Several Sikh organisations protest over inaction against revenue official of harassing minorities



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RAJOURI/JAMMU: Several Sikh youth organisations staged protests in Rajouri, Nowshera, Sunderbani, and Jammu against the alleged failure of the Poonch district administration to safeguard minority communities.

The protests erupted following multiple complaints of harassment faced by Sikh and Hindu families in Muslimmajority areas of Poonch, which, according to protestors, have not been acted upon by the administration.

specifically Protesters named Naveed Ahmad, a Patwari of Halqa Shindhara in Tehsil Haveli, accusing him of making derogatory remarks against the Sikh community in a video that recently went viral on social media.

The video has sparked outrage, with Sikh leaders calling it an attempt to damage communal harmony in the region. Naveed, a revenue department official, is also accused of tampering with land records belonging to Sikh and Hindu families.

Despite these serious allegations, $_{\mathrm{the}}$ District Administration Poonch has

reportedly not taken strong legal action.

Protestors say the only step taken so far is that Naveed Ahmad has been attached to the office by the Additional Deputy Commissioner, which they claim is a mere formality and not a punishment.

The Sikh community is demanding his immediate suspension and the registration of an FIR under Section 295 of the IPC for hurting religious sentiments.

Leaders like Isher Singh, Mohinder Singh, Romail Singh, Amrit Singh Khalsa (Simble Camp), Gurcharan Singh, and Nasib Singh have urged Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha to order a highlevel inquiry into the conduct of the Poonch administration and take strict legal action against the accused.

In a separate but related case, an ASI named Mohammad Rashid, reportedly serving in Rajouri and a resident of village Gulpur (Tehsil Haveli), is accused of trying to encroach on land belonging to Daljeet Singh, a retired CEO. Despite complaints, no action has been taken, protestors allegeD.

Sikh organisations are

Sadguru Shri Madhuparamhans enlightens devotees on Power of Sumiran

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divine importance of Sumiran - the remembrance of God through breath. Speaking with deep spiritual insight, Maharaj Ji explained that Sahib has extensively highlighted the greatness of Sumiran, stating, "You are in the breath. Fire is contained in the wind."

In his enlightening sermon, he affirmed. The soul

demanding that the National Investigation Agency (NIA) and State Investigation Agency (SIA) probe the financial activities of both officials to uncover any potential external support. The community has also

warned that if no legal action is taken, Sikh youth will mobilize in Poonch, and the administration will be held responsible for any untoward incident. Meanwhile, the District Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee (DGPC) Rajouri

has strongly condemned the use of abusive language by Naveed Ahmad, asserting that no one has the right to insult any religion. They have appealed to higher authorities for his termination and legal prosecution.

Office of the Executive Engineer, Jammu Power Distribution Corporation Limited (JPDCL), Poonch **Power Development Department** Email:xemrepoonch@gmail.com Tel No. 01965-220117 Fax No.01965-220117

SHORT TERM NOTICE e- NIT No: 08 of 2025 Dated: 27.06.2025

INVITATION:-

For and on behalf of the Lieutenant Governor of the UT of Jammu and Kashmir, the Executive Engineer (Distribution), Electric Division JPDCL Poonch hereinafter referred as 'Employer', invites online e-bids from reputed Companies or Class 'A' registered contractors for below mentioned work under Bharatnet-GP-2025-26.

S. No	Name of Work	Period of Completion	Status of Funds
1	Laying of LT Line at Ajote		
2	Laying of LT Line at Bhainch		
3	Laying of LT Line at Dara Bagyal		
4	Laying of LT Line at Dara Dullian Kawarian		
5	Laying of LT Line at Dara Dullian Upper		
6	Laying of LT Line at Hari Budha Lower		
7	Laying of LT Line at Hari Budha Upper		
8	Laying of LT Line at Jhullas Upper		
9	Laying of LT Line at Kalai		
10	Laying of LT Line at Kanuyian Upper		
11	Laying of LT Line at Karmara		
12	Laying of LT Line at Kassalian	20 Days	Available
13	Laying of LT Line at Khanater Dalera	20 Days	Available
14	Laying of LT Line at Khanater Duprian		
15	Laying of LT Line at Khanater Kalsan		
16	Laying of LT Line at Mangnar Upper		
17	Laying of LT Line at Nehrian		
18	Laying of LT Line at Noorkote		
19	Laying of LT Line at Qasba Upper		
20	Laying of LT Line at Seri Chowana		
21	Laying of LT Line at Seri Chowana A		
22	Laying of LT Line at Seri Khawaja		
23	Laying of LT Line at Seri Khawaja Left		
24	Laying of LT Line at Shiendara Lower		

terms and conditions of the Standard Bidding Document with full understanding of its implications The tender document is available at website http://jktenders.gov.in. Interested Bidders may

