

Mata Vaishno Devi constituency personifies 'holy faith' which Congress disregarded: Dr Jitendra

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KATRA: Union Minister Dr. Jitendra Singh said here on Tuesday that the newly carved out "Shri Mata Vaishno Devi" Assembly constituency personifies "holy faith" which Congress disregarded over the last several decades.

Addressing a series of BJP public meetings in the Bhomag area of Shri Mata Vaishno Devi constituency which includes the Holy Shrine as well as the Katra town, Dr Jitendra said, for years together, people of this region had been making genuine demands but the successive governments headed by Congress and its allies were always indifferent and that was also the case of the "Baridars", the erstwhile Pujari families who had raised certain genuine issues after the enactment of the Mata Vaishno Devi Shrine Act in 1986 but were never given a fair hearing.

It was only after Narendra Modi took over as Prime Minister in 2014 that the holy



Union Minister Dr Jitendra Singh addressing a BJP public meeting in Bhomag area of Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Assembly constituency on Tuesday.

town of Katra and the Holy Shrine started getting the attention it deserves. He recalled that when the BJP had declared Narendra Modi as its Prime Minister candidate in 2013, the latter had started his countrywide election campaign from Vaishno Devi Shrine. Later, he recalled, soon after becoming Prime Minister in 2014, one of the earliest prominent programmes of Narendra Modi was the inauguration of the Katra Railway Station. It has been only in the last 10 years, said Dr Jitendra

Singh, that Katra was declared as one of the 10 icon locations of the country and was included in the National PRASAD (Pilgrimage Rejuvenation and Spiritual Augmentation Drive) Scheme for exclusive funding for development of the holy town.

Despite being located in the foothills of the Vaishno Devi Shrine, the surrounding villages suffered from poor connectivity and it is only in the last 10 years that there has been a network of PMGSY roads and centrally funding

roads which has not only brought ease of travel and generated revenues but has also increased the number of pilgrims visiting the Holy Shrine multiple times. Again, he said, it is only under the Modi government that new facilities for Darshan and travel have been provided at the Holy Shrine and the latest technology is being used for the convenience of devotees coming from all over the world.

The Katra -Delhi Express road corridor is also going to be complete soon, he added.

Dr Jitendra said, Prime Minister Modi has accorded Katra and surrounding areas the kind of reverence that they deserve and it was Modi's personal intervention which enabled the introduction of not one but two Vande Bharat trains to Shri Mata Vaishnodevi Katra Railway Station. In addition, he said, very soon with the blessings of Mata Vaishno Devi, the train to Kashmir valley will pass through here crossing the highest railway bridge of the world.

Showering praise on the DDC Chairman Sarv Singh Naag, Dr Singh said, ever since he has been elected, he has benefited the area through his dedication and administrative skills. He said, after 8th October, when Baldev Raj Sharma is elected BJP MLA, there would be a multi-tier coordination between the DDC Chairman, MLA, MP and the central government. This would make it far easier to translate the central government's benefits on the ground.



Priya Sethi reacts sharply to Congress Manifesto on Statehood

Promise of statehood has already been made by PM & HM

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JAMMU: Priya Sethi, Senior BJP Leader, National Executive member and former Minister of Jammu and Kashmir, has issued a strong rebuttal to the Congress Party's late release manifesto, which includes a promise to restore statehood to Jammu and Kashmir. Sethi criticized the Congress for what she describes as misleading claims regarding the restoration of statehood, emphasizing that the promise of statehood has already been made by Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Home Minister Amit Shah. So why Congress is trying to mislead the people of Jammu and Kashmir?

While Campaigning Door to Door for Jammu East Candidate on Tuesday, Priya Sethi said that "The Congress Party's manifesto is nothing but a desperate attempt to mislead the people of Jammu and Kashmir."

Former Minister Said that the promise of restoring statehood was made by Prime



Senior BJP leader, Priya Sethi conducting door to door campaign in favour of Yudhvir Sethi.

Minister Narendra Modi, and the current government will fulfill that promise after elections. Sethi's reaction comes in response to the Congress Party's recent electoral strategy, which includes a commitment to reinstate Jammu and Kashmir's status as a state.

Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP), under Modi's leadership, has already said for restoring of statehood after elections but Congress is merely trying to capitalize on this issue for political gains, Priya Sethi asserted.

