

Annual Machail Mata Yatra: Grand Jagran organised at Gori Shankar Mandir on arrival of Pavitra Chari to Kishtwar



**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**  
 KISHTWAR: The spiritual fervor and devotion of the devotees reached an unprecedented height as the Pavitra Charri (Holy Mace) of Shree Chandi Maa for Annual Machail Yatra 2023 arrived in Kishtwar last evening.

The atmosphere was filled with a symphony of bhajans and religious slogans, marking the auspicious occasion.

As the Pavitra Charri made its way through the Kishtwar town and finally halted at Shree Gori Shankar Mandir Sarkoot, the masses, Socio-religious groups and Administration accorded an enthusiastic reception to the Chari yatra.

Senior Civil & Police Administration functionaries including DC, Dr Devansh Yadav, SSP Kishtwar Khalil Ahmed Poswal, ADDC Sham Lal, ADC Inderjeet Singh Parihar, ASP Rajinder Singh, ACR Varunjeet Singh Charak, CEO KDA Dr Rishi Kumar Sharma besides other officers as well as thousands of devotees, both young and old, men and women, paid their respects to the holy Chari by offering flowers and prayers.

The devotees collectively sought the blessings of Maa Chandi, beseeching for the well-being of their loved ones.

A remarkable display of community spirit was witnessed, as various organizations and individuals united to provide free Langar (community meal) to the yatries along the Yatra route.

The district administration, in a diligent effort, has meticulously orchestrated

arrangements to ensure the comfort and security of the yatries. The arrangements encompassed boarding, lodging, water supply, electricity, medical facilities, and security provisions at key halting places enroute to the revered destination of Machail Paddar.

On the occasion, the devotees were deeply engrossed in the magnificent Jagran at Shree Gori Shankar Mandir Sarkoot Kishtwar.

Over 10000 devotees participated in the jagran, commemorating the momentous arrival of the Pavitra Chari. The event, orchestrated by District Administration Kishtwar in partnership with Kishtwar Development Authority, was graced with the bhajans of renowned singer Naved Punjabi.

This morning the Chari Yatra commenced its journey from Kishtwar amid warm and grand see off, embarking on a transformative pilgrimage that will lead to its culminating stop at Machail on 22 August. Traditional halts at Atholi, Massu, and Chasoti will be observed during the procession, allowing devotees to partake in the spiritual energy and significance of these sites.

On 23 August, a solemn ceremony comprising Havan and Jagrata will be performed at the sacred Shrine. This auspicious occasion holds immense reverence for devotees, marking a pinnacle moment of the spiritual voyage. The Pavitra Charri will commence its return journey on 24 August, allowing devotees to bid farewell and carry the blessings of Maa Chandi with them.

Team Aradhana conducts menstrual hygiene management workshop



NGO members along with faculty during the workshop.

**■ STATE TIMES NEWS**  
 NOWSHERA: Aradhana- A Ray Of Hope, a Jammu based NGO working primarily to provide basic education to underprivileged and poverty- stricken children organised "Menstrual Hygiene Workshop" to give education to young girls regarding the management of menstruation cycle in a hygienic way and provided free sanitary napkins to them.

Aaroh continuously works to provide teachings related to the importance and maintenance of hygiene in day to day life aiming to give education to these children in safe and hygienic environment. During the workshop many things are taught to the participants related to the preparation for the menstrual periods including nutritional needs and basic exercises to get relief from pain during periods. Volunteers teach

them the importance of sanitary kits over cloth and also cleared many myths regarding periods. In the last minutes of the events, Q&A sessions are held for the students, wherein AAROH Volunteers answer the doubts of some young girls.

Around 200 teenage girls from Govt. Girls Higher Secondary School Nowshera. The workshop was conducted by Miss Monika Mitter. The NGO team members present were Rozy Sharma & Shivam Shan .

AAROH has benefitted more than 3000 young girls in these Workshops so far. Likewise to this event, AAROH is aiming to provide the education regarding the Hygiene and Health Management in the Menstrual Period to benefit more and more young girls persistently at regular basis in government schools.

**OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER SUB TRANSMISSION DIVISION-I, JAMMU.**  
 CIN NO: U40300JK2013SGC003898  
 (e-mail: xensdt1@yahoo.co.in) Tel. Fax 0191-2543343  
**CANCELLATION**  
**RENOVATION OF CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE COMPLEX AT CANAL ROAD JAMMU**  
 e-NIT No: STD-I/JPDCL/Tenders/2023-24/11/2503-06 dated: 24-07-2023  
 (Tender Id: 2023\_PDD\_223240\_1)  
 Due to administrative reasons/issues the tender bearing e-NIT No: STD-I/JPDCL/ Tenders/2023-24/11/2503-06 dated: 24-07-2023 (Id: 2023\_PDD\_223240\_1) is hereby cancelled.  
 No: STD-I/JPDCL/ Date: 16-08-2023  
**DIP/J-2350-P/23**  
**Dated:- 19/08/2023**  
 Sd/- Executive Engineer, Sub-Transmission Division-I, (JPDCI), Jammu.

**Government of Jammu & Kashmir**  
**OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER CONSTRUCTION DIVISION Jammu,**  
**J & K SPORTS COUNCIL, Jammu**  
**NOTICE INVITING TENDERS**  
**Tender Notice: E-NIT No: 34 of 2023-24 DATED: 16.08.2023**  
**For and on behalf of Lieutenant Governor, UT of Jammu & Kashmir, e-tenders are invited on percentage basis from the registered contractor with PWD(R&B), CPWD, railways, MES etc. class of which is mention below for the following works:-**

S. No	Name of work	Adv. Cost (Rs. In Lacs)	Earnest Money (Rs in lacs)	Class of contract	Cost of Tender documents	Time of completion
1	Balance work of construction of chowkidar quarter on 1 <sup>st</sup> floor In play field at Shastri nagar Jammu (2 <sup>nd</sup> time)	Rs. 19.81 lacs	2%/-	B&C	800/-	4 months
2	Chainlink fencing & levelling of Playfield at Charallan Fazalabad Poonch (Balance work). (2 <sup>nd</sup> time)	Rs.6.90 lacs	2%/-	C&D	600	2 months

**Position of AAA:- Accorded Position of TS** **Accorded**  
**Major Head of Accounts:- Under Capex Budget 2023-24**  
 The Bidding documents consisting of qualifying information, eligibility Criteria, specification, 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](http://www.jktenders.gov.in) w.e.f. 16.08.2023 to 21.08.2023 upto 5.00 PM.  
**No: SC/CDJ/e-1729-31** **DIP/J-2356-P/23**  
**Dated:- 16-08-2023** **Dated:- 19/08/2023**  
 Sd/- Executive Engineer, Construction Division Jammu, J&K Sports Council.

**JAMMU MUNICIPAL CORPORATION**  
**JMC DIVISION – I**  
**Fresh eNIT No. 25 of 2023-24**  
 For and on behalf of The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Jammu, the Executive Engineer, JMC Division – I, invites online tenders **on Percentage basis** from registered class of Contractors/Firms as per the prescribed format for the works shown here under:-
 

S. No	Name of work	Advertised Amount (In lacs)	Tender Fee In Rs.	EMD In Rs	Class	Time for completion	Remarks
1.	Construction of Lane and drain near Gurudwara Sahib near H/O Sh. Charanjit Singh Raina in W.No. 19. (FA to JMC Capex Budget 2023-24).	10.00	600	20000	ABCD	8 Months	Previous eNIT No. 22 SNo. 01.

**1. The Complete bidding process will be online**

S. No.	Sequence of Activities	Date and Time
1.	Date of issue of Tender Notice	17.08.2023 AT 09.00
2.	Bid submission start date	17.08.2023 AT 09.00
3.	Bid submission End date	23.08.2023 AT 16.00
4.	Date and time of opening of Bid(Online)	24.08.2023 AT 14.00

**A. Documents required to be uploaded online for Technical Bid:**

- Scanned Copy of Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) in shape CDR/FDR pledged to Executive Engineer, Division – I, JMC.
- Cost of bidding document in shape of e-challan/single window challan of JMC pledged to Executive Engineer, JMC Division - I, tender fee receipt through online payment through the JMC link <http://www.jmcjammu.org/online-payment.html>
- Contractor Registration card renewed upto 31-03-2024.
- Scanned Copy of GST Card and latest clearance certificate FORM GST-3B.
- Scanned Copy of duly filled Annexure "A".
- Scanned Copy of duly filled Annexure "B".
- Scanned Copy of PAN Card
- Income Tax Return (ITR) for the Assessment Year 2022-23.
- Self attested declaration by the bidder that she / he has not been debarred / blacklisted / kept on holiday during last 03 yrs by any Govt. / Semi-Govt. Organization / Corporation.
- Already Bidders Participated for the work with valid documents can use same CDR/E Challan.