- view, download the e-Bid document, seek clarification and submit their e-Bid online up to the date and time mentioned in the table below: Special condition 1:- It is mandatory to mention the name of work, e-NIT No, and name of contractor
 - on Treasury Challan. The Date on the Treasury Challan/Bank Draft must be after e-NIT. Pulish Date (must be between the date of start of bid and Bid Submission end date).
 - 2. The date of Earnest Money i.e 2% in shape of CDR, FDR, must be between the date of start of bid and Bid submission end date) pledged to Executive Engineer Electric Divison JPDCL Poonch. The bidder has mandatory upload scan copy of GST Registration & Latest clearance Certificate Form GSTR-3B of last Month/Quartely. 3.
- The date of the Additional Performance Security i.cum balance in shape of CDR, FDR, BG should be after the opening date of Fiancial Bid pledged to Executive Engineer Electric Division JPDCL Poonch
- Additional Performance Security for Unbalanced bider.

The successful bidder L1 shall have to deposit an additional performance security in the shape of CDR/FDR/BG before award of contract in case the bid of the successful a bidder is found to be nce and the following scale shall apply there to.

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S. No.	Percentage of Unbalanced bid viz Advertised cost on account of Low Rate	Additional Performance Security
1	Upto and including 15% below	Nil
2	15% upto and including 20% below	5% of the Advertised Cost.
3	20% upto and including 25% below	10% of the Advertised Cost.
4	25% upto and including 30% below	15% of the Advertised Cost.
5'	30% upto more below	20% of the Advertised Cost.

A	Tender Document Sale/Download Start Date	27.06.2025; 11:00 AM	
в	Tender Document Sale/Download End Date	14.07.2025; 04:00 PM	
С	e-Bid submission (start) date & time	27.06.2025; 11:00 AM	
D	e-Bid submission (end) date & time	14.07.2025; 04:00 PM	
E	Submission of Hard Copy of Tender Fee & EMD Instrument (End) date & time	15.07.2025 up to 04:00 PM	
F	Commercial and Technical Bid opening date & time	16.07.2025; 11:00 AM	

Jammu & Kashmir Sports Council

Administrative Block Bakshi Stadium, Srinagar (May-October), M A Stadium, Jammu J&K 180001 (Nov.-May),

E-mail: - jkstatesportscouncil@gmail.com, activitysection.jkssc@gmail.com, Contact No: - 0194-2311207, 0194-2310064 0191-2570423, 0191-2560771.

Sub:- Unauthorised absence of Mr. Kshitij Mansotra, Wrestling Mentor, Indoor Sports Hall Qoimoh Kulgam and Mr. Hunykeit Sharma, Mentor KIC Kho-Kho Pahalgam Anantnag - Termination of services thereof.

Ref:- Divisional Sports Officer (C), J&K Sports Council office letter No: -SC/SOC/06/01-02 dated: - 04.04.2025.

Sports Council Order No. 235 of 2025 A T E D: 27-06-2025

In view of continuous absenteeism from their legitimate duties as reported by the concerned Incharge and verified from the Smart Attendance System, the services of the following mentors are hereby terminated with effect from the dates mentioned against their names:-

Dated:- DIP/J-	4224/2571-72 · 27-06-2025 966- P/25 :- 28/06/2025		Sd/- S E C R E T A R Y J&K Sports Council
2.	Mr. Hunykeit Sharma, Mentor	KIC Kho-Kho Pahalgam Anantnag	09.12.2024
1.	Mr. Kshitij Mansotra, Wrestling Mentor	Qoimoh Kulgam	
S. No.	Name of the Mentor with Discipline	Designated Khelo India Centre location	Effect of termination of services

	GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR MMU AND KASHMIR SERVICES SELECTION BOARD PO Chowk, Panjtirthi, Jammu/ ZamZam Complex Rambagh, Srinagar (www.jkssb.nic.in)
Subject:	<u>Provisional Selection List</u> for the posts of Legal Assistant & Junior Legal Assistant, Advertisement Notification No's 05 of 2020 and 03
	of 2021.
	NOTIFICATION
	Whereas, the Jammu and Kashmir Services Selection Board, vide Indent No's.
LD(Estt) 20	019/51 dated 05.10.2020, followed by No. LD(SL) 2015/14-Adv.Gen dated
08.12.2020	and No. LD(SL) 2015/14-Adv.Gen dated 17.04.2021, received 32 Posts of
Legal Ass	istant & Junior Legal Assistant from Department of Law, Justice and
	ry Affairs, which were put to advertisement vide Notification No's. 05 of 2020 2-2020 and 03 of 2021 dated 04-06-2021, as per the following category-wise

break up:

