

3rd inspection of expenditure registers conducted for 11 ACs of Jammu Distt

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JAMMU: Amidst the fervour of current electoral season, Jammu Assembly Constituencies (ACs) witnessed third inspection of expenditure registers of contesting candidates at the General Zorawar Singh Auditorium University of Jammu here on Saturday.

The inspection was supervised by Expenditure Observers, Amaresh Kumar Tiwari, B.K. Vishnu Priya and Gayatri M besides Nodal Officer for Expenditure Monitoring Yasir Sharief. Of the 109 candidates contesting for 11 Assembly



Expenditure Observers, Amaresh Tiwari, B.K. Vishnu Priya and Gayatri M inspecting expenditure registers.

Constituencies (ACs), 106 candidates or their election agents were present for the third inspection.

Out Of the three candidates, Two were found absent in all the three inspections and cognizance of the

same would be taken by the concerned Returning Officers by taking legal action under section 177 of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita (BNSS) 2023 and the absence of one candidate was communicated through

notice by the concerned Returning Officer.

During the inspection, discrepancies were observed between day-to-day expenses register and the shadow observation register and were communicated to the contesting candidates through notices by the concerned Returning Officers.

The Observers emphasized the importance of strict adherence to the Model Code of Conduct and the financial regulations prescribed by the ECI. Contesting candidates were reminded that compliance with these norms is essen-

tial as per Election Commission norms.

Observers examined the financial documents submitted by the candidates to assess compliance with the expenditure limits set by the Election Commission. The focus was on verifying the accuracy and transparency of the records.

Highlighting the significance of financial accountability, Observers remarked, "Maintaining transparent and clean financial records is crucial. This inspection aims to ensure that all candidates are adhering to electoral laws and regulations."



Union Minister Kishan Reddy leads Intellectual Meet in support of Yudhvir for East Constituency



G. Kishan Reddy, Union Minister and BJP candidate, Yudhvir Sethi speaking at a intellectual meet.

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JAMMU: In a significant show of support, an intellectual meet was organized today for Yudhvir Sethi, senior BJP leader and contesting candidate from the East Constituency for the upcoming Assembly elections. The meet witnessed the presence of a wide array of intellectuals, including doctors, engineers, lawyers, and prominent figures from various walks of life, all rallying behind Sethi's candidature. The event was graced by G. Kishan Reddy, Union Minister and BJP Incharge for Jammu & Kashmir, as the Chief Guest.

Reddy, in his address, highlighted the pivotal role of Yudhvir Sethi in strengthening

the party's grassroots connections and emphasized his dedication to the welfare of the people. He praised Sethi's long-standing contributions to the East Constituency and lauded his leadership qualities that have earned him the respect of both party members and the public. Reddy also highlighted the pivotal role of BJP in transforming Jammu & Kashmir, emphasizing the party's commitment to development, peace, and prosperity in the region. He outlined the numerous initiatives undertaken by the Modi Government, including infrastructure development, strengthening of local governance, and creating employment opportunities, all aimed

at ensuring the holistic growth of J&K. Speaking on the occasion, Yudhvir Sethi expressed his gratitude to the intellectual community for their support and reaffirmed his commitment to addressing the key issues faced by the people of the East Constituency. He outlined his vision for the region's development, focusing on better infrastructure, enhanced healthcare facilities, employment opportunities for youth, and the overall upliftment of society. "The participation of intellectuals from various fields in today's meet is a testament to the growing trust in BJP's vision for Jammu & Kashmir under the leadership of PM Narendra Modi," said Sethi. The intellectuals expressed confidence in Yudhvir Sethi's ability to lead the constituency to new heights of development and progress. They acknowledged his relentless efforts in engaging with the community and ensuring that the voice of every citizen is heard. The meet concluded with a resolve from the attendees to work collectively towards securing a win for Yudhvir Sethi in the upcoming Assembly elections.