"The people of Jammu and Kashmir are well aware of the steps being taken by the Modi

government for the welfare of the people of Jammu and Kashmir.

People of Jammu and Kashmir knows that promises made by Congress in their manifesto are not new and people are asking direct questions to the leadership of congress that what they have done for people of J&K from last seventy years excepting misleading and fake promises from congress

Priya further stated that it is only BJP which thinks always for the people and has demonstrated a clear commitment to addressing the issues of Jammu and Kashmir.

Bharat achieved remarkable milestones under PM

Modi's visionary leadership: Yudhvir

Sethi, along with people of East Constituency, prays for PM Modi's Long Life



Senior BJP leader and contesting candidate, Yudhvir Sethi distributing sweets on PM Narendra Modi's birthday.

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JAMMU: Senior BJP leader and contesting candidate for Jammu East Constituency, Yudhvir Sethi, on Tuesday celebrated Prime Minister Narendra Modi's 74th birthday with great fanfare.

The event took place during the public meeting at Toote Di Khui, marked by immense enthusiasm and fervor; wherein Yudhvir Sethi, along with party workers, local leaders, and prominent people of the area, cut a cake and prayed for the well-being and longevity of PM Modi. The gathering reflected the deep admiration and gratitude the people hold for the Prime Minister's visionary leadership. Addressing the gathering, Yudhvir Sethi lauded Prime Minister Modi for his tireless efforts in steering India towards unprecedented growth and development. He emphasized how PM Modi's decisive leadership has transformed

India's global stature and brought about positive changes in every sector, including healthcare, infrastructure, education, and economic reforms.

"We are fortunate to have a leader like Narendra Modi, whose dedication to the nation is unparalleled. His vision of 'Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas, Sabka Vishwas, Sabka Prayas' has inspired millions and united the country in its pursuit of progress and prosperity. Under his leadership, India has achieved remarkable milestones, and the journey continues towards a brighter future," he said and urged the public to follow in the footsteps of PM Modi by contributing to nation-building initiatives and working towards the welfare of society.

Addressing a series of public meetings and a door-to-door campaign, Yudhvir Sethi strongly criticized the National Conference (NC) for displacing Kashmiri Pandits migrants,

depriving them of their rightful homes in the Valley.

"Kashmiri migrants were forced out of their homes due to the failed policies of NC. The BJP, under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, is resolutely working towards bringing them back to their homeland. Satellite townships are being constructed to ensure their dignified resettlement, and we will not rest until every displaced family is returned to their roots," Sethi affirmed.

He reiterated the Party's unwavering commitment to rehabilitate Kashmir migrants in the Valley. He said that BJP is committed to restore their homeland to displaced Pandits leading an exiled life for last over 26 years outside the Valley.

During his campaign in Ward No. 14 and Ward No. 16, Yudhvir Sethi called upon the people to extend their full support to him in the upcoming Assembly polls. He urged voters to recognize the tireless efforts of the Modi government in uplifting the region and restoring its identity.

He emphasized the importance of this election in shaping the future of Jammu East and urged people to vote decisively for the BJP.

"Your vote is not just for a candidate, but for a secure, progressive, and prosperous Jammu and Kashmir," he appealed.

GO for Nagrota AC, Abhinav Chandra

interacts with representatives of political parties, candidates in fray



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NAGROTA: General Observer (GO) for Nagrota Assembly Constituency, Abhinav Chandra, on Tuesday interacted with representatives of the political parties and candidates in fray for the 77-Nagrota constituency of Jammu District.

On the occasion, Abhinav Chandra briefed the participants regarding Model Code of Conduct and assured level playing field for all the candidates during the electioneering.

He sensitized the candidates and their election agents regarding the ethical campaigning, responsible usage of Social Media, maintaining communal harmony and compliance to MCC.

The General Observer gave special emphasis on Cvigil app and asked the participants to effectively use it to curb the violations of MCC.

He stressed on them to stay informed about the ceiling of expenditure done by the candidates and maintenance of expenditure registers.

The participants were also informed regarding different activities to be conducted to ensure free, fair and transparent elections including Randomisation of EVMS, Commissioning of EVM; VVPATS, appointment of Booth agents by candidates or Political parties and other important aspects of election.

Regarding permission for rallies or programs, the participants were told that the same shall be issued without any discrimination and a free, fair and level playing field will be provided to all.