	Leg	al As	sista	nt/ Jr.	Legal A	ssistar	nt		
Cadre	ом	sc	ST	osc	ALC/IB	RBA	PSP	EWS	TOTAL
UT/ District	16	04	02	0	02	04	02	02	32

Whereas, the requisite qualification for selection against these posts, as per the Indent/ advertisement, was mentioned as under:

Legal Assistant	A Bachelors Degree in Law of a University established by Law in India having two years actual practice at Bar.
Junior Legal	A Bachelors Degree in Law of a University
Assistant	established by Law in India.

Whereas, the Department of Law, Justice & Parliamentary Affairs, vide letter

No. Law-Estt/69/2021-10 dated 02.08.2021, communicated a following revised breakup for

the post of Junior Legal Assistant advertise	d vide Notification No. 03 of 2021, Item No. 599:
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Description	ом	SC	ST	osc	ALC/IB	RBA	PSP	EWS	TOTAL
Earlier Breakup of posts	4	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	9
New Breakup of posts as communicated	5	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	9

Accordingly, the J&K Services Selection Board (JKSSB) vide Notification No.

SSB/Secy/2021/7275-93 dated 25.10.2021, revised the breakup of posts for Item No. 599, reflecting the revised details as under:

Post	OM	SC	ST	OSC	ALC/IB	RBA	PSP	EWS	TOTAL
Junior Legal Assistant	5	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	9

on 20.03.2022. Subsequently, based on performance in the written test, the

Result/Scoresheet of the candidates was notified vide No. JKSSB-COEEXAM(UT)/42/2023-03 (7189468) dated 03.01.2025.

Whereas, the JKSSB, vide Letter No. JKSSB-PLAN/19/2023-03 (E-7209231) dated 20.11.2023, returned the two posts(02) one each under OM and SC categories of Item No. 599 (03 of 2021) to the Department Law, Justice & Parliamentary Affairs as



Explaining through a symbolic analogy, Maharaj Ji compared the soul's journey to a spider descending and ascending on a deliself-made catethread - subtle yet strong

Sadguru Ji underlined that

true spirituality begins with

Sumiran. He stated that all forms of spiritual practices -

jap, tapa, sanyam, and sad-

hana - are encompassed

within Sumiran. Urging the

devotees to abandon external rituals, he said, "Forget the

external rosary; meditate

resides in the Agya Chakra. Whether the work is physical or mental, breath remains constant. It is the soul that breathes." He further added that all world religions agree that the body functions through the energy of the soul, yet humanity remains unaware of the soul's deeper essence. "God resides within the soul, but man continues to seek Him outside. Like the musk deer that searches the forest for the fragrance already within its navel, we too wander despite divinity residing within.

He emphasized the crucial role of a Sadguru, saying, "A true master can reveal the presence of God within in an instant." Quoting scriptures and saints, Sadguru Ji noted that authentic spiritual knowledge confirms God's presence in every pore and being. "Every body is filled with divinity. But the one in which God reveals Himself becomes truly worthy of reverence," he added.

Revealing the path to meet the Divine, he said, "Sahib has stated at thousands of places - the path to meet Sai lies through Sushumna. This central spiritual channel car-

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	P/J-970-P/25 ted:- 28/06/2025	Sd/- Executive Engineer Electric Division IPDC
K	Amount of Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Rs. 46,900/-
J	Cost of e-Bid document	Rs. 1000 (Non-Refundable)
I	Estimated Cost	23,45,000/-
н	Venue of opening of techno-commercial Bids	Soft Copy Electronically & Hard copy in the Office of the Executive Engineer (Distribution), Electric Division JPDCL Poonch
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Government of Jammu & Kashmir Union Territory **OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER PWD (R&B) DIVISION CHENANI** NOTICE INVITING TENDER e-NIT No. 13of 2025-26Dated:-27-06-2025

For and on behalf of the Lieutenant Governor of Union Territory of Union Territory of J&K tenders are invited on percentage basisfrom the <u>eligible consultants registration with Council of</u> Architecture (CoA) India for the below mentioned works:-

