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PRESS RELEASE

Subject: JKSSB Chairman thanks District Administration Jammu & Srinagar for smooth, hassle free & successful conduct of written examination for the posts of Junior Engineer (Civil), Assistant Law officer/ Legal Assistant, etc "Live CCTV Surveillance acting as an Effective Deterrent to Curb Malpractices"

The Jammu and Kashmir Services Selection Board (JKSSB) is conducted OMR based objective type written examination for the posts of **Junior Engineer (Civil), Assistant Law officer, Legal Assistant , Junior Legal Assistant, and Reader** on **20th of March, 2022** from 12.00 noon to 2.00 p.m. at 42 examination venues in Srinagar and Jammu Districts of the Union Territory. Out of 20868 candidates scheduled to participate for the aforesaid posts, 15346 candidates (73.53%) participated in the OMR based written test, for the 163 and 35 posts of **Junior Engineer (Civil) and Assistant Law officer, Legal Assistant , Junior Legal Assistant, and Reader respectively.**

The OMR examination test was conducted with the active cooperation and support of respective District Administrations including Police, Education, Health, Transport and other related departments. The Private Schools & Colleges are also extending their full cooperation in conduct of the aforesaid examination.

"It was a mammoth exercise and I am thankful to all role partners for their enormous cooperation. The JK SSB team worked relentlessly to conduct examination. The Deputy Commissioners of Jammu and Srinagar and their teams in the districts extended fullest possible cooperation to the J&KSSB in the smooth and transparent conduct of this exercise. District Superintendents of Police of both Districts made elaborate Security arrangements and smooth movement of traffic was ensured by the Traffic Police. Transport Department kept public transport available. Education and Health Departments provided manpower and health facilities at each venue. Private educational

institutions also provided full corporation in this endeavour. Besides to further enhance transparency and fairness during the examination process, all the venues were equipped with facility of live CCTV surveillance and capturing of bio-metric attendance to avert attempts of unfair means practice like impersonation”, said the Chairman, JKSSB.

The JKSSB deployed a multi layered structure for supervision with one Centre Observer and Centre Magistrate for each Examination Centre, in addition to the Center Superintendent. 42 Magistrates, 42 Centre Observers and 42 Centre Superintendents and around 880 Invigilators were deployed for smooth conduct of the examination. Besides Flying Squads, General Observers & Chief Inspectors were nominated for effective supervision and monitoring of the examination. Adequate security arrangements were made at each Examination Centre by the J&K Police for frisking and maintenance of law and order. Besides for ensuring the conduct of examination in fair and transparent manner, the District Magistrates were requested to issue Prohibitory Orders under section 144 of Criminal Procedure Code (CrPC) around the Examination Centres during the timing of examination.

Pertinently, one invigilator deployed in Green valley Educational Institute Ellahi Bagh, Srinagar was observed as violating laid down SOPs by using communication device/ Mobile phone, during live CCTV surveillance and was immediately put in isolation, besides strict action against the said invigilator has been recommended to the concerned Deputy Commissioner.

Further, the aforesaid examination was strictly conducted in pursuance of the SoPs notified under COVID – 19 protocol and required medical teams were deployed at the venues for ensuring adherence to Covid Appropriate Behaviour.

Sd/-

(Ashok Kumar) JKAS

Controller of Examinations

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