

### GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT CIVIL SECTT, SRINAGAR / JAMMU

#### MINUTES OF THE MEETING

# ADVISOR (G) TO HON'BLE GOVERNOR HOLDS MEETING TO ASSESS THE PROGRESS OF NEWLY ESTABLISHED GOVT. DEGREE COLLEGES OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR DIVISIONS

July 02, 2019

A meeting was convened under the Chairmanship of Advisor (G) to Hon'ble Governor, Higher Education Department, J&K, Mr. Khursheed Ahmed Ganai on 02-07-2019 in committee room 4th floor Civil Secretariat at 3:00 PM. The agenda of the meeting was to discuss the Operationalization of new Degree Colleges.

The following officers/officials were present in the meeting.

- 1) Vice-Chancellor, University of Kashmir.
- 2) Vice-Chancellor, University of Jammu.
- 3) Vice-Chancellor, Cluster University of Srinagar/Jammu.
- 4) Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir.
- 5) Managing Director, JKPCC.
- 6) Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department.
- 7) Registrar, University of Jammu.
- 8) Chief Engineer, R&B, Kashmir/Jammu.
- 9) Director Colleges, J&K.
- 10) Director, School Education Kashmir.
- 11) Director, School Education Jammu (Through video conference)
- 12) Director Planning, Higher Education Department. J&K Govt.
- 13 FA/CAO Higher Education Department. J&K Govt.
- 14) Nodal Principal, Jammu/Kashmir.
- 15) Nodal Officers/Principals of newly sanctioned 52 Colleges.

## i. Identification/transfer of land.

Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir informed the meeting that out of 26 degree colleges sanctioned for erstwhile Kashmir division, land for 23 colleges has already been identified. He said that the process for identification of land for rest of the three colleges at Silgam, Tulail and Zainapora is under process. He informed that all the Deputy Commissioners would be instructed to extend every possible assistance in making all the new degree colleges operational without any delay. While reviewing the land acquisition case in respect of Jammu it was informed that out of 26 College, for 23 sites land has been handed over to Higher Education

Department, while as due to court stay at Dongi Kainth Glai, land has not been acquired, more so for Bhagwati Nagar and Ukhral no state land is available. Hon'ble Advisor (G) was informed that for three sites private land has been donated free of cost at 1.Mandi, and 2.Katra.

Action by Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir/Jammu, Secretary, Higher Education Department

# ii. Identification of Government / private buildings for class-work

The Secretary to Govt, Higher Education Department apprised the Hon'ble Advisor (G) that temporary arrangements are in place to start the class work for all of the new colleges for the academic session for summer zone, and few students on transfer of RR to new colleges in winter zone. He apprised that Rs. 3 Lakh has been sanctioned to each of these colleges for civil and allied works to make these colleges functional before 16th July, 2019. The details of temporary accommodation communicated by the Principals along with proposal of admission/ shifting etc. is appended as Annexure"A'. Hon'ble Advisor (G) approved utilizing the premises of identified school buildings for new colleges except High School Kalochak and Higher Secondary School Panthal. Beside utilizing also buildings of Tourism and Rural Development Department at GDC Qazigund, GDC Pouni and Panchayat Ghar at GDC Neeli Nallah for starting the classwork of Colleges at these locations. While approving starting of classes in identified Panchayat Ghars, it was decided that premises of these buildings would be made available beyond college timing and on holidays for any of the village related work/assembly. The Higher Education Department would also pay reasonable / nominal rent for such buildings of the Panchayat as per resolution of the Panchayat.

Action by Director, Colleges, Director,
Tourism Jammu/Kashmir Director,
Rural Development Deptt.

Divisional Commissioner Kashmir was requested to help Higher Education Department in transfer of identified land so that constructions shall begin soon. It was also decided that wherever identified land is recorded under section 4 of Land Revenue Act and has been identified for college building, resolution of the concerned village/Panchayat should be obtained, Revenue authorities to record No objection before the college work get started on such lands.

Action by Div.Commr.

Kashmir/Jammu All Deputy

Commissioners. Chief Engineer R&B

## iii. Affiliation with the concerned University.

The meeting was informed that 5 (five) new degree colleges have been affiliated with the University of Jammu and University of Kashmir. The Advisor (G) issued on spot directions to the concerned universities for affiliation of all remaining new degree colleges immediately.

Action by Registrar University of Jammu/Kashmir/Cluster University of Srinagar.

#### iv. Admission etc.

The meeting was informed that since, the admission process in Kashmir is already over; hence in Kashmir division the students admitted in the existing colleges shall be migrated to these new degree colleges from Arts and Commerce streams. While as in Jammu division the admission process in all the colleges is already under process and all these colleges shall commence the current session from 16th July 2019.

Action by:-, Secretary (Higher Education Department. Director, Colleges. J&K and all Principals.

# v. Construction of buildings.

Hon'ble Advisor was informed that Architectural drawings and proposal, as per requisition/ projected by the Director Colleges, have been formulated and are being approved by the designated committee under the Chairmanship of Secretary to Govt, Higher Education Department. These Architectural drawing are being finalized as per the directions already been given during the meeting held on 17.05.2019 by the Hon'ble Advisor (G) and has been communicated to Chief Engineer and Chief Architecture, J&K. A budget provision of Rs 50 crore has been earmarked for construction of new Degree Colleges. Further the Hon'ble Advisor directed all the principals to approach the concerned Public Works Department(R&B), if required, for any repair work in the identified buildings and all shall ensure that the class work to start by 16<sup>th</sup> July 2019. Secretary (HED) shall proceed to Jammu for inauguration of class work in new colleges in Jammu.

Action by: Secretary(HED), Chief Engineer R&B Jammu/Kashmir. Chief Architect. J&K. Director, Colleges, J&K

#### vi. Staff:

Hon'ble Advisor was informed that the charge of Principals of these new colleges have been assigned to the Principals of adjacent Colleges. Also one Assistant Professor of the permanent faculty of Higher Education Department is being posted in the new colleges, besides, one permanent employee class-IV will be assigned from the adjacent colleges to manage the affairs of these new colleges. It was also informed to Hon'ble Advisor that creation of 520 teaching and 520 non teaching have been taken up with the Finance Department for sanction, so that requisite staff for all the subject streams get sanctioned for these colleges. In the meantime Academic arrangement shall be made available for class work in these new colleges for current Academic Session.

> Action by:-Financial Commissioner, Finance, Secretary (Higher Education Department. Director, Colleges. J&K and all Principals.

(Shabir Ahmed Baba) **Under Secretary to Government Higher Education Department** 

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- 2. Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir.
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- 13. SSP Security for information and necessary action.
- 14. PS to Vice-Chancellor, University of Kashmir.
- PS to Vice-Chancellor, University of Jammu. 15.
- 16. PS to Vice-Chancellor, Cluster University of Srinagar/Jammu
- 17. PS to Secretary, Higher Education Department.