S. No	Name of Work	Estimated Cost (In lacs)	Cost of T/Doc. (In Rs.)	Earnest money @2% of Advertised Cost	Time of completion	Time & Date of Opening of tender (Technical Bid)
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.
1.	Providing structural and architectural consultancy for Construction of Munsiff Court Complex at Chenani Udhampur.	7.40	600/- (only treasury challan will be accepted)	14800/-	30days	11-07-2025 after 1200 Hrs
		rded lable				
1.	Date of publishing of Tender Notice	27-06-20	27-06-2025			
2.	Period of downloading of bid docum	27-06-20	27-06-2025 from 1800Hrs.			
3.	Bid submission Start Date	27-06-20	27-06-2025 from 1800Hrs.			
1	Bid Submission End Data	11.07.20	11.07.2025unto 1900 Hus			

4.	Bid Submission End Date	11-07-2025upto 1800 Hrs.
5.	Date & time of opening of Technical Bids (Online)	12-07-2025 after 1200 Hrs.
6.	Date & time of opening of Financial Bids (Online)	To be notified after technical bid evaluation is completed.

The Bidding documents consisting of qualifying information, eligibility criteria, terms and 1. conditions and other details can be seen/downloaded from the website www.jktenders.gov.in.

Bidders shall upload EMD in the shape of CDR/FDR duly pledged to the Executive Engineer, PWD (R&B) Division, Chenani. The Earnest Money Deposit (2% of the Advertised Cost of the tender) from all the bidders in the shape of CDR/FDR before evaluation of technical bids.

Cost of tender document: Bid must be accompanied with cost of tender document in shape of Treasury Challan/receipt issued after date of issuance of e-NIT under MH 0059-Rev mentioning the name of workotherwise will not be accepted for which the tender fee was deposited in favour of Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Division Chenani. Copy of receipt of cost of tender document should be uploaded on official website www.jktenders.gov.inupto the specified bid submission date and time.

DIP/J-2776/25 Dated:- 28/06/2025

Sd/-**Executive Engineer** PWD (R&B) Division Chenani

requested by the department vide Letter No. LAW-Estt/134/2021-10 dated 11.10.2023

Whereas, after the above revisions, the final breakup for the post of Junior Legal Assistant advertised under Notification No. 03 of 2021, Item No. 599, stands as follows.

ОМ	SC	ST	OSC	ALC/IB	RBA	PSP	EWS	TOTAL
4	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	7

Whereas, a Document Verification notice was issued vide JKSSB-COE0EXAM(UT)/42/2023-03 (7189468) on 13.02.2025, whereby candidates falling in the consideration zone were called for verification of their original documents on 25.02.2025. For the candidates who failed to attend on the said date, a supplementary document verification was held on 10.03.2025.

Whereas, the JKSSB, vide Order No. 96-SSB of 2025 dated 01.04.2025, a Selection Committee was constituted for preparing the Selection List for 30 posts of Legal Assistant & Junior Legal Assistant, belonging to Department of Law, Justice & Parliamentary Affairs.

Whereas, the said Selection Committee, upon careful scrutiny of the Indents/ advertisements, prepared the Provisional Selection List for the 30 posts in accordance with the Merit/ Eligibility and preference of the candidates as per the extant rules and same was placed in the board in its 306stMeeting, held on 12.06.2025, which after due deliberations and consideration of the matter, approved its notification.

Now, therefore, the Provisional Selection List of the candidates for 30 posts of Legal Assistant & Junior Legal Assistant of Department of Law, Justice & Parliamentary Affairs, advertised vide Notification No's. 05 of 2020 dated 24-12-2020 and 03 of 2021 dated 04-06-2021, is hereby notified as per "Annexure-A" to this Notification. It is further notified that:

- i. This Provisional Selection List shall be subject to outcome of the OAs/Writ Petition(s), if any, pending in the competent court of law.
- This shall also be subject to the outcome of any pending enquiry, involving candidate(s), figuring in this Provisional Selection List.
- This is a Provisional List and shall be subject to the change(s) as per the objections as may be received against it and mere figuring in it shall not confer any right to selection, which shall be finalized after examination of the objections based on merit.
- In case any candidate(s) is aggrieved with this Provisional Selection List, or iv. intends to furnish any document/clarification regarding his withheld candidature, he/she may represent through the e-mail address legaljrlegalasstt2025@gmail.comwithin (10) ten daysfrom the date of this

Notification, beyond which no representations whatsoever shall be entertained. The representations in this regard shall necessarily include complete details of the candidate including Name, Address, Roll Number and Contact Number. By Order

No. JKSSB-Scry/7/2025-03 (E-7680969)	Sd/-
Dated: 27.06.2025	(Farrukh Qazi), JKAS
DIP/J-2789/25	Secretary
Dated:- 28/06/2025	J&K Services Selection Board
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DIP/J-2789/25	Secretary