**Note: 1. Non-submission of any of the above documents online shall render the bidder as non-responsive and his financial bid shall not be opened.**  
**Note: The date of issuance of E.M.D (in any of above three forms) should must be Between date of start of bid submission and bid submission end date**  
**NO:JMC/DIV-I/23-24/78-87** **DIP/J-2351-P-/23** **Sd/-**  
**Dated:- 16.08.2023.** **Dated:- 19/08/2023** **Executive Engineer,**  
 J M C Division – I  
 Jammu Municipal Corporation

**UNION TERRITORY OF JAMMU & KASHMIR**  
**OFFICE THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER**  
**JAMMU DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY DIVISION NO.I, JAMMU**  
**NOTICE INVITING TENDER-**  
**e-NIT No. JDA-I/2023-24/e-NIT/47 Dated 11.08.2023**  
 Executive Engineer JDA Division No.I for and on behalf of the Vice Chairman, Jammu Development authority, Jammu e-tenders are invited on **item rate basis** from approved and eligible Contractors registered with Union Territory of J&K, CPWD, Railways and other State/Central Governments, for the following work :-
 

S. No	Name of Work	Name of Division	Estimated Cost (Rs. in lacs)	Cost of document (in Rs.)	Earnest Money	Time Allowed for complet e-on	Time and date of opening of tender	Class of Contractor
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Development /up gradation Birpur Housing Colony, ( Samba) Balance work( Bituminous work)	JDA Division No.I	Rs 199.00 Lacs	Rs 5000 -/-	Rs 3,98,000/-	60 Days	(1400 Hrs) on or after 31.08.2023	" A " Class (Civil)

**Position of AAA :- Accorded**  
**Position of Funds :- Available**  
**Technical Sanction:- Accorded**  
**SPECIAL Conditions:-**

- If the contractor / firms fails to complete the work within the time mentioned in the NIT / Contract, then the allotted contract will automatically treated as cancelled after forfeiting the performance security of the contractor / firm and work put to fresh tender without serving any notice from this office.
- For macadamisation works, contractors having class A / Hot Mix Plant Holder registration cards other than Hot Mix Plant (HMP) Owners have to upload an undertaking stating therein the e NIT No. Name of the work and source of procurement of macadamisation material (within 40 kms from the work site), failing which the bid of such contractors shall be considered as non-responsive as per the Circular issued by the Development Commissioner Works Civil Sectt. Jammu/Srinagar vide No.PW/DCW/DB/505-510/22 dated 10-05-2022.

 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 <http://jktenders.gov.in> as per below schedule :
 

1	Date of Issue of Tender Notice	11.08.2023
2	Period of downloading of bidding documents	From 11.08.2023 1800 to 31.08.2023, 1300 Hrs
3	Date, Time and place of pre-bid meeting	Nil
4	Bid submission Start Date	11.08.2023 1800 Hrs
5	Bid Submission End Date	31.08.2023 up to 1300 Hrs
6	Date & time of opening of Technical Bids (Online)	31.08.2023 on or after 1400 Hrs in the Office of Executive Engineer JDA Division No.I
7	Date & time of opening of Financial Bids (Online)	To be notified after technical bid evaluation is completed

- Bids must be accompanied with cost of Tender document in shape of Bank Receipt as per annexure –"A" favoring Vice Chairperson, JDA Jammu uploading a copy of bank receipt. The original instruments in respect of cost of documents, and bid security (EMD) will have to be in form of CDR/ FDR pledged in favor of Executive Engineer JDA Division I, and relevant documents of LI be submitted to the Executive Engineer JDA Division No.I, RHC Jammu at the time of award of contract.  
 No :- JDA-I/489-99  
 Dated :- 11.08.2023  
**DIP/J-2352-P/23**  
**Dated:- 19/08/2023**  
 Sd/- Executive Engineer JDA Division No I Jammu