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JAMMU: Prof. (Dr.) Shakti Kumar Gupta, Executive Director and CEO of AIIMS Jammu, has expressed his deep concern for the patients diagnosed with cancer who have been forced to travel outside the state for diagnosis, treatment, and follow-ups. Reflecting on his tenure at AIIMS Delhi, Prof. Gupta shared, "Many of the people from Jammu who visited me at AIIMS Delhi were seeking treatment for cancer. I have witnessed their pain first-hand-not only due to the disease itself but also because of the hardships they faced while seeking treatment far from home. From that time, their well-being has been a matter of personal concern to me." Today, Prof. Gupta is in a position to change this situation. "God has been kind enough to bless me with the opportunity to make a difference for the people of Jammu & Kashmir by being instrumental in providing comprehensive cancer care within the state itself," he added.

In his mission to offer world-class cancer treatment, Prof. Gupta has ensured that the



best and latest equipment will be available at AIIMS Jammu, enabling the medical team to deliver care that meets global standards. He proudly shared that AIIMS Jammu has taken its first significant step beyond outpatient services, successfully administering chemotherapy to its first patient. During his address, the Director, Prof. (Dr.) Shakti Kumar Gupta, shared the details of a recent case treated at the Department of Radiotherapy Oncology, AIIMS Vijaypur Jammu.

The department, under the leadership of Prof. (Dr.) Shabab Angurana, successfully launched partial oncology services, including chemotherapy, targeted therapies, and immuno-oncology treatments. This significant milestone marks a key step toward offer-

ing state-of-the-art cancer care within the region. Prof. Gupta praised the oncology team for their exceptional work. The team, comprising Dr. Girija Priya Sharma (Assistant Professor), Dr. Anjali Bhola (Assistant Professor), Senior Resident Dr. Suridhi Jasrotia, Junior Resident Dr. Radha Krishna, and Senior Nursing Officer Arti Sharma, treated their first patient, a relapsed case of ovary carcinoma.

The patient had previously undergone two lines of chemotherapy and treatment with a PARP inhibitor. Presently, she received infusion chemotherapy with Injection Paclitaxel, a conventional chemotherapy drug, and Injection Bevacizumab, a targeted therapy drug. The treatment lasted five hours, and the

patient was discharged in stable condition. The Director emphasized that these initial services represent only the beginning of a much larger plan. Over the next two to three months, AIIMS Vijaypur Jammu will expand to offer comprehensive cancer care, including advanced external radiation treatment, brachytherapy, palliative care services, cancer pain management, and cancer surgeries. This expansion will eliminate the need for patients to travel outside the state, not only bringing financial relief but also providing psychological comfort to patients and their families by offering high-quality care close to home. "I may not be able to change anyone's destiny," Prof. Gupta humbly acknowledged, "but I am fully committed to ensuring that AIIMS Jammu leaves no stone unturned. We aim to raise awareness about cancer, encourage early screening, and provide complete and compassionate care-even for those diagnosed at advanced stages.

Every patient deserves dignity, hope, and the best treatment available, right here in

Jammu." Prof. Gupta urged the people of Jammu & Kashmir to take control of their health. Essential Tips from the Director to Fight Cancer- Regular Screenings, early detection is crucial. Get screened, especially if you are at higher risk; Healthy Lifestyle: A balanced diet, regular exercise, and avoiding tobacco and excessive alcohol can lower cancer risks; Know the Signs: Be aware of the early symptoms of cancer-don't ignore unexplained weight loss, persistent cough, or unusual lumps; Vaccination: Stay informed about vaccines, like the HPV vaccine, that can prevent certain types of cancer; and Stay Positive: A positive mindset and timely medical intervention can make a significant difference in treatment outcomes. Prof. Gupta concluded his message with a strong appeal: "Together, we will defeat cancer and build a healthier, stronger Jammu & Kashmir." "Cancer Se Ladnahai, Zindagi Ko Jeetnahai, Apne Desh Ko Swasth Aur Mazboot Banana Hai." (We must fight cancer; win life, and make our nation healthier and stronger).

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