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Maintain operational readiness at peak level: Rajnath to Comdrs

"Had a productive interaction with the Indian Army Commanders at the Commanders' Conference in New Delhi today. Complimented the Armed Forces for their high standard of operational preparedness and capabilities," he said.

The Army said Singh also referred to the stellar role played by the Army in guarding the borders and fighting terrorism apart from providing assistance to the civil administration whenever called for.

He complimented the forces for the high standard of operational preparedness and capabilities which he has always been experiencing first hand during his visits to forward areas, according to the Army.

"He commended the Army's efforts to develop niche technologies in collaboration with civil industries, including premier educational institutions and thereby progressing

towards the aim of 'modernisation through indigenisation' or 'Atma Nirbharta'," it said in a statement.

The Army Commanders' Conference is an apex-level biannual event that is held in April and October/November every year.

The conference is an institutional platform for conceptual-level deliberations, culminating in making important policy decisions for the Indian Army.

The Commanders are also undertaking a review of India's military preparedness along the 3,400-km-long Line of Actual Control (LAC) in view of the military standoff with China in certain friction points in Eastern Ladakh, officials said.

The anti-terror operation in Jammu and Kashmir as well as the overall situation in the Union Territory are also being deliberated upon extensively at the conference, they said. (PTI)



Three JeM operatives in police custody at Jammu on Wednesday.

3 JeM operatives nabbed in Jammu with drone-dropped consignment

into custody as he entered into scuffle with the police team followed by his two associates.

Their questioning revealed that they were Jaish-e-Mohammed operatives and were transporting consignment of arms and explosives to Srinagar.

The consignment was recovered from the oil tanker in presence of a Magistrate.

They have been booked at Bahu Fort Police Station.

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4 JKAS officers transferred

against an available vacancy.

Vishal Singh Parihar, Sub-Registrar, Vijaypur, holding additional charge of Sub-Registrar, Kathua has been transferred and posted as Sub-Registrar, Kathua, on full time basis.

Pawan Kumar Goswami, Collector, Land Acquisition, Northern Railways, Udhampur/ Reasi was transferred and posted as Sub-Registrar, Vijaypur.

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NIA charge sheets TRF operative

Activities (Prevention) Act was filed in a special NIA court here, a spokesperson of the federal agency said.

The agency registered the case suo motu on November 18 last year.

"During investigations, it emerged that the accused (Bhat), who is associated with Pakistan-based handlers and operative commanders of LeT/TRF, had radicalized, motivated and instigated vulnerable youths to join terrorist

groups such as TRF in Kashmir," the spokesperson said.

The NIA said the accused entered into a conspiracy with active terrorist commanders in Kashmir valley to train youths in fabricating Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs) using locally available chemicals.

"He, along with other co-accused and Pakistan-based handlers/operatives of LeT/TRF, actively participated in acts in support of LeT and received funds from Pakistan-based operatives of LeT. He also facilitated the transfer of weapons in Kashmir for furtherance of terrorist activities in India," the spokesperson said. (PTI)

Mother, daughter among 3 killed; 15 injured in Samba accident

rest are undergoing treatment at District Hospital Samba. They are out of danger, he added.

The deceased have been identified as 36-year old Mangi Devi, wife of Ramesh Chand and her 13-year old daughter Tania. Both were residents of Batala Punjab and Kasturi Lal, son of Buta Ram, resident of Rajpura, Samba.

The injured have been identified as Superfast bus driver, 34-year-old Arindam, son of Bansil Lal resident of Kathua, Lovely, son of Surjit Singh resident of Pathankot, 45-year-old Madhu, and her husband Kamal Raj, both residents of Jakhbar Kathua, four year-old Bharti Devi daughter of Vinod Kumar resident of Pathankot, 52-year old Raj Kumar, son of Charan Das, resident of Shah Blore Samba and 35-year old Jagdev Singh resident of Pathankot. All these injured have been referred to Medical College and Hospital Jammu. The injured undergoing treatment in DH Samba have been identified as 45-year-old Amarjit Kaur, wife of Harvinder Singh, resident of Rajbagh Kathua, 60-year-old Darshana Devi, wife of Bishambar Das, resident of Chandigarh, 10-year-old Raman, son of Subash

Chandra resident of Kathua, 32-year-old Deep Mala wife of Varinder Singh resident of Mandi Pashwalian, Samba, 38-year old Monika Jara wife of Jatinder resident of Barwal Kathua and 40-year old Ramesh Chand, son of Vidhi Chand resident of Batala Punjab. The police have also registered a case in this regard and started investigation.

