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RECOGNITIONS

In recognition of responding proactively and purposefully to various situations, and sustained display of professional excellence, 47 J&K Police personnel were conferred prestigious medals and awards on Independence Day-2007.

PRESIDENT'S POLICE MEDAL FOR GALLANTRY

Head Constable Surinder Singh, 181/ Udhampur was awarded the coveted President's Police Medal for Gallantry in recognition of his sustained display of most conspicuous act of bravery.



Surinder Singh

POLICE MEDAL FOR GALLANTRY

Shri Udhey Kumar Aima, Additional SP, Crime & Railways (Now Retired), Shri Mohammad Hafiz Malik, DySP, GRP Jammu (Now Retired), Shri Mohamad Farid, DySP, Rajouri (Now SP), Shri Mohammad Rashid, DySP (Tral, Awantipur), Shri K.S. Jasrotia, DySP Headquarters Rajouri, Shri T.R. Katoch, DySP Rajouri (Now SP), Inspector Hardeep Singh Gill, SHO P/S GRP Jammu (Now DySP), Inspector Talib Hussain, 1293/ NGO, SHO P/S Mahore, (Now DySP), Inspector Chanchal Singh, 7222/ NGO (Doda District), SI Mohamad Aslam, 4450/ NGO (Udhampur District), SI Paramjit Singh, 7236/NGO (Poonch District),



Udhey Kumar



Mohd. Hafiz



Mohamad Farid

HC Mohamad Shareef, 117/R (Rajouri District), SG. Constable Kamal Mehra, 16/GRP, SG. Constable Punjab Singh, 995/R (Rajouri District), SG. Constable Soba Chand, 1926/ J (Jammu District), Constable Tek Chand, 1109/D (Doda District), Constable Swarn Singh, 773/ IRP-I, Constable Shabir Ahmad, 726/ IRP-VI, Constable Bal Kumar, 1762/ J (Jammu District) and Late Constable Raj Kumar, 215/ GRP (Posthumous) were awarded the coveted Police Medal for Gallantry in recognition of their most conspicuous acts of bravery.



Mohd. Rashid



K.S. Jasrotia



T.R. Katoch



Hardip Singh



Talib Hussain



Chanchal Singh



Paramjit Singh



Mohamad Shareef



Punjab Singh



Soba Chand



Swarn Singh



Shabir Ahmad



Bal Kumar



Raj Kumar

POLICE MEDAL FOR MERITORIOUS SERVICE

Shri Mushtaq Mohd Sadiq, Commandant JKAP-XI, Shri S.A.Hamid, Commandant IRP-IX, Shri Manohar Singh, SSP Doda, Shri Abdul Hamid Bhat, SSP, Traffic Kashmir, Shri R.S. Abrol, Director Prosecution, PHQ J&K, Shri Farooq Ahmed Khathwari, Deputy Director Prosecution (Vigilance), Inspector Aijaz Rasool, 2528/NGO(SSG), Inspector Bashir Ahmed, 2894/NGO (SKPA, Upr.) and SI Danesh Kumar, 6628/NGO (J&K CID Cell New Delhi) were awarded the Police Medal for Meritorious service.



Mushtaq M. Sadiq



S.A. Hamid



R.S. Abrol



Manohar Singh



Abdul Hamid



Farooq A. Khathwari



Aijaz Rasool



Bashir Ahmed



Danesh Kumar

SHER-I- KASHMIR POLICE MEDAL FOR GALLANTRY

Shri Nitish Kumar, SP Pulwama, Shri Javid Iqbal Matoo, Addl. SP Anantnag, Shri Harmeet Singh, Dy.SP, Anantnag, SI Pawan Kumar,



Nitish Kumar

6303/NGO (Kulgam District), SI Farooq Ahmed, 35/PAU Udampur, SI Vishal Shoor, 5904/NGO (Kulgam District), SG. Constable Sukhdev Singh, 47/IRP- III, Constable Zahoor-ur-Rehman, 555/ IRP-III, SG. Constable Mushtaq Ahmed, , 2246/A (Anantnag District), Constable Mohd Hussain, Constable 392/H (Pulwama District), Constable Swami Raj, 552/D (Doda District), Follower Sham Lal, 56/ FD (Doda District), Follower Subash Kumar, 61/ FD(Doda District) and Follower Noor Mohammad, 41/FD(Doda District) were awarded Sher-i-Kashmir Police Medal for Gallantry.



Javid Iqbal



Mohd Hussain

SHER-I- KASHMIR POLICE MEDAL FOR MERITORIOUS SERVICE

Shri Ram Lubhaya, IGP, Director SKPA Udampur, Shri Syed Ahmed Syeed, SSP CID Hqrs. J&K and Shri Jugal Kishore Sharma, Dy.SP, PTS Talwara were awarded Sher-i-Kashmir Police Medal for Meritorious Service.



Ram Lubhaya



Syed A. Syeed



Jugal Kishore

DR ASHOK BHAN IPS HONoured

In recognition of his honesty, integrity and meritorious public service, Dr. Ashok Bhan IPS, Commissioner of Vigilance J&K was awarded 'Chief Minister's Gold Medal' by the state Government, on Independence Day-2007. The other five senior officers awarded were Shri C.Phunsog, Chief Secretary, Shri B.R.Kundal, IAS, Financial Commissioner (Home), Shri Khurshid Ahmad Ganai, IAS, Principal Secretary, GAD, Shri B.B. Vyas, IAS Commissioner/Secretary Finance and Shri Kifayat Hussain Rizvi, Custodian General. The Award carried a 'Gold Medal', a cash reward of Rupees one lakh and a citation.



