



**Government of Jammu and Kashmir
General Administration Department
Civil Secretariat, Srinagar**

Subject: Constitution of Working Group to work out modalities for operationalization of knowledge Initiative.

Government order No: 728-GAD of 2017

Dated: 09.06.2017

Sanction is hereby accorded to the constitution of a Working Group comprising the following to work out modalities for operationalization of knowledge initiative:

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| i) | Mr. Amitabh Mattoo,
Advisor to HCM | (Chair) |
| ii) | Syed Altaf Ahmad Bukhari,
Hon'ble Minister for Education, J&K | (Co-Chair) |
| iii) | Mr. K.B. Agarwal, IAS
Financial Commissioner (Coordination)/
Resident Commission, J&K Government,
New Delhi. | (Member) |
| iv) | Mr. Rohit Kansal, IAS
Principal Secretary to
Hon'ble Chief Minister. | (Member) |
| v) | Dr. Asgar Hassan Samoon, IAS
Commissioner/Secretary to the Govt.,
Higher Education Department. | (Member-Secretary). |

The terms of reference of the group shall be as under:

1. Preparing a Vision Document for interventions in skills, teaching, learning, research and innovation that will be drawn from global best practices and traditional norms.
2. Preparing policies, guidelines and schemes to ensure full literacy and competitive employability through an optimal use of existing infrastructure and human resources available in the State.
3. Preparing a blueprint for Information and Communication Technology initiatives that can harness the human resources talent in the State.
4. Preparing a plan and guidelines for the creation of knowledge clusters that can become a hub of state-of-the-art technology, research and innovation through the participation of major stakeholders.
5. Preparing a blue print for the creation of a knowledge township in the State that will provide a state-of-the-art environment for the youth of the State to become globally competitive and where

there is a seamless transition from studying to training to working to living within the same geographical space.

The Committee shall be serviced by the Higher Education Department.

The Group shall co-opt experts and members for this initiative, as deemed appropriate, in order to produce a time-bound report within twelve months.

The knowledge initiative group shall submit report to Hon'ble Chief Minister and shall work in coordination with the relevant departments of the State Government.

By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

Sd/-

(Khurshid Ahmad) IAS

Commissioner/Secretary to the Government

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