Soon after the accident, the district administration and higher officials of the police, including Deputy Commissioner, Samba, Anuradha Gupta also reached the hospital to know about the condition of the injured on the spot.

DC Samba Anuradha Gupta also announced a compensation of Rs one lakh to dead, Rs 50,000 to seriously injured and Rs 10,000 to those who have received minor injuries.

Meanwhile Lt Governor, Manoj Sinha in a tweet has expressed his profound grief over the death of three people including a child in the accident. He prayed for speedy recovery of injured.

Union Minister, Dr Jitendra Singh has also expressed his shock over the death of three passengers and injuries to 15 others in the Samba accident.

Fight against terror, support system has to be decisive for victory: Shah

He said the Intelligence Bureau has made a very important contribution in maintaining peace in the country since Independence anonymously without any expectations.

"We also have to make the country's coastal security impenetrable. For this, we should keep a close eye on even the smallest and most isolated port," he said.

Referring to the circulation of drugs, Shah said narcotics not only ruin the youth of the country but money earned from it also affects the internal security of the country, therefore everyone has to work together for its complete destruction.

"We have to make maximum use of anti-drone technology to stop smuggling of drugs from across the border through drones," he said.

"A series of issues were taken up at the meeting held in the Union capital in which senior IB officers from New Delhi and all other States and Union Territories participated and briefed the Home Minister about prevailing situation with particular reference to internal security, strengthening Intelligence network to counter militancy in Jammu and Kashmir, Left wing extremism, radicalization and cyber security etc," the officials said.

The Home Minister has been holding regular meetings with paramilitary forces, Intelligence agencies, police heads of different States to review security situation and ensure that no terror-related incident takes place anywhere.

The day-long meeting, as per the sources, discussed series of measures to be taken for more Intelligence gathering to ensure that the anti-national and anti-social elements don't succeed in their designs.

Besides anti-terrorism measures, situation along the borders also figured prominently in the

meeting. There have been reports that Pakistan and its backed militant outfits were trying to strengthen their network in border areas especially in Jammu and Punjab to increase drone activities which are being used to transport arms, ammunition, explosives and narcotics from across the border.

"A number of drone activities have been foiled by security forces and police in Jammu and Kashmir and Punjab leading to recoveries of arms and ammunition and narcotics in large quantity," the officials said.

They added that timely inputs by the border villages have also led to some recoveries of the material dropped by drones from Pakistan which was meant for the militants and narcotics smugglers. Proceeds of narcotics, in certain cases, are also being used for terror funding.

In the meeting, the Home Minister assessed the internal security situation in the country and called for coordination among Central and State agencies.

Issues like continued threats of terrorism and global terror groups, terror financing, narco-terrorism, organised crime-terror nexus, illicit use of cyberspace and movement of foreign terrorist fighters were also discussed in the meeting.

The meeting was also attended by other senior officers across the country concerned with intelligence-related issues. Union Home Secretary Ajay Kumar Bhalla, IB chief Tapan Deka were also among the topmost officers who attended the meeting.

The meeting was held days after the Home Minister recently held a Chintan Shivir in Haryana with Home Ministers, officials and police officials of the States.

JK, Himalayan States to be main contributors to India's future economy: Dr Jitendra

proving an impediment to StartUp culture, mainly in North India. He pointed out that the 'Purple Revolution' originating from Jammu & Kashmir offers attractive StartUp avenues and those who have entered the lavender sector are making a fortune out of it.

Dr Jitendra Singh said that to boost the lavender cultivation in Gulmarg his Ministry has tied up with Maharashtra and Gujarat States.

He said it is important to take note of some of the exemplary instances of many young entrepreneurs who are seen quitting their lucrative jobs in the MNCs to establish their own Start-Ups, as these young entrepreneurs are now beginning to realise the possibility of greater fortunes in this.

Dr Jitendra Singh pointed out that as Union Minister for DoNER, he had approved three Bamboo Clusters in Jammu, Katra and Samba areas in 2020 for making of Bamboo basketry, Agarbatti and Bamboo Charcoal. He said the Bamboo products are in great demand both in India and abroad and through Start-Ups, the youth can explore huge entrepreneurial opportunities in this sector.

Dr Jitendra Singh gave full credit to the futuristic vision of Prime Minister Narendra Modi who had given a call for "Start-Up India Stand Up India" from the ramps of Red Fort in his Independence Day address of 2015 that initiated a mass interest, as a result of which the number of Start-Ups in India has increased from

mere 350 in 2014 to over 80,000 in 2022 with more than 100 unicorns.