Dr. Ashok Bhan

HOMAGE TO J&K POLICE MARTYRS

10th J&K Police Martyrs Soccer Tournament held at Srinagar



Shri Ghulam Nabi Azad, Hon'ble Chief Minister J&K, while presenting the 'Running Trophy' to J&K Bank XI at the presentation ceremony of 10th J&K Police Martyrs Memorial Football Tournament - 2007 at Bakshi Stadium on Sept. 03

34 leading Football teams including J&K Police XI, BSF XI, CRPF XI, SSB XI, RCF XI, J&K SRTC XI, J&K Forest XI, J&K Bank XI and 'A' grade teams of various Football clubs of the state participated in the 14-day long 10th J & K Police Martyrs Memorial Football Tournament-2007(August 20- September 02). Under the auspices of Jammu and Kashmir Football Association (JKFA), the tournament was hosted and organized by the Jammu and Kashmir Police in memory of Police martyrs, who sacrificed their lives for preserving the territorial integrity and sovereignty of the country and keeping the peace.

The tournament was held under the able guidance and patronage of Shri Kuldeep Khoda, DGP J&K, and for smooth conduct of the tournament, an organising committee was constituted under the Chairmanship of Shri S.Owais Ahmad, IGP, Armed J&K with Shri S.A. Hamid, Commandant IRP-IX as its organising secretary. All the matches of the tournament were played on knockout basis at Bakshi Stadium Srinagar.

Shri Babu Singh, Hon'ble Minister of State for Sports, who was the Chief Guest at the inaugural function, held at Bakshi Stadium Srinagar on August 20, declared the tournament open.

Tournament-Flag hoisting, releasing of souvenir, spreading of multicolor balloons, observing 2-minute silence to pay tributes to Police martyrs, dare-devil feats by J&K Police motorbike riders and an exhibition match marked the inaugural function. The Exhibition match played between JK SRTC XI and JK Forest XI, two of the best teams of the state, was won by JK SRTC XI, one goal to nil.

While addressing the gathering, Shri Babu Singh, Hon'ble Minister of State for Sports lauded the efforts of J&K Police in promoting sports culture in the state by organising various sports events on continuing basis. Organising such sports events, as these, were a befitting tribute to police martyrs, who laid their lives on the altar of duty, Shri Babu Singh added.

In his address, Shri Kuldeep Khoda, Director General of Police said that the tournament was

instituted in 1998 in memory of late Inspector Mushtaq Ahmed Baba, then Station Officer (SHO) Kothibagh, who sacrificed his life on October 31, 1997 while defusing a car bomb at Regal Chowk. The tournament was renamed in 2004 as J & K Police Martyrs Memorial Football Tournament to pay tribute to martyrs of Jammu and Kashmir Police who sacrificed their lives for preserving the territorial integrity and sovereignty of the country and keeping the peace, the DGP added. "J&K Police is making all out efforts to promote sports culture within the organisation and the state, which is essential for building team spirit, sportsmanship, camaraderie and mental agility in the members of the force", the Director General of Police said.

The final match of the J&K Police Martyrs Memorial Football Tournament-2007 was played on September 02 between J&K Bank XI and J&K Police XI at Bakshi Stadium Srinagar, which was packed by the sports enthusiasts. In the stipulated time, the match was leveled at 1-1, and in the shoot-out, J&K Bank XI clinched the Tournament Cup by netting three out of the five penalty kicks against two by J&K police XI. The daredevil performance by the motorbike riders of J&K Police during the interval of the match held the gathering spellbound.

Shri Ghulam Nabi Azad, Hon'ble Chief Minister J&K, who was the Chief Guest at the concluding function, presented the Cup to J&K Bank, winners of the tournament. Hon'ble Chief Minister also presented the Runners-Cup to J&K Police, prizes to other participating teams, gift

packets to the families of Police martyrs, and mementos to organising committee members, J&K Football Association members and media-men.

On behalf of J&K Police, Shri Kuldeep Khoda, DGP presented a memento to Shri Ghulam Nabi Azad, Hon'ble Chief Minister J&K.



Shri Babu Singh, Hon'ble Minister of State for Sports, while releasing the souvenir at the inaugural function, on August 20

Members of the state Legislature, senior civil and Police officers including Shri Kuldeep Khoda, Director General of Police J&K, Dr. Ashok Bhan, Commissioner of Vigilance J&K, Shri K. Rajendra Kumar, IGP, CID J&K, Shri Javed Makhdoomi, IGP, PHQ, Shri S.M. Sahai, IGP, Kashmir Zone, Shri Raja Aljaz Ali, IGP, SSG J&K, Shri S. Owais Ahmad, IGP, Armed J&K, Shri A.K. Gupta, IGP, Security J&K, Shri Mohd Amin Shah, IGP, Traffic J&K, Shri Zahoor Ahmed Chisti, DIG, Armed range Kashmir, Shri Farooq Ahmed, DIG (Admin.) PHQ, Shri A.Q. Manhas, DIG, Shri Bhupinder Singh, DPT J&K, retired senior police officers, families of police martyrs and thousands of sports lovers were present on the occasion.



Observing 2-minute silence to pay homage to J&K Police Martyrs at the inaugural function of 10th J&K Police Martyrs Memorial Football Tournament – 2007 at Bakshi Stadium on August 20

POLICE-PUBLIC MELA SRINAGAR

...The objectives of holding Police-Public *Melas* are to open avenues for better communication and interaction between Police and Public in a festive atmosphere for understanding each other with a view to cultivating harmonious Police-Public relationship, besides generating funds for various welfare activities for Police *Jawans* and their families...": DGP J&K



Dr. Indu Koul Khoda (No.1 by the right), Chairperson of J&K Police Wives Welfare Association while convening a meeting of the members of the association on August 10, preparatory to holding of Police-Public Mela

A one-day Police-Public welfare Mela, organized by J & K Police Wives Welfare Association, under the Chairpersonship of Dr. Indu Koul Khoda, was held at Sher-I-Kashmir Cricket Stadium, Srinagar on August 26. Thousands of people from all over Kashmir valley thronged the site of the *Mela* to have the fun and take the best on display at various stalls. The main attractions of the *Mela* were raffle draw, tam bola, rides and *Jhullas*, Kashmiri cuisine, Jammu delicacies, village bazaar, fast foods, Kashmiri embroidery, *phulkari* works and Kashmiri folk songs and music and folk dance (*Band-Paether*).



