

Dr Jitendra holds luncheon interaction with J&K IAS, IPS officers

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NEW DELHI, Oct 7: Union Minister of State (Independent Charge) Science & Technology; Minister of State (Independent Charge) Earth Sciences; MoS PMO, Personnel, Public

this policy, as many as 140 shooting permissions for films and web-series have been issued. He said, there is a proposal to set up a film studio with state-of-art facilities catering to the young talent of Jammu and Kashmir.

Kumar Tripathi, Secretary, (Coordination) in Cabinet Secretariat, Sundeeep Kumar Nayak, Director General, National Productivity Council (NPC), Department for Promotion of Industry & Internal Trade, Shantmanu, Development Commissioner (Handicrafts), Manoj Kumar Dwivedi Joint Secretary DoPT, Dr. Mandeep Kumar Bhandari, Niraj Kumar ARC, JK House among others exchanged views with Dr Jitendra Singh over a luncheon meeting at his residence.



Union Minister Dr Jitendra Singh holding a luncheon interaction with IAS, IPS and IFS officers of erstwhile J&K Cadre, currently posted in Delhi, on Friday.

Grievances, Pensions, Atomic Energy and Space, Dr Jitendra Singh today held a luncheon interaction with IAS, IPS and also some Indian Forest Service officers belonging to erstwhile Jammu & Kashmir cadre, and presently posted in the national capital.

During the interaction, Dr Jitendra Singh said, Prime Minister Narendra Modi accords highest priority to Jammu & Kashmir and therefore it is the added responsibility of All India Service officers to strive to transform it into one of the best governed States/UTs of the country. He said, Jammu & Kashmir is witnessing a new dawn of development and peace.

The Minister expressed happiness that from January, 2022 till date, 1.62 crore tourists have visited J&K, which is the highest in 75 years of independence.

Dr Jitendra Singh noted that after three decades, Kashmir valley is attracting lakhs of tourists, which not only heralds the return of golden era of Kashmir tourism, but also underlines the overall peace, development and change happening fast in the Union Territory.

The Minister pointed out that Modi also fulfilled 70 year old demand of Kashmiris for international flights by starting direct flights from Srinagar. Dr Jitendra Singh also underlined that the new comprehensive Film Policy launched with much fanfare is attracting film-makers for shooting after decades and within a year of notification of

Dr Jitendra Singh also informed the senior officers of IAS, IPS and IFS from erstwhile J&K cadre that deputation rules of Department of Personnel & Training (DoPT) have been relaxed to encourage IAS and other All India Service Officers as well as officers of Central Services to get posted in J&K. He informed that due to this relaxation, 22 officers belonging to various services and different cadres have been posted in Jammu & Kashmir at various levels.

Dr Jitendra Singh said, DoPT has played a major role in facilitating induction of Jammu & Kashmir Administrative Services Officers into IAS by coordinating with UT of J&K, Ministry of Home Affairs and UPSC. As a result recently 16 officers from JKAS have been inducted into IAS and another 8 such vacancies will be filled up shortly giving opportunities to the JKAS officers to become part of prestigious IAS service after a long gap of 12 years. The Minister also added that Mid-Career Training of JKAS officers of various seniority was carried out in collaboration with LBSNAA and this has provided a new level of exposure to the JKAS Officers and more than 200 officers. Senior IAS officers including Pradip



LG interacting with young scientists.

Young scientists of KU call on LG

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SRINAGAR, Oct 7: Young scientists of Kashmir University called on Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha at Raj Bhawan today.

The scientists led by Dr Ajaz ul Hamid Wani apprised the Lt Governor about the research initiatives they have taken in the UT of J&K.

Discussion was held to establish a world-class research and capacity-building ecosystem in the UT.

The Lt Governor assured all support and assistance from the UT Government in enhancing the research development activities. He extended his best wishes for the success in research of the young scientists, who have returned through "Brain Drain to Brain Gain" mission of the

Government of India to take up research positions in various universities, and set up cutting-edge research programs.