He said to boost the Bamboo cultivation in the country, the Modi Government amended over 100-year-old Forest law.

Dr Jitendra Singh informed that the Biotech Kisan Hub has rejuvenated 40 orchards till date under rejuvenation of apple orchards, where a very innovative methodology has been used to transform the old, senile and the young and non-productive orchards into more productive orchards. He said, in J&K too, the new high-density plantation system of apple is taken up by farmers and is being promoted by the Biotech Kisan hub vigorously. The Minister promised full help by DBT and CSIR for setting up of Agritech Start-ups.

The Minister pointed out that a new wave of Agri-tech Start-Ups has emerged in the country in the last few years and these Start-Ups are solving problems related to supply chain management, cooling and refrigeration, seed management and distribution, besides helping farmers to access a wider range of markets. He said, 'Kisan Drones' could be adopted in a big way for promoting crop assessment, digitisation of land records, spraying of insecticides, and nutrients and pointed out that countries like Israel, China and the US have transformed several agriculture practices in their country with the use of technology.



Wreckage of the car which fell into river Chenab in Doda district on Tuesday evening.

Car's wreckage, body recovered

Highway following the accident around 7.30 pm yesterday. Senior Superintendent of Police, Doda, Abdul Yaqoob and Deputy Commissioner, Doda, Vishesh Paul Mahajan were themselves supervising the operation which was being jointly carried out by police, Army and State Disaster Response Force (SDRF).

Police sources said that river rafting experts from JK Adventures and specially trained local volunteers were also part of the rescue-cum-search operation. They said the adventure sports body had deployed its expert divers at the scene to help in locating the missing persons and as a result, wreckage of the ill-fated car and body of one of the occupants

of the car namely Adit Kotwal son of Rakesh Kumar of Paryote (Doda), was recovered this evening.

"The search operation was suspended late this evening due to darkness and it will be started again tomorrow morning," sources said, adding, the National Hydroelectric Power Corporation (NHPC) has also requested to close down the dams on the river so that the water flow in the river is lowered to facilitate the search operation for other three occupants of the car.

Rohan Mangotra, Adit Kotwal, Surjeet Singh and Vishal Chandel, all residents of Doda, were travelling to Kishtwar when their vehicle skidded off the road and fell into the river, late last evening.

Public facing brunt of heavy taxes, price hike, unemployment in J&K: Azad

done or still moving at snail's pace. Azad said as Union Health Minister he sanctioned new hospitals in all the 22 districts in J&K and even gave five Medical College and many degree colleges but unfortunately, today many hospitals are without doctors and other trained medical staff. Six hospitals were given in Srinagar and Jammu districts which is record during past 75 years. He regretted that today most of the degree colleges and schools are without teachers, hospitals short of staff and this has aggravated the sufferings of the general public.

The DAP leader pointed out that he increased the MBBS/ MD/MS seats in the Medical Colleges of J&K to overcome the problem of shortage of doctors in rural and remote areas but during his visit to Doda region for the last couple of days, he came to know that many hospitals are facing severe shortage of doctors. Same could be the situation at other places. In Degree Colleges and Higher Secondary/ High Schools, many teachers of different subjects are not available and the students are suffering badly for months and years.

have been engaged from outside J&K while local workforce has been ignored. They are sitting idle. There is no work and their families are facing survival crisis. Many of them have been forced to move outside J&K in search of work. The labour class people and masons are losing their livelihood. The daily wagers/ adhoc workers are on strike for the last 5-6 months but no one listens to them.

Expressing serious concern over the neglect of Tourist spots of Doda region, Azad said existing infrastructure was lying in shambles. There are no blankets, quilts, furniture and other things of use in the Tourist huts and Dak Bungalows. It appears that officers hardly visit these places and meet public to listen their issues. He referred to the Lal Draman, tourist destination near Doda and said he selected this place for tourism development during 2007 and road was sanctioned for the same. But unfortunately, hardly 1.5 km road could not be completed by the previous regimes during last 15 years, Azad regretted.

He also referred to Balandpur road in Doda, another tourist place which was constructed out of the Constituency Development Fund provided by former MLC, Sham Lal Bhagat. No agency gave funds for this road. He said people are fed up with the existing system and they want return of a popular Government in J&K.

Officers to undertake follow-up visit to Panchayats between Dec 1-15

demand and follow up on the deliverables of the Back to Village Programme," the GAD order read.