Shri Gopal Sharma, Security Advisor to Hon'ble Chief Minister J&K, while inaugurating the Mela

Shri Gopal Sharma, Security Advisor to Hon'ble Chief Minister J&K, and Mrs. Vimla Sharma inaugurated the police-Public Mela amidst scenes of fun-fare and enthusiasm. Dr. Indu Koul Khoda, Chairperson of J&K Police Wives Welfare Association, functionaries and members of J&K PWWA, besides Shri Kuldeep Khoda, Director General of Police J&K and other senior police officers including Dr. Ashok Bhan, Commissioner of Vigilance J&K, Shri K. Rajendra Kumar, IGP, CID J&K, Shri Javed Makhdoomi, IGP, PHQ, Shri S.M. Sahai, IGP, Kashmir Zone, Shri Raja Aijaz Ali, IGP, SSG J&K, Shri S. Owais Ahmad, IGP, Armed J&K, Shri A.K. Gupta, IGP, Security J&K, Shri Mohd Amin Shah, IGP, Traffic J&K, Shri Zahoor Ahmed Chisti, DIG, Armed range Kashmir, Shri Farooq Ahmed, DIG (Admn.) PHQ, Shri H.K. Lohia, DIG South Kashmir range, Anantnag, Shri Abdul Subhan Lone, DIG Central Kashmir range, Srinagar, Shri B. Srinivas, DIG North Kashmir range Baramulla, Shri A.Q. Manhas, DIG, Shri Bhupinder Singh, DPT J&K, and Commandants of Srinagar based battalions including Shri Mushtaq. M. Sadiq, Commandant JKAP-XI, Nodal Officer of the *Mela*, were present on the occasion.

Shri Gopal Sharma described the mela a sincere effort of J &K Police for promoting friendly relations with the public to achieve the cherished objectives of maintaining peace and order.

Talking to media persons, Shri Kuldeep Khoda, Director General of Police said that the objectives of holding Police-Public *Melas* were to open avenues for better communication and interaction between Police and Public in a festive atmosphere for understanding each other with a view to cultivating harmonious Police-Public relationship, besides generating funds for various welfare activities for Police *Jawans* and their families, which included free medical cover, interest free loans, premium for group insurance schemes, meritorious scholarships, special rewards to brilliant wards of police personnel and financial support to orphans and widows of Police Martyrs.



Dr. Indu Koul Khoda, Chairperson of J&K PWWA, and other functionaries and members of J&K PWWA while taking a round of stalls at the venue of the Mela

For the pre sold tickets, a raffle draw was held at the venue of the *Mela* in the afternoon. Small children drawn from the mammoth gathering drew the numbers for various prizes, which were announced on the spot. Sh. Basharat Salim, a Rehbar-e-Taleem teacher, holder of ticket No. A-54297, won the first prize (Scorpio Car). The holders of tickets bearing numbers A-58583, A-35720 and A-95823 won the second prize (three Maruti-800 cars). One of the winners of the second prize Shri Altaf Hussain, holder of ticket A-58583, was present during the raffle draw. The holders of tickets bearing numbers B-81035, A-25423, B-00916, A-22017 and B-71609 won the third prize (05 Motorcycles). The holders of tickets

bearing numbers B-79036, A-94731, A-31787, A-35680 and A-65231 won the Fourth Prize (05 Computers Pentium IV). Shri Mohammad Gafoor of Rajouri, holder of ticket number B-40450, who was present during the raffle draw, won fifth prize (Handy-cam Camera). The holder of the ticket bearing number B-22242 won sixth prize (CTV 21"). Seventh prize (A.C-1.5 ton) was won by Shri Mohammad Yaseen, holder of ticket number B-16618, who too was present during the raffle draw. Holder of ticket number B- 78699 won the eighth prize (Refrigerator 165 liters); ninth prize (Aqua Guard) by the holder of ticket number A-08812; Tenth prize (Carpet) by the holder of ticket number B- 96797; 11th prize (Cooker-Panasonic) by the holder of ticket number B-10995 and the 12th prize (Philips- stereo) was won by the holder of ticket number A-26755.

Thirteenth prize (200 prize of Rs. 500/- each) were won by the ticket holders bearing last three digits as 082 (both A & B series) and fourteenth prize (2000 prize of Rs. 100/- each) were won by ticket holders bearing last two digits as 29 (both A& B series).



Shri Kuldeep Khoda, DGP J&K and Dr. Indu Koul Khoda, Chairperson, J&K PWWA, while presenting the keys of Scorpio Car (1st Prize) to Shri Basharat Salim, a Rehbar-e-Taleem teacher, holder of ticket No. A-54297, on August 29

The prizes for raffle draw were drawn and announced in presence of Shri Kuldeep Khoda, Director General of Police, Dr. Indu Koul Khoda, Chairperson, JKPWWA, senior police officers and members of J&K Police Wives Welfare Association in full view of the mammoth gathering. The prize winners present in the gathering were handed over the prizes on the spot.

The prize winners and the gathering hailed the transparent manner of the raffle-draw.