AIIMS Jammu achieves historic first surgery, dedicates success as gift to PM Modi on birthday

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JAMMU: All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) Jammu is proud to announce the successful completion of its first surgical intervention, marking a significant milestone in its mission to provide world-class healthcare services to the people of Jammu and Kashmir.

The Executive Director & CEO of AIIMS Jammu, Prof. (Dr.) Shakti Kumar Gupta shared, "a 34-year-old female patient was diagnosed with a pleomorphic adenoma of the right parotid gland. The surgical team decided to remove the tumor while carefully preserving the facial nerve, a critical part of parotid surgery. The surgical procedure



Executive Director & CEO AIIMS Jammu, Prof. (Dr.) Shakti Kumar Gupta with team of doctors.

carried out was 'Superficial Parotidectomy', which involves the removal of a part of the parotid gland.

This surgery was performed by the Department of ENT, Head & Neck Surgery, AIIMS Jammu by the skilled

surgical team expertly led by Dr. Darwin Kausalh (Additional Professor), Dr. Amardeep Singh (Associate Professor), and Dr. Pooja Rani (Senior Resident).

The procedure was expertly supported by the anesthesia team consisting of Dr. Sunana Gupta, Dr. Shruti Sharma (Additional Professor), Dr. Raksha Kundal (Associate Professor), and Dr. Sandeepika Dogra (Assistant Professor), along with the dedicated efforts of nursing officers and other healthcare professionals.

This successful operation highlights the growing capabilities of AIIMS Jammu and its commitment to delivering top-quality healthcare. The Director lauded the entire surgical team for their outstanding efforts and professionalism.

In a heartfelt gesture, Prof. (Dr.) Shakti Kumar Gupta dedicated this momentous surgery as a special birthday gift to the Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi, whose vision led to the establishment of AIIMS Jammu.

AIIMS Jammu was announced, inaugurated, and established under the Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY) by the hands of the Prime Minister; and this achievement comes as a tribute to his unwavering commitment to improving healthcare accessibility across the nation.

"Today's achievement is not just a milestone for AIIMS Jammu but a testament to the hard work, dedication, and perseverance of our entire team. We are privileged to dedicate this success to our Prime Minister on his birthday, as a symbol of our gratitude for his visionary leadership," said Prof. (Dr.) Shakti Kumar Gupta.

In closing, Prof. Gupta extended a vote of thanks to the people of Jammu for their faith in AIIMS Jammu and its faculty.

Congress, NC, PDP frustrated for growing popularity of BJP in J&K: Sham

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JAMMU: While making a sharp attack on the Congress, NC and PDP, senior BJP leader and party candidate for Jammu North constituency, Sham Lal Sharma on Tuesday said that with the growing popularity and impact of BJP in Jammu Kashmir, the leaders of these parties have been frustrated and giving misleading statements to regain power. He said these parties deprived the people of their basic rights for decades together and now they are frightened of their defeat in the elections.

Sharma said that current elections will be a game changer in the history of Jammu Kashmir which are



being held after the abrogation of Article 370 and now, people will uproot these parties and give mandate for the peace, security and prosperity of Jammu Kashmir. People in both the divisions have bitter experience about the mis-governance, poor performance and anti-people policies of these parties which led to spread the militancy in Jammu Kashmir

that took thousands of innocent lives and put the economic growth of JK on the back burner.

Addressing public meetings in Jammu North constituency, Sham asserted that BJP is poised to form its exclusive government in Jammu and Kashmir with the overwhelming support of all sections of the society because of its people friendly programmes and policies. It is only the BJP which can handle the security scenario and bring peace, development and prosperity for the people. People want peace, development and natural justice with dignity and honour for which they remained deprived for over seven decades in Jammu

Kashmir.

Promising better services and improved infrastructure in Jammu North, Sham Lal said that he will formulate a well-knit programme for the overall development of this constituency on modern lines. Official machinery will be revamped to make it accountable to the public and all essential services will be attended on priority.

He said it is the endeavour of the BJP to provide justice and services to every individual at their doorstep.

All Central welfare schemes will be implemented in letter and spirit and it will be ensured that their benefits reach out to every deserving person, Sham asserted.

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Subject: Provisional Selection list of candidates for admission to MBBS/BDS/DDM/DDH Courses 2024 in Government/Private Medical/Dental Colleges of UT of J&K after Second Round (Physical) of Up-gradation/Allotment counselling.