It said the Prabhari Officers shall lay special focus on 101 deliverables of various departments inter-alia priority areas which have been submitted to them. They will maintain a continuous liaison with the people of Panchayat and facilitate appropriate communication between the Panchayat and local administration/ line departments, ensuring redressal of grievances/ issues locally.

"All line departments shall extend their cooperation to the 'Prabhari officers for their satisfaction. Any non-responsiveness/non-cooperation by representatives of the line departments shall be reported to the concerned Sub Divisional Magistrate/District Magistrate for appropriate action," according to the order.

It further ordered that the Department of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj shall be the Nodal Department for coordinating the exercise and shall devise an objective format/mechanism for monitoring progress of the deliverables.

The GAD order further said that eight departments/offices and agencies will complete the tasks/achieve deliverables which have been assigned to them as a follow up way-forward for the BZV4.

The departments/offices include Rural Development, Deputy Commissioners, Planning Development and Monitoring, Information Technology, Banks, GAD and Information.

All departments will review their respective deliverables and ensure satisfaction. They will review the Action Taken Report received from the DCs and resolve as many issues as possible and send ATR to the Planning Department.

and Senior Superintendent of Police Kishtwar, DB said.

"There is no denying the fact that respondent intentionally furnished wrong information to the police and concocted a false story and his actions led the terrorists to snatch the service rifle i.e. AK-47 along with three magazines and 90 live cartridges from HC-Daleep Singh and escaped afterwards," the DB further said, adding "the circumstances surrounding the episode are sufficient to indicate that respondent had prior knowledge about the incident of weapon snatching and the conduct of the respondent after the incident gives rise to a grave suspicion that prima facie respondent connived with the militants/accused on the spot to facilitate the commission of the crime."

"The Trial Court, by reading in between the lines, has erred in assuming that respondent had disclosed incorrect registration number of his vehicle to the police authorities out of fear only. The observation of trial court that respondent must have disclosed wrong registration number of his vehicle for the reason that he might be suspected to be an ally of the categorized terrorists, is totally misconceived", the DB said.

With these observations, Division Bench set-aside the order of trial court and directed trial court to frame charge against the respondent and proceed with the trial in accordance with law.

DB sets aside court order discharging accused

1973 and Article 227 of the Constitution of India, has been filed against order, pronounced by the court of Special Judge, NIA (3rd Additional Sessions Judge) in case RC-08/2019/NIA/JMU dated 02.11.2019, vide which, respondent has been discharged for offences under Section 120-B read with Section 392 of Indian Penal Code and Sections 18, 39 & 40 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act.

The case of the appellant/prosecution in the Trial Court was that on 08.03.2019 Police Station, Kishtwar received a source information that some unknown armed terrorists had barged into the rented room of HC Daleep Singh, who happened to be the Incharge of escort party of Deputy Commissioner, Kishtwar and snatched his service weapon i.e. AK-47 rifle along with three magazines and 90 live cartridges at gun point and fled away.

Accordingly, an FIR No. 31 of 2019 dated 08.03.2019 came to be registered by Police Station, Kishtwar for offences under Section 392 IPC, 7/25/30 of Arms Act and Sections 16/18/20/23 of UA(P) Act and investigation started. Subsequently, in compliance to order No. 11011/55/2019/NIA dated 01.11.2019 issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs, the case was assigned to NIA under the provisions of Section 6 of the NIA Act.

On conclusion of the investigation, NIA filed a final report against six accused persons including Osama Bin Javed alias Osama, Haroon Abbas Wani, Zahid Hussain, Tanveer Ahmed Malik, Taraq Hussain Giri and Jaffar Hussain (respondent) and some other accused persons in the Trial Court on 22.05.2021 for the alleged commission of offence punishable under Sections 120-B & 392 IPC, 16/18/19/20/23/38/39 & 40 of UA(P) Act and 07/25/30 of Arms Act and further investigation of the case was kept open.

After hearing ASGI Vishal Sharma for the NIA whereas Advocate Intikhab H Shah for the accused, the DB observed, "the admitted position of fact on the record is that respondent was an acquaintance of accused Osama Bin Javed and it is also an admitted fact that Maruti Alto Car of the respondent has been used in the commission of the offence."

"Respondent in the present case not only failed to inform the police, but also misled, misinformed and misdirected the police agency, purportedly in furtherance of intention to screen the militants. It is significant to underline that respondent not only lied to the MTO, MT clerk and DySP/DAR of DPL, Kishtwar but he also projected a false story and furnished wrong information to his senior officials including Additional Superintendent of Police, Kishtwar

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Rain across J&K, snowfall at hills

night. The temperature was 3.1°C above normal for the town.