POLICE-PUBLIC MELA SRINAGAR



Shri Gopal Sharma, Security Advisor to Hon'ble CM J&K, and Shri Kuldeep Khoda, DGP J&K, while taking a round of stalls



Jubilant Shri Altaf Hussain, holder of ticket A-58583, while receiving the Maruti-800 Car



Shri Mohammad Yaseen, holder of ticket number B-16618, receiving the Seventh prize (A.C-1.5 ton)



A view of the gathering at the raffle draw at the venue of the mela



"How did he feel after winning a Maruti-800 Car for just Rs. 20/-" -Explains Shri Altaf Hussain, holder of ticket A-58583



Shri Kuldeep Khoda, DGP J&K, while releasing the Audio CD of "Police Song"



Dr. Ashok Bhan, Commissioner of Vigilance J&K, while presenting 8th prize (Handy-cam Camera) to the holder of ticket number B-40450



Naka boys of District Police Srinagar, while entertaining the gathering at the venue of the Mela

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J&K POLICE MOUNTAINEERS SCALE NUN PEAK

On August 04, the mountaineers of J&K Police succeeded in hoisting the J&K Police Flag atop the Himalayan peak of NUN. The Nun-peak (7140 meters above the sea level), located in the Suru valley of Ladakh, is rated as the most technical and one of strategically toughest peak in the world.



Mountaineers of J&K Police succeeded in hoisting the J&K Police Flag atop the Himalayan peak of NUN

The 16-member team, comprising of SI Reyaz Ahmed, Constable Khem Raj, Constable Sonam Tsering, Constable Gulzar Ahmad, Constable Ghulam Mohammad, Constable Showkat Hussain, Constable Falail Singh, Constable Muzafar Ahmad, Constable Mohmad Rafiq, Constable Altaf Ahmad, Constable Sajad Hussain, Constable Deep Singh, Constable Riyaz Ahmed, Constable Mohammad Saleem, Constable Mohammad Ashraf and Constable Satinder Singh, was flagged-off from Srinagar on July 09.

The Flagging-in ceremony of the Summit was held at a function organised in the lawns of J&K Police Headquarters at Srinagar, on August 19. Amidst scenes of rejoicing, the expedition

team presented the "Expedition Flag" to Shri Kuldeep Khoda, Director General of Police in an atmosphere of jubilation. A large number of senior Police officers including Dr. A.K.Bhan, IPS, Commissioner of Vigilance J&K, Shri K. Rajendra Kumar IPS, IGP, CID J&K, Shri J.A. Makhdoomi, IGP Headquarters J&K, Shri S.M.Sahai, IGP Kashmir zone, Shri Dilbagh Singh IPS, IGP, Crime and Railways J&K, S. Owais Ahmad IPS, IGP, Armed Police J&K, Dr Ashok Gupta IPS, IGP Security J&K, Shri Z.H.Chisti IPS, DIG, Armed range Srinagar, Shri Farooq Ahmad IPS, DIG, Central Kashmir range Srinagar, Shri A.Q.Manhas, DIG, Shri Ahfadul-Mujtaba IPS, SSP Srinagar and Shri Bhupinder Singh, DPT J&K and Lt. Col A.S.Shekhawat, Principal, Jawahar Institute of Mountaineering and Winter Sports were present on the occasion.



Shri Kuldeep Khoda, DGP J&K interacting with the summit members of J&K Police at the flagging-in ceremony

Speaking on the occasion, Shri Kuldeep Khoda, Director General of Police said that "Nun Expedition" was a prelude to scaling Mount Everest, and expressed hope that J&K Police mountaineers, who possessed the will and the prerequisites for scaling the highest peak in the world, would make it in near future. Two of the J&K Police mountaineers, in SG Constable Sajad Hyder and Constable Ram Singh, recently underwent the selection process at Gangtok (Sikkim) for becoming part of joint expedition team of central and state Police organizations, for scaling Mount Everest, the DGP added. The Director General of Police

congratulated the expedition team for their superb performance. "This has added yet another feather in the cap of J&K Police", the Director General of Police said.

Earlier, S. Owais Ahmad, IGP, Armed J&K, in his welcome address, said that the mountaineers of J&K Police were all set to achieving pinnacles of success in all their future ventures. While dwelling on the recent successes of J&K Police Aquatic team that clinched the First State open White Water Rafting Cup-2007, in July 2007, the Inspector General of Police said that J&K Police had proved its prowess in other adventure sports including river rafting, snow skiing, water sports and rock-climbing.

Lt. Col A.S.Shekawat, Principal, Jawahar Institute of Mountaineering and Winter Sports gave a brief resume of J&K Police's Nun Expedition-2007.

Shri S. Owais Ahmad, IGP, Armed J&K, presented a special memento, portraying the Nun-Summit of J&K Police, to Shri Kuldeep Khoda, Director General of Police J&K.

KAMRAZ FESTIVAL TAKES OFF

Under the Civic Action Programme, J&K police, with active support from various educational institutions, government departments and local youth clubs, has been organizing for the last six years, an annual rural sport cum cultural festival— Kamraz Rural Festival in north Kashmir at Baramulla. The festival provides a social outlet and venue for interaction to the people— an outlet for the rural youth to show their prowess in the field of sports and exhibit their creative skills in the field of cultural activities.

Shri Kuldeep Khoda, Director General of Police J&K declared open the seventh Kamraz Summer Festival at Baramulla on August 27. Shri S.M Sahai, IGP Kashmir zone, Shri S.Owais Ahmad, IGP Armed J&K, Shri M.A. Shah, IGP, Traffic J&K, Shri Z.H. Chisti, DIG (Armed) Kashmir range, Shri Farooq Ahmed, DIG (Admin.) PHQ, Shri B.Srinivas, DIG, Baramulla range, Shri Viplov Kumar, SSP Baramulla, District Development Commissioner Baramulla,

Principal Govt. Degree College Baramulla, senior citizens, and other senior civil and police officers present on the occasion.

Competitions in various sports events including Football, Hockey, Volleyball, Handball, Cricket, Kho-Kho, Badminton, Kabaddi and Athletics, besides inter college debate and painting competitions, would be held during the festival.



