPLICATION: The necessary instructions regarding filling up of online applications, including the details of the Online Portal in this regard shall be made available on the High Court Website separately. Candidates will be required to fill the application form in online mode only and no other means/mode of application will be accepted. Candidates are advised to fill the details on the application form carefully and upload the properly scanned documents/ photographs on the portal as they may not get the chance to edit the applications forms later. Uploading blurred or unclear photographs/documents may lead to rejection of the application forms.

11. IN-SERVICE CANDIDATES: The in-service candidates/contractual employees shall submit photocopy of the filled up online application form through proper channel viz. the concerned Head of Department. In the event of failure of the candidate to route the application through proper channel, his/her eligibility shall be assessed as if he/she is not an in-service candidate. The Head of Department concerned shall forward the application form of the in-service candidates to the address of the Principal Secretary to Hon'ble the Chief Justice, High Court of J&K and Ladakh, Srinagar, within 15 days after the last date of filing their application form.

12. FINALITY OF DECISION OF THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY: The decision of the Competent Authority in all matters relating to eligibility, acceptance or rejection of the applications, penalty for false information, mode of selection, conduct of tests / examination(s), allotment of examination centre, debarment for indulging in malpractices, preparation of result / merit list, etc. will be final and binding on the candidates and no enquiry/ correspondence in this regard will be entertained.

Important Instructions:

a) Applications alongwith with the prescribed fee will be received only through online mode on the recruitment portal of the High Court of J&K and Ladakh link of which will be activated w.e.f. 28.06.2025 on the High Court website: <https://www.jkhighcourt.nic.in>.

b) Application Form and fee payment shall not be accepted / entertained after the cut-off date fixed for receipt of the same.

c) Candidates are not required to submit the printout of the Application Form / fee payment receipt in the office of Pr. Secretary to Hon'ble the Chief Justice, High Court of J&K and Ladakh at this stage.

d) The printout Application Form along with fee payment receipt and required copies of documents, however, shall be kept ready to be submitted as and when required.

e) The last date for the submission of online application Form as prescribed above shall be the cut-off date for determining the eligibility to apply for the post. Any qualification/experience acquired after last date of receipt/submission of online Application Forms i.e. 15.07.2025 shall not be taken into account for any purpose.

f) The prescribed qualifications reflect the bare minimum requirement of the job and mere possession thereof shall not entitle a candidate to be called for test/ examination.

g) Qualification/Category Certificate acquired after the last date of submission of application shall not be taken for consideration.

h) No TA/DA will be paid for participation in the test/examination.

i) In case, any information submitted by the candidate, while filling the application form is found to be incorrect or false in that event his/her candidature shall be cancelled at any stage of the selection process.

j) The allocation of the District Cadre in favour of successful candidates shall be made on the basis of merit-cum-preference method. The allocation of District Cadre once notified shall be final and binding on the successful candidates and no representation/ request shall be entertained for change in the District Cadre so allocated. If the allocation of preferred District Cadre is not possible the decision of the Competent Authority in this regard shall be final and binding.

No: 839-852/Psy-621

Dated:- 26-06-2025

DIP/J-2737/25

Dated:- 27/06/2025

Sd/-

(M.K Sharma)

Principal Secretary to,

Hon'ble the Chief Justice