In Pahalgam, the mercury settled at 2.9°C against minus 1.6°C the previous night and it was 4.0°C above normal for resort.

Kokernag recorded a low of 4.1°C, the same as the previous night and it was 1.4°C above normal for the place.

Gulmarg recorded a low of minus 2.0°C against minus 2.6°C the previous night and it was 2.2°C below normal for the skiing resort.

In Kupwara town, the mercury settled at 4.7°C against 2.8°C the previous night. It was 3.4°C above normal for the north Kashmir place.

Pahalgam received 0.5mm of rainfall while Gulmarg amassed 2cms of fresh snowfall today.

Meanwhile, Mughal Road, connecting twin districts of Poonch and Rajouri with Shopian was closed for traffic early today after snowfall at several places enroute including Pir Ki Gali (PKG), Mansar Morh and Poshana. The road was closed by

authorities keeping in view safety of passengers, an official at Poonch said.

Most of people from Pir Panjal prefer to visit Kashmir via this road as this is the shortest route for them to reach Kashmir. Moreover, Ravinder Singh IC PP Poshana said that due to regular snowfall, road is closed.

Hilly areas of Baderwah, Doda, Bani, Kishtwar, Poonch, Rajouri and Reasi also witnessed fresh snowfall.

Chopper service to Katra-Mata Vaishnodevi was hit due to bad weather during this afternoon. However, yatra continued despite rain today.

Jammu recorded a maximum temperature of 20.1 deg C which is 8 degrees below normal. The City witnessed a minimum temperature of 14.6 deg C today. Katra recorded a minimum temperature of 12.6 deg C, Baderwah 5.6 deg C, Batote 6.3 deg, Kargil 1.4 deg while Leh recorded minimum -3.1 deg C temperature today.

Case against MC Chairman

Earlier, after banning such activity, several officers including officials of revenue, police and administration visited the area and warned no one will be allowed to excavate the soil. However, a few days later smugglers again started their activity.

WEATHER

JAMMU:
Possibility of light rain/thundershowers
TEMPERATURE
Max: 20.1 Degree C
Min: 14.6 Degree C
RELATIVE HUMIDITY
RH-I (Morning): 76.0 per cent
RH-II (Evening): 67.0 per cent
Sunset on Thursday: 05.34 p.m.
Sunrise on Friday: 06.57 a.m.

SRINAGAR:
Possibility of light rain/thundershowers
TEMPERATURE
Max: 9.6 Degree C
Min: 5.4 Degree C
RELATIVE HUMIDITY
RH-I (Morning): 90.0 per cent
RH-II (Evening): 89.0 per cent
LEH:
TEMPERATURE
Max: 10.7 Degree C
Min: -3.1 Degree C

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Fresh e-NIT NO. 42 OF 2022-23

For and on behalf of The Lt. Governor of U.T. of J&K, Tenders are invited by e-Tendering mode in Two Cover System (Cover-I containing technical bid, pre-qualification documents and Cover-II containing Price bid) from approved and eligible contractors registered with J&K State Govt./CPWD/MES and Railways for the following works:-

S. No.	Name of work	Name of Division	Estimated Cost (Rs. in lacs)	Cost of 1/document (in Rs.)	Earnest Money (In Rs.)	Class of contractor	Time of Completion	Bid validity
1	Improvement/renovation of Royal Main Canal in between RD 5000-5500, 6600-7300, 9900-9920, 11730-11780, 11960-11980 at spots including 07 nos of culverts and 01 no. foot crossing in between RD 4700 to 12300M at spots.	Irrigation & F.C. Division Nowshera.	15.56	600.00	31120.00	"B.C."	60 days	90 days

Position of funds = Partially Available under Capex Budget.

- Date of publishing from 05-11-2022.
- The bidding document, which contains qualifying criteria, specifications of work, bill of quantities (BOQ), other conditions and details, can be seen at and downloaded from the website www.kjtenders.gov.in from 06:00 PM on 05-11-2022 to 11-11-2022 (4:00 PM).
- The Bids shall be uploaded/submitted in electronic format on the website www.kjtenders.gov.in from 06:00 PM, 05-11-2022 to 11-11-2022 (4:00 PM).
- The complete bidding process will be online.
- Technical bids shall be opened in the office of The Executive Engineer, Irrigation & Flood Control, Division Nowshera on 12-11-2022 at 11:00 A.M. or Next day if it happens to be a holiday on Bid Opening Day or any other convenient time and date.
- Financial bid shall be opened after evaluation of technical bid is completed.

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Irrigation & F.C. Division
Nowshera