Shri Kuldeep Khoda, DGP J&K being introduced to participating players at the inaugural function, on August 27

Speaking on the occasion, the Director General of Police spelled out various efforts and measures undertaken by J&K Police for the promotion of sports culture and uplifting the standard of sports in the State.

The Director General of Police presented a cheque of Rs.50000 to Principal Government Degree College, Baramulla for development of sports activities.

KULDEEP HANDOO BECOMES NATIONAL WU-SHU COACH

Inspector Kuldeep Handoo of J&K Police was selected as Coach of senior and junior Indian Wu-Shu teams. This was decided in Executive meeting of Wu-Shu Association of India held at Noida. Last year, Inspector kuldeep Handoo accompanied the national junior team in the world championship in which India won its first ever Bronze medal. As a player, Kuldeep has also won 11 Gold medals on the trot in nationals and 03 in International Championships.



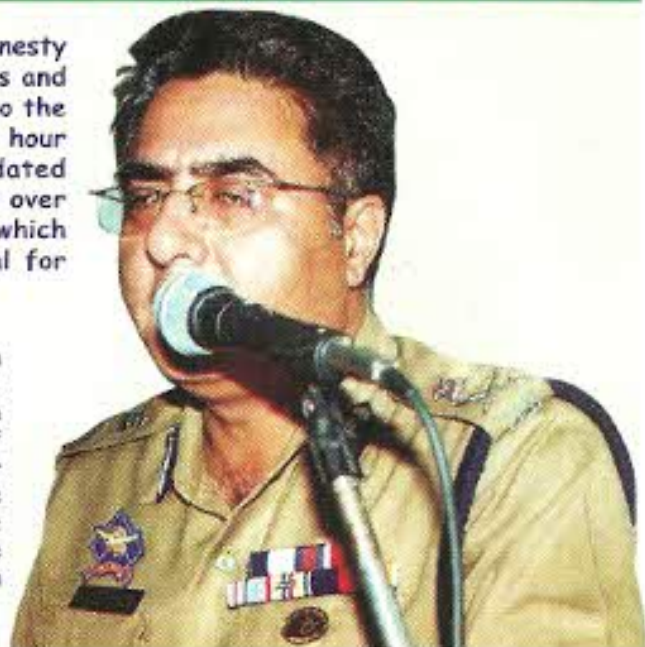
DIRECTOR GENERAL TOURS THE STATE

"...We must commit ourselves to public service with honesty and integrity; we have to listen to their grievances and redress their problems; and we have to reach out to the masses and provide a helping hand to them in the hour of need. We must completely eschew the outdated Policing methods and make sincere efforts to win over the confidence and cooperation of the public, which shall help bringing about over-all peace, essential for the state to prosper..." DGP J&K

(While addressing Police Durbar at Baramulla on August 01)

"...Although J&K Police has achieved notable successes in combating militancy and enviable results in maintaining peace, for which it received approbations from time to time, which contributed in bringing about improvement in the image of police, yet much is needed to be done for further improvement of police picture in the minds of public. The real success lies in the improvement of Police-image in the eyes of people... That whatever we undertake in the service of the people, our endeavor should be to present a clean and courteous face..." DGP J&K

(While interacting with officers at Rajouri on August 03)



VISIT TO KUPWARA AND BARAMULLA

Shri kuldeep khoda, Director General of Police J&K, visited twin border districts of Kupwara and Baramulla on August 01. The Director General Police held two Police *Durbars*, one each at the district headquarters of Kupwara and Baramulla. He interacted with the officers and Jawans and listened to their problems and demands for redressal, and reviewed the law and order situation with the sectoral police officers.

Addressing the officers and *Jawans*, the Director General of Police said that Police must commit themselves to public service with honesty and integrity; they had to listen to their grievances and redress their problems; reach out to the masses and provide a helping hand to them in the hour of need; completely eschew the outdated Policing methods and make sincere efforts to win over the confidence and cooperation of the public, which would help bringing about over-all peace, essential for the state to prosper.

Appreciating the role played by J&K Police in meeting the challenges and keeping the peace, the Director General of Police said that during the last 18 years, Police had undoubtedly given a good account of themselves on internal security duties. J&K Police had exhibited their courage, endurance, valour and fighting

qualities of highest order in combating terrorism, and more than one thousand officers and Jawans sacrificed their lives for protecting the sovereignty and integrity of the country, the DGP added. The Director General of Police, while recounting the supreme sacrifices of J&K Police, reminded the officers and *Jawans* of their responsibilities towards the families of the Police martyrs. "We owe an everlasting debt of gratitude towards the widows and orphans of Police Martyrs", the Director General of Police said.

The Director General of Police spelled out various welfare measures in hand for the serving *Jawans* and their families in general and the families of Police martyrs in particular, which included scholarships and educational facilities for the children, better accommodation facilities and proper working environment at work places. The Director General of Police distributed cash rewards amounting to Rs.5.15 lakh among the *Jawans*, who had shown extraordinary performance while performing duties.

Senior Police officers including Shri S.M.Sahai, IGP Kashmir, Shri B.Srinivas, DIG Baramulla-Kupwara range, Shri Viplov Kumar, SSP Baramulla, Shri Vijay kumar, SSP Kupwara and Dr. Haseeb Mughal, SP Handwara were present during the *Durbars* at Kupwara and Baramulla.

VISIT TO DODA UDHAMPUR AND RAMBAN

"It is incumbent on us always to act as public servants in true sense. We must change our outlook—cultivate in ourselves the traits of politeness and courtesy, discipline, fairness and honesty...Then, Public shall surely look upon us as their real friends—we shall be trusted and respected. Remember: You have to display highest standards of Police conduct, provide quality professional service and respect the human rights for endearing yourself to the people..." DGP J&K

(While addressing Police Durbar at Doda)

Shri Kuldeep Khoda, Director General of Police J&K toured Doda, Udhampur and Ramban (August 04), where he interacted with the officers and *Jawans* and listened to their problems and demands for redressal.