**Union Territory Of Jammu & Kashmir**  
**OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER**  
**PWD(R&B) DIVISION KATRA**  
 (Tele- Fax No. 01991-232043 E-mail address [eepwdkatra@gmail.com](mailto:eepwdkatra@gmail.com))  
**DATE EXTENSION NOTICE**  
**Name of work :-** Architectural & Structural consultancy including preparation of complete detailed estimates & BOQ, soil investigation, Preparation of Structural Drawings Complete, Electrical and vetting of design from competent authority IIT/NIT/DIQC for Construction of Agriculture store & Medicine store Sheep Breeding Farm Panthal. (Katra) as per the requirement of concerned department (Complete job). (5th time)  
 Due to no response received from the bidders, the dates for the tender invited vide this office e-NIT No. 60 of 2023-24 dated 05-08-2023 for the above cited work is hereby extended as per below :-
 

- Date of submission / uploading of bid = 23-08-2023 upto 1700 Hrs.
- Date of opening of bid = 24-08-2023 at 1200 Hrs.

**No:- 3522-27** **DIP/J-7064/23** **sd/**  
**Dated:- 17-08-2023** **Dated:- 19/08/2023** **Executive Engineer**  
 PWD (R&B) Division, Katra

**J&K SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION LTD.**  
**(A J&K Govt. Undertaking)**  
**OFFICE OF THE PROJECT MANAGER IID CENTRE GOVINDSAR KATHUA.**  
 e-TENDER NOTICE No. SICOP/PM/IID/K/25  
 Dated: 16/08/2023  
 For and on behalf of Managing Director of J&K SICOP, online e-tenders are invited from approved eligible Contractors registered with State/Central Govt., CPWD, MES and Railways for the following work.
 

S. No.	Name of work	Approx. Cost	Earnest Money	Cost of Document	Period of completion	Position of funds	Position of AAA	Class of Contr.
1.	Construction of Security Room, Up-gradation of Showroom and Land Leveling in Newly Established Bamboo CFC at BILLAWAR (Kathua)	Rs.22.84 Lacs	45,680/-	Rs.600/- (Non-Refundable)	120Days	Available	Accorded	"A" "B" & "C" Class

- The tender documents for the above job can be seen on the website <http://jktenders.gov.in> from 16/08/2023(04:30 PM).
- The tender documents can be downloaded from the above website from 16/08/2023(04:30 PM) onwards.
- The bids shall be deposited in electronic format on website <http://jktenders.gov.in> from 16/08/2023(04:30 PM) up to 31/08/2023(12:30 PM).
- The uploaded pre-qualification bids in the first instance on the website will be opened on 31/08/2023(4.30PM) in the office of Project Manager IID Kathua in presence of bidders who wish to attend. In case of holiday on the date of opening of bid, bids will be opened on the next working day at the same time and venue. The financial bids of only those firms shall be opened who qualify in technical bid. Intimation in respect of opening of financial bids shall be notified separately.
- Charges towards cost of tender document shall be deposited in Account No. 0144010100000064 IFSC Code JAKA0GOVIND J&K Bank Ltd. Branch Govindsar Kathua and Earnest Money Deposit (in shape of CDR/FDR/TDR) in Original favouring Project Manager, SICOP IID Kathua shall be uploaded online.
- All documents as required as per SBD should be uploaded with the technical bid.
- Complete bidding process will be online (Price Bid not to be submitted in physical form).

**DIP/J-2367-P/23** **sd/-**  
**Dated:- 19/08/2023** **Project Manager**  
 SICOP Kathua

**OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER**  
**GENERATION DIVISION BHEP-II CHANDERKOTE**  
 Email [xenegenbhepii@gmail.com](mailto:xenegenbhepii@gmail.com) Tel / fax – 01998-288052  
 E-NIT No: GEN/BHEP-II/04 of 2023  
 Dated:14-08-2023  
**E-NOTICE INVITING TENDER**  
 E-tender (in two parts) on behalf of Managing Director, Jammu and Kashmir State Power Development Corporation, are invited for DRY VACUUMING PROCESS OF 9 NO'S, 60MVA, 16.5/400KV GENERATOR TRANSFORMERAS SPECIFIED IN SCOPE OF WORK, FOR 450 MW (3X150) BAGLIHAR HYDRO ELECTRIC PROJECT STAGE-II from the Electro-mechanical representatives for below mentioned scope of work:
 