Army trooper killed in accidental fire

SRINAGAR, Oct 7:

An Army trooper was killed when his service rifle went off accidentally in Baramulla district of Jammu and Kashmir, officials said today.

The service rifle of the personnel identified as Chander Mohan (28) went off accidentally outside a camp at Chatoosa in Sopore area of the north Kashmir district late Thursday evening, they said. (PTI)

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Dr Karan Singh decries entities claiming Rajaraj Chola was not Hindu

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JAMMU, Oct 7: Expressing shock over the claims that great emperor Rajaraj Chola was not a Hindu king, former Sadar-e-Riyasat Dr Karan Singh has lambasted the attempts to create a division between Shaivism, Vaishnavism and Shaktism.

"To say that he (Rajaraj Chola) was a Shaivite not a Hindu, is like saying someone is a Catholic but not a Christian," said Dr Karan Singh in a statement, issued here today.

Maintaining that these semantic gymnastics in a way denigrate and confuse our great religion, Dr

Karan Singh said that describing Rajaraj Chola as not a Hindu king was absolutely ridiculous. "Shiva is the primordial



Hindu deity, focus of intense devotion for millions over the millennia from Srinagar down to Rameshwaram," he said and reminded that the emperor built

one of the greatest Shiva temples which are marvels of architecture, specially the great Brihadishwara Temple in Tanjavar.

Dr Singh, who is a great researcher of Indian scriptures, said that the word Hindu may have gained traction later, but Shiva and Vishnu, Hanuman and Ganesha, Mahalakshmi and Mahakali have all been part of what we call Sanatan Dharama for millennia. "Let us not again try and create a division between Shaivism, Vaishnavism and Shaktism, the three main streams of the great Hindu religion which has a billion followers around the world," he said.

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20 yrs RI awarded to heroin smuggler

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JAMMU, Oct 7: Principal Sessions Judge Jammu Sanjay Parihar today awarded 20 years rigorous imprisonment to one Sanjeev Kumar from whom 10 kilograms of heroin was recovered by Gandhi Nagar Police on November 24, 2017.

After hearing Public Prosecutor Kulbhushan Sharma for the UT whereas Advocate Fahim Showkat Bhat for the accused, the court observed, "the facts as proved in the present case are that the convict was in conscious possession of 10 Kg of heroin, being, in his vehicle Model Endeavour", adding "the use of drug has become a major problem not only in our UT but also in the country. The younger generation may be, due to the exposure of latest electronic technology and other factors in fast paced life, has got a particular temptation towards the use of drug which is nothing but destruction of the youth and the mankind".

"The persons, who deal with the narcotics, are not only a menace to the society but also to the entire social environment. Therefore, in order to effectively control and eradicate this proliferating and booming devastating menace, causing deleterious effects and deadly impact on the society as a whole, the sentence should be deterrent to the perpetrator of the crime which should serve a message to the persons involved in the narcotic trade", the court said.

Principal Sessions Judge further observed, "there can be no denial that in order to effectively control and eradicate this proliferation of narcotic drugs and its impact on the society, the sentence needed to be deterrent so that the person dealing with such acts would think twice before indulging in possession and transporting of illicit narcotic drugs".

"Though the convict is first time offender yet given the quantity so recovered, the maximum sentence as provided under law is required to be imposed in this case so as to act as deterrent for other wrong doers", the court said.

Accordingly, convict Sanjeev Kumar was awarded rigorous imprisonment for a period of 20 years under Section 8/21 NDPS Act. A fine of Rs 2,00,000 was also imposed on him. In case of default of payment of fine, the convict shall undergo simple imprisonment for a period of one year.

The case was investigated by Mohammad Rafiq Manhas, then DSP South Jammu.

Gill appointed as Spl Public Prosecutor

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JAMMU, Oct 7: Government has appointed Rajesh Gill, Chief Prosecuting Officer as Special Public Prosecutor in the designated Anti-Corruption Court Doda and Additional Public Prosecutor in the Fast Track Court Doda in addition to his own duties.

An order in this regard has been issued by R K Goyal, Additional Chief Secretary, Home Department in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 24 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973.

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