Shri Kuldeep Khoda, DGP, J&K while Inspecting the Quarter Guard at DPL Udhampur

Addressing the officers and *Jawans* during Police *Durbars*, Director General of Police said that it was incumbent on Police always to act as public servants in true sense, essential for cultivating harmonious Police–Public relations. The Police needed to change its outlook—cultivate in themselves the traits of politeness and courtesy, discipline, fairness and honesty, he added. The DGP advised the officers and *Jawans* to display highest standards of Police conduct, provide quality professional service and respect the human rights for endearing themselves to the people. He exhorted the officers and *Jawans* to ensure that while tackling militancy and dealing with anti-social elements, they must ensure that human rights were not violated. The Director General of Police said that the welfare of *Jawan* was high on his agenda. While dwelling on the welfare aspect of *Jawan*, the DGP spelled out various measures

taken in hand, which included creating sufficient housing accommodation for officers, *Jawans* and their families, adequate health-care facilities, quality education to Police wards, streamlining the departmental promotion mechanism and putting in place a transparent transfer policy.

The Director General of Police gave away cash rewards to officers and *Jawans* for their excellence in police profession. He also released money for the *Bara khanas* of the *Jawans* at District Police Lines at Doda, Udhampur and Ramban.

The DGP interacted and discussed law and order situation and security scenario with senior police officers including Dr.S.P.Vaid, IGP Jammu Zone, L.Mohanti, DIG Doda-Udhampur range, and respective SSPs of Udhampur, Ramban and Doda. He stressed on the officers to frequently inspect the units and personnel under their charge and hold public *durbars* in their respective areas of responsibility to interact with people and redress their genuine problems.

VISIT TO RAJOURI & POONCH

Shri Kuldeep Khoda, Director General of police J&K visited the twin border districts of Rajouri and Poonch(August 03).



A view of the Police Durbar at Rajouri, held by Shri Kuldeep Khoda, DGP J&K on August, 03

As part of interaction programme with officers and men of the state Police, he held a Police *Durbar*. Besides, the Director General of police held a public meeting at Poonch. A large number of people and prominent citizens including Mr. Mir Poonchi, Ms.Farida Mir, MLC, Mr. Rajinder Singh, Chairman Municipality, Mr.Nariender Singh and Mr. Peer Nissar attended and spoke on the occasion. The DGP gave a patient hearing to the people and assured them early redressal of the problems.

While addressing the *Jawans*, Director General of Police lauded the role of Rajouri-Poonch Police in fighting militancy. "Police *Jawans* of the border districts of Rajouri and Poonch were always in the forefront of anti-militancy operations", the DGP said. The Director General of Police exhorted the *Jawans* and officers to work with more dedications, devotion and discipline.



Shri Kuldeep Khoda, DGP J&K while participating in a Police-Public meeting at Poonch

Speaking on the occasion, Shri M.A. Anjum, DIG Rajouri-Poonch range gave the performance appraisal of the range and highlighted the problems faced by the police personnel posted in the border districts.

VISIT TO NORTH KASHMIR

During his daylong visit of north Kashmir on August 27, Shri Kuldeep Khoda, Director General of Police J&K inaugurated District Police office Complex at Baramulla. The Director General of Police also inspected the J&K Armed Police complex at Parihaspora (Pattan), spread over an area of nearly 23 acres, for taking

stock of the on-going construction works; and inspected the battalion headquarters of IRP-VII at Khawja Bagh (Baramulla). Shri S.M Sahai, IGP Kashmir zone, Shri S.Owais Ahmad, IGP Armed J&K, Shri M.A. Shah, IGP, Traffic J&K, Shri Z.H. Chisti, DIG (Armed) Kashmir range, Shri Farooq Ahmed, DIG (Admin.) PHQ, Shri B.Srinivas, DIG, Baramulla range and other senior police officers accompanied the DGP.

Speaking at the inauguration of District Police office complex at Baramulla, the Director General of Police said that all out efforts were being made for enhancing the building infrastructure with a view to providing best official and residential accommodation for J&K police personnel. The Jammu and Kashmir Police Housing Corporation completed the construction work of District Police office complex at Baramulla in a record period of one year, at a cost of Rs. 50 lakhs, the DGP added.

During his inspection of the battalion headquarters of IRP 7th Battalion at Khawaja Bagh (Baramulla), the Director General of Police interacted with the Police officers. In the course of interaction, the DGP said that people had very high expectations from the police and it was the bounden duty of Police, as protectors of life, property and honour of the people, to come up to their expectations. "We have to dedicate ourselves to the service of the people, who, I am sure, shall start in seeing in Police as their friends", the Director General of Police said. The need of the hour was to make Police Stations as model institutions and the personnel working their as role models for the people, the DGP added.



Shri Kuldeep Khoda, DGP, J&K while inaugurating the District Police Office at Baramulla

NINE SENIOR OFFICERS ELEVATED IN RANK

3 IsG, 16 DIsG transferred, adjusted

Shri M.S. Salaria, Commandant JKAP-VII, Shri Sunil Sharma, SSP Crime & Railways, Jammu, Shri Farooq Khan, SSP Rajouri, Dr. K.K. Saini, Commandant JKAP-VIII, Shri P.R. Manhas, SSP Udhampur, Shri Yoginder Koul, SSP CID (CI), Shri Alok Puri, SSP CID (Special Branch), Jammu, Shri Munir Ahmed Khan, SSP Crime and Railway, Srinagar and Shri Abdul Qayoom Manhas, AIG (Personal) PHQ were promoted as Deputy Inspectors General of Police (DIsG) on August 18.