S No	Scope of work	Estimated Cost (including GST) (Rs.)	EMD	Cost of Tender document	Date of opening of Bid
1	DRY VACUUMING PROCESS OF 9 NO'S, 60MVA, 16.5/400KV GENERATOR TRANSFORMERS	3,51,64,000/- (Rupees three crore fifty one lakh sixty four thousand only)	7,03,280/-	10,000	08/09/2023

1	Date of Issue	14-08-2023
2	Period of downloading of bidding documents	16-08-2023
3	Prebid meeting date	23-08-2023
4	Bid submission Start Date	24-08-2023 at 01:00 PM
5	Bid Submission End Date	07-09-2023 at 04:00 PM
6	Date & time of opening of Bids (Online)	08-09-2023 at 1:00 PM

- Complete bidding process will be on line.
- Bid must be accompanied by (i) Bid security (EMD), which should be in the shape of Bank Guarantee/CDR/FDR of any NATIONALISED BANK pledged to Chief Pay & Accounts Officer BHEPChanderkote& (ii) The cost of the downloaded Tender Document in the form e-challan or Demand Draft (DD) (of J&K Bank or SBI Bank) in favour of Chief Pay & Accounts officer BHEP payable at Chanderkote District Ramban (J&K).
- The original documents in respect of cost of document, EMD documents etc. Should reach in the Office of Executive Engineer, Generation Division BHEP-II on or before 04/09/2023. If the office happens to be closed on the date of receipt as specified, the same will be received on the next working day up to 4.00 pm at the same venue. JKSPDC will not be responsible for any delay due to any reason.

**No. GEN/BHEP-II/385-90** **DIP/J-2381-P/23** **sd/-**  
**Dated:-14/08/2023** **Dated:- 19/08/2023** **Executive Engineer**  
 Generation Division BHEP-II Chanderkote

**Government of Jammu and Kashmir**  
**J&K e-Governance Agency, IT Department**  
**Civil Secretariat, J&K**  
**Subject: Notice inviting Tender for "Selection of Third-Party Auditor for Jammu and Kashmir State Data Centre and other IT projects of UT of J&K".**  
**NOTIFICATION NO.: 06-JaKeGA of 2023**  
**DATED: 14-08-2023**  
 Jammu & Kashmir e-Governance Agency (JaKeGA), Information Technology Department, J&K, invites bids for Selection of Third-Party Auditor for Jammu and Kashmir State Data Centre and other IT projects of UT of J&K as per the detailed scope of work provided in the RFP.  
**Important dates for key activities are as under:**

S.No.	Key Activities	Date & Time
1	Date of publication of RFP	Start Date: From 2.00 PM of 16-08-2023 on GEM
2	Last date/time of submission of written queries by intending bidders through email in excel format provided in the RFP through email <a href="mailto:ceo.jakega@nic">ceo.jakega@nic</a> .	21/08/2022 up-to 02.00 PM
3	Online Pre-Bid Meeting	2.00 PM of 21/08/2023. The link for the meeting will be <a href="https://meet.google.com/two-qmno-evc">https://meet.google.com/two-qmno-evc</a>
4	Release of response to pre-bid queries	28-08-2023
5	Submission of bids	Start date:28-08-2023 from 2.00 PM End Date:11-09-2023 upto 2.00 PM
6	Bid Validity	180 days from the date of opening of commercial
7	Bid procedure	Two stage bidding through GEM
8	Bid evaluation criteria (Bid selection method)	Lowest Cost Base Selection (LCBS)
9	Website for downloading GEM portal and FP, Corrigendum's, Addendum's, etc (if any)	GEM portal and <a href="http://jakega.jk.gov.in">jakega.jk.gov.in</a>
10	Opening of technical bids	03:00PM of 11-09-2023
11	Opening of financial bids	Will be informed later
12	Bid security/EMD	Rs 15Lakhs as bid security in the form of account payee demand draft, fixed deposit receipt of bankers cheque or BG from any commercial banks or payment online in an acceptable form in favor of Chief Executive Officer ,J&K e-Governance Agency, Civil Secretariat Jammu

**No: JaKeGA-Tech/9/2021** **DIP/J-7042/23** **sd/-**  
**Dated: 14-08-2023** **Dated:- 19/08/2023** **Chief Executive Officer**  
 J&K e-Governance Agency