**Reference: i) Notification No. 093-BOPEE of 2024 dated 03-09-2024.
 ii) Notification No. 100-BOPEE of 2024 Dated 09-09-2024.
 iii) Notification No. 104-BOPEE of 2024 Dated 10-09-2024.**

**Notification No. 109-BOPEE of 2024
 Dated 15-09-2024**

In pursuance of Notification No.104-BOPEE of 2024 dated 10.09.2024 the first round of Horizontal Reservation and the second round of counselling (Physical) for upgradation/allotment of seats was held w.e.f. 12.09.2024 to 14.09.2024. The list of candidates who have been upgraded/allotted seats provisionally for undergoing MBBS/BDS/DDM/DDH Courses, 2024 in various Government/Private Medical/Dental Colleges of UT of J&K, is hereby notified as per Annexure-A to this Notification, which shall remain available on website of the Board viz. www.jkbopee.gov.in only. The candidates shall report to the Colleges allotted to them w.e.f. 15.09.2024 to 21.09.2024 along with the following documents in original for admission:

- Date of Birth Certificate.
- Marks Card of 10+2.
- Domicile Certificate of UT of J&K and for the candidates of UT of Ladakh, ST Certificate issued by the Competent Authority of Ladakh shall be treated as Domicile certificate.
- Valid Category Certificate, wherever applicable.
- Valid Income Certificate in respect of Poor and Backward Category candidates, wherever required.
- HM /NRI Certificate/document(s), wherever applicable.
- Any other certificate as may be required by the College Authorities.

The candidates provisionally selected for Up-gradation/Allotment shall mandatorily have to report for admission to the allotted College/Institutions by or before 21.09.2024 upto 4:00 p.m. along with their relevant certificates in original, failing which they shall not be eligible for further rounds of counselling, if any, conducted by the Board.

The Colleges shall have to submit the shortfall, if any, on 21.09.2024 upto 5:00 p.m. positively to enable the Board to take further necessary action in the matter.

Note:

- All the Heads of the Institutions/Colleges are advised to release the documents and refund the fee in favour of such candidates who have been upgraded to enable them to complete the admission process within the prescribed cut-off date (21.09.2024) without facing any difficulty.
- All the Heads of the Institutions/Colleges are requested to keep their admission counters open on holidays/off days to facilitate the candidates to complete their admission process well in time. However, the candidates should, in their own interest, avoid waiting for the last day to complete the admission formalities as such delay has the potential of causing hardships to the candidates only.
- The admission of the candidates is purely provisional and shall be liable to be cancelled in case any information furnished by any candidate proves to be false/ fabricated, and action as warranted under law shall be initiated against such candidates.
- It is hereby implored upon the management of all Colleges/Institutions to ensure the veracity of documents, particularly the Category Certificates wherever the admission is to be granted in lieu of a particular Reserved Category.
- All Principals of the Medical Colleges/Institutions are enjoined upon to examine the Disability certificates of the candidates provisionally selected under PwD (Persons with Disability) category strictly in accordance with the provisions of the Rights of Persons with Disability Act, 2016, rules thereunder, read with Graduate Medical Education Regulations 1997 (as amended from time to time)/ guidelines regarding admission of students with "Specified Disabilities" under the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016. They are further urged to complete this exercise expeditiously, so that the resultant shortfall (if any) is filled up in a timely manner in accordance with the rules. In case any candidate does not fulfill the benchmarks of eligibility as per guidelines, his/her admission shall be cancelled on his/her own risk and responsibility under intimation to the Board.
- The candidate(s) if any found to have concealed any information, his/her selection/admission shall be cancelled ab initio and fine/penalty shall be imposed upon him/her as may be deemed proper by the board in accordance with the laid down rules.

The Heads of the Institutions shall keep record of admissions and send the shortfall of the candidates, if any, who have not completed their admission within the prescribed time mentioned above through E-mail viz. coejakbopee@gmail.com & helpdeskjakbopee@gmail.com on 21.09.2024 upto 5:00 p.m. positively along with hard copy duly signed by the Head of the Institution.

The other Terms and Conditions shall remain the same as notified by the Board in the e-Information Brochure and Notifications/Notices issued from time to time in this regard.

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