M.S. Salaria



Sunil Sharma



Farooq Khan



K.K. Saini



P.R. Manhas



Yoginder Koul



Alok Puri



Munir A. Khan



A.Q. Manhas

Shri M.S. Salaria was posted as DIG CID Jammu, Shri Sunil Sharma as DIG Traffic J&K, Shri Farooq Khan as DIG Doda range comprising Doda, Kishtwar and Ramban districts, Dr. K.K. Saini as DIG Home Guards and Civil Defence, Shri P.R. Manhas as DIG Rajouri-Poonch range, Shri Yoginder Koul as Dy. Director (DIG) SSG Headquarters J&K, Shri Alok Puri as DIG Udhampur-Reasi range, Shri Munir Ahmed Khan as DIG Armed Police Jammu range and Shri Abdul Qayoom Manhas as DIG CID Headquarters.

Shri Lalit Indu Mohanty, DIG Udhampur-Doda Range was transferred and

posted as DIG Jammu range, comprising Jammu, Samba and Kathua districts. Shri Farooq Ahmed, DIG Central Kashmir range was transferred and posted in Police Headquarters J&K. Shri Ravinder Kotwal, DIG CID was transferred and posted as DIG PHQ. Shri M.A. Anjum, DIG Rajouri-Poonch was transferred and posted as DIG Crime & Railways. Shri Niaz Mehmood Mir, awaiting orders of posting, was posted as DIG Railways Udhampur-Baramulla rail link. Shri A.S. Lone, DIG Jammu range was transferred and posted as DIG Central Kashmir range, Srinagar. Shri Gulzar Singh Salathia, DIG Armed Police Jammu range was transferred and posted as DIG Security against an available vacancy.

Shri P.L. Gupta, IG (Modernisation) PHQ was transferred and posted as IGP State Human Rights Commission (SHRC) while Raja Aijaz Ali, IG Traffic was transferred and posted as IGP Special Security Group (SSG), and Shri Mohd Amin Shah, awaiting orders of posting, was posted as IGP Traffic in place of Shri Raja Aijaz Ali, by an order of the government on August 18.

J&K POLICE RESPONDS TO URGENT CALL

Keeping its high traditions of Public service, J&K Police responded to the urgent call to provide immediate relief to the people of Nowgam and Sumbran affected by the fire incident of Khandru Ammunition Depot on August 11.

Within hours of the fire incident, at the Ammunition Depot Khandru (Anantnag), J&K Police geared up all its resources and established a Relief Camp at Shangus to provide shelter, food and medicare facilities to over 225 families of Nowgam and Sumbran. Anantnag Police erected 153 tents, issued blankets, provided food and arranged medicare for 957 souls. Police Hospital Srinagar, under the supervision of Dr. Shafiqat, established a medical camp at the campsite and distributed free medical aid to the affected people. Shri Zakir Hussain,

Dy Commandant JKAP-XIV was designated as overall incharge of Police Relief Camp Shangus.

The humane gestures of J&K Police to help the people in distress have earned them appreciation from all quarters.



A view of the police relief camp established at Shangus

...AND THE WAR AGAINST TERROR CONTINUES

- In a joint operation by Doda Police and 10 RR, a foreign militant, identified as Abid Hussain Basra @ Zargam @ Hayat, a native from Rahimyarkhan, Punjab (Pakistan), was eliminated at Nagini Nullah (Doda) on August 01. The killed militant, a Divisional Commander of HM outfit, was active in Doda District for the last 10 years and was responsible for a number of terrorist activities including killings, rape and loot of civilians and attacks on security forces, besides recycling of surrendered militants and roping-in youth for militant activities. One AK rifle, 03 magazines, 37 rounds, 01 binocular, 01 grenade, 02 identity cards were recovered from the slain militant.
- A Police party of Police Station Gandoh (Doda) killed two Let militants, identified as Abu Shakeel Afghani (a foreigner) and John Mohamad @ bilal, during a search operation in Gugnallah Trakar Dhar Trenkalan (Doda) on August 06.
- In a joint operation by Doda Police and 26 RR, a tehsil commander HM outfit, identified as Mohamad Shafi @ Shahbaz, was eliminated in Palai forest area of Kunthal (Thathri, Doda) on August 09. One AK rifle with three

magazines, 25 rounds and a grenade were recovered from the slain militant. During the encounter one militant, identified as Akhter Hussain @ Intekhab laid down his arms and surrendered before the operation party.

- Doda Police apprehended one Let militant, identified as Manzoor Ahmad @ Abu Hamza during a search operation in Cham Dhar (Doda) on August 07. Explosives and ammunition were recovered from him.
- Two HM Commanders identified as Abdul Rashid @ Jehangir (Dy. District Commander) and Bashir Ahmad @ Bilal (Tehsil Commander) surrendered before Doda Police and 04 RR and laid down their Arms, which included 02 AK Rifles, 10 magazines, 300 AK rounds and a wireless set.
- Doda Police apprehended two LeT militants identified as Aftab Ahmad and Mohamad Hashim on July 30. They were earlier working as under ground workers for the said outfit and were of late active workers of the said outfit.
- CID (CI) during a search operation at Mangnar (Poonch) on August 4, 2007, recovered a large quantity of ammunition and incriminating documents from a hideout of the lashkar-e-Toiba (LeT) militant outfit. Recoveries made one hand grenade, 109 AK rounds, 90 Pika Gun rounds, 17 Pistol rounds, 65 AK tracer, 20 detonators and incriminating documents of the out-fit. The Search operation was lead by Shri Dev Raj, SP CID (CI).



Sh. Manohar Singh, SSP Doda addressing a meeting of the relatives of wanted militants of Bhaderwah, Bhalla and Thathri, on July 31. SSP impressed upon the participants to motivate the wanted militants to shun the path of violence and join the main-stream

CIVIL DEFENCE PROGRAMME

Civil Defence Organisation J&K launched a plantation drive at Kathua on August 23. Shri Navin Agarwal, Inspector General of Police Home Guards/ Civil Defence and Auxiliary Police inaugurated the drive by planting a sapling. The IGP also inaugurated one-day Civil Defence Campaign at ETT Rainbow College Kathua. Speaking on the occasion, Shri Navin Agarwal, IGP said that Civil Defence in J&K would be reorganized and reactivated in the state in all the Civil Defence towns including Kathua.

Expert instructors and wardens presented a Civil Defence demonstration and cultural programme on the occasion.

YOGA CAMP ORGANIZED

A Yoga camp, organized at District Police Lines, Jammu, by a team of *Patanjali Yoga Shiksha Samiti*, and coordinated by Shri Rajinder Gupta, SSP Border concluded on August 31. Dr. S.P. Vaid, Inspector General of Police, Jammu Zone had inaugurated the camp. About 100 Police officers and officials attended the camp. Various *Yoga Asanas* that help developing strength, flexibility, will power, good health and stability, and withstanding the stress were introduced during the camp.

PROMOTIONS



Pipping ceremony of Sh. Ghulam Hassan DySP, held on August 23. By the left is Sh. Dilbagh Singh, IGP and by the right is Sh. A.G. Malik, SSP

FIVE DySP PROMOTED

Five DySP (Telecom) were promoted as SP (Telecom), in their own pay and grade, by an order of the Government on August 31.

Those promoted included Shri Mushtaq Ahmed, Shri R.K. Munshi, Shri Rafi Ahmad Mir, Shri Rakesh Kumar Dhar and Shri Davinder Paul Singh.

114 DySP REGULARISED

The Government ordered regularization of promotion of 114 Dy SP on August 01. The DySP had been promoted in the year 2000 in their own pay and grade.

PROMOTIONS IN TELECOM AND MEC

On August 09, Shri Kuldeep Khoda, DGP J&K issued promotion orders of 102 officers and officials of Police Telecommunication wing and Ministerial Executive (Stenography and General) cadre, which included regular promotion to 03 SIs, 22 ASIs, 52 HCs and in-situ promotions to 18 Inspectors and 07 SIs.

392 PROMOTED IN KASHMIR ZONE

On August 13, Sh. S.M. Sahai, IGP Kashmir zone issued promotion orders of 392 lower subordinates, which included 52 HCs and 369 SG Constables.



Sh. S.M. Sahai, IGP Kashmir Zone (left) and Sh. Farooq Ahmed, DIG, CK Range Srinagar (right) pipping the ranks to SG Const. S.Tirath Singh No. 1841/A, on August 07, who was promoted out-of-turn in recognition of his extraordinary operational performance

422 CONSTABLES PROMOTED

422 Constables of Jammu zone were promoted as SG constables. IGP Jammu Zone ordered their adjustment in different police ranges of Jammu Zone on August 01.

165 PROMOTED IN J&K ARMED POLICE

165 SG Constables of Armed Police Zone were promoted as HCs. IGP Armed Police issued their promotion orders on August 13.

جموں و کشمیر پولیس

مختصر خبریں



15 مارچ کو منعقد ہونے والے آزادی کی تقریب پر ریاست کے وزیر اعلیٰ جناب غلام نبی آزاد کو قومی پرچم لہرایا۔



3 مارچ کو ریاست کے پولیس شہداء کی یاد میں ہونے والے رونا منٹ کی اختتامی تقریب پر وزیر اعلیٰ جناب غلام نبی آزاد پولیس شہداء کے لواحقین کو تحفہ چلتی فیش کرنے کے دوران ان سے حال و حال پوچھتے ہوئے۔



3 مارچ کو سرحدی اضلاع میں چھوڑا جانے والے دورہ کے دوران ریاستی پولیس کے ڈائریکٹر جنرل جناب گلدیپ کھڈا نے پولیس کے اسلامی دہشت گرد کا معائنہ کرتے ہوئے۔



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☆ 15 مارچ کو ریاستی سطح کی یوم آزادی کی تقریب ریاست کے سرمانی دارالحفاظ سرینگر کے بخشی سٹیڈیم میں دھوم دھام سے منعقد ہوئی۔ ریاست کے وزیر اعلیٰ جناب غلام نبی آزاد نے اس تقریب پر قومی پرچم لہرایا۔

☆ یوم آزادی کے موقع پر ریاست کے 47 افسران و اہلکاران کو اعزازات و انعامات عطا کئے گئے۔

☆ دسواں کل جموں و کشمیر پولیس شہداء یادگار فٹ بال ٹورنامنٹ سرینگر میں منعقد ہوا۔ ٹورنامنٹ میں ریاستی اور بیرون ریاستی 34 ٹیموں نے شرکت کی۔ جموں و کشمیر بینک کی ٹیم نے فائنل میچ میں جموں و کشمیر پولیس ٹیم کو تین کے مقابلہ دو گول سے ہرایا۔ ٹورنامنٹ کی اختتامی تقریب پر ریاست کے وزیر اعلیٰ جناب غلام نبی آزاد مہمان خصوصی تھے جنہوں نے ٹرافیوں اور یادگار ٹی شہتہ جات تقسیم کئے۔

☆ پولیس اور عوام کا سا ہفتا میلہ 26 مارچ کو سرینگر کے شیر کشمیر کرکٹ میدان میں منعقد ہوا۔ میلے میں ہزاروں کی تعداد میں لوگوں نے شرکت کی۔

☆ جموں و کشمیر پولیس کی کوہ پیما ٹیم نے 4 مارچ کو ”نن چوٹی“ سرکر کے چوٹی پر ریاستی پولیس کا جھنڈا لہرایا۔

☆ ”سکر از دیسی کھیلی اور شرفی تھوار“ 27 مارچ کو بارہمولہ میں شروع ہوا۔ اس سالانہ تھوار کا انعقاد ریاستی پولیس گزشتہ سات برس سے کرتی آرہی ہے۔

