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Minutes of the meeting held under the chairmanship of Divisional Commissioner Kashmir on 29-06-2016 in connection with arrangements for Shab-i-Qadar, Jumat-ul Vida and Idd-ul-Fiter.

A meeting under the chairmanship of Divisional Commissioner Kashmir was convened on 29-06-2016 to finalize the arrangements to be made for Shab-i-Qadr, Jumat-ul Vida and Idd-ul-Fitr by various Departments of the Govt. including various security agencies.

The Officers participated in the meeting are appended as Annexure-A

At the outset, the Divisional Commissioner welcomed all the participants and the appreciated the efforts put forth by the officers departments/organizations for making arrangement of these festivals during last year and hoped that this year also would be managed with all zeal and vigor. It was impressed upon all the officers of civil/police to maintain seamless synergy and jointman ship to make the arrangements for these occasions in a proper way. Departmentwise arrangements to be made were discussed and preparedness by different departments was assessed. During the meeting Chief Executive Officer Muslim Wakf Board Srinagar apprised the chair that uninterrupted power supply and adequate water supply on Shab-i-Qadar, Jumat-ul Vida and Idd-ul-Fitr be made available round the clock especially during nights at all the shrines/mosques where huge religious congregations are going to take place. Deputy Commissioners appraised the chair that all requisite arrangements have been made on account of upcoming Shab-i-Qadar, Jumait-ul Vida and Idd-ul-Fiter.

Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir stressed upon Traffic Department that traffic jamming in Srinagar city especially in Lal Chowk/Hari Singh Street/Hazratbal/Nowhatta and other prominent places where heavy rush of people/vehicles on these occasions be given due attention and a proper traffic management plan be devised in order to avoid traffic jamming on these days and availability of transport facility be ensured at late hours.

After threadbare discussions with all the concerned Heads/Representative of departments and various Trade Unions, the following decisions were taken:-

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The J&K Muslim Wakf Board shall make necessary arrangements for Shabi-I-1. Qader/ Jumait-ul-Vida and for Eid prayers at all shrines/mosques under their control where huge congregations are expected to take place. They will also ensure wide publicity of prayer timing of Eid prayers through print / electronic media.

(Action by: Secretary Wakf Board)

2. The Joint market checking teams comprising Deptt/Revenue/Police/SMC/Legal Metrology/Drug & Food Safety Standards Deptt shall ensure market checking to check profiteering/black marketing of essential commodities by traders (wholesalers/retailers) and ensure availability of essential commodities like Mutton, Chicken, Vegetables, fruits, Bakery and confectionery etc in the markets at the notified rates with standard quality and maintenance of better relations between Administration and the general public.

(Action by: Dir. CA&PD/All DCs/IGP, Kmr/Commr.SMC /Controller, Legal Metrology/Controller, Drug & Food Safety)

Controller, Drug and Food Safety Organization was directed by the chair to 3. ensure the standard quality of food items like Bakery & confectionery products, snacks, soft drinks, spices and other food stuffs.

(Action by: Controller, Drug and Food Safety)

The PDD Deptt. shall ensure uninterrupted power supply on the eve of Shab-i-4. Qader/ Jumat-ul-Vida and Eid-Ul-Fitr especially at all shrines/mosques where huge congregations are expected including Hazratbal shrine.

(Action by: CE, PDD)

The PHE Deptt. shall make adequate measures for providing of water supply on 5. Shab-i-Qader/ Jumat-ul-Vida and Eid-ul-Fitr. They will also ensure availability of Water through tankers in standby position at the places where large congregational payers are expected on these auspicious occasions and especially in the areas having water scarcity.

(Action by: CE, PHE Deptt)

The CA & PD Deptt. Shall make all possible arrangements for availability of 6. ration i.e Rice, Atta, Sugar, K-oil and LPG cylinders in buffer stock on these occasions as per notified rates and of standard quality.

(Action by: Dir. CA&PD Deptt)

The SMC shall launch cleanliness drive at the places where main congregations 7. for Shab-i-Qader/Jumait-ul-Vida and Eid-Ul-Fitr will be held as per past practice. Besides, they will also ensure that all street high mast lights are made functional. The SMC shall also take necessary measures for filling of ditches (if

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any) and leveling of soil in Iddgah ground so that the congregational prayers will be held in a comfortable way.

(Action by: Comm. SMC)

8. RTO, Kashmir in consultation with the Transporters shall make all the necessary arrangements on the routes leading to the important mosques/shrines for facilitating to the commuters at identified bus bays. He shall also ensure adequate plying of buses/vehicles for convenience of general public on the auspicious days till late hours.

(Action by: RTO, Knir.)

9. The Health Officer SMC shall ensure frequent checks of the markets to ensure availability of quality food products like bakery, milk, vegetables, fruits etc in Srinagar city.

(Action by: Comm. SMC)

10. The Animal Husbandry Deptt. shall ensure the availability of poultry birds on notified rates and also give wide publicity where from poultry birds shall be kept available for general Public on these occasions.

(Action by: Dir. Animal Husbandry)

- 11. The R&B Deptt. to take stock of repairing work of the all location of Srinagar City where main congregations of Shab-i-Qadr/ Jumait-ul-Vida and Eid-Ul-Fitr are expected and also ensure to clear all debris and remove all the construction material lying on the road sides.

 (Action by: CE, R&B Deptt)
- 12. Fire and Emergency service shall ensure availability of fire tenders at all important locations during the upcoming Shabi-I-Qader/ Jumat-ul-Vida and Eid-Ul-Fitr as per the past practice.

(Action by: DG Fire & Emergency Services)

13. SSP, Traffic city/Rural/RTO,Kashmir/JKSRTC shall jointly prepare a traffic management plan/routes for operation of buses / Mini buses on different routes on the valley on the day of Shab-i-Qader/ Jumat-ul-Vida and Eid-Ul-Fitr as per the past practice to avert traffic jamming and to ensure proper parking slots available at all places especially Jamia Masjid, Iddgah and Hazratbal Shrine.

(Action by: SSP, Traffic city/RTO, Kmr / MD, JKSRTC)

14. Health Deptt. shall set up medical aid camps at all important locations as per past practice.

(Action by: Dir. Health Services/ HoD, SPM C/o GMC Sgr)

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15. Deputy Commissioner Srinagar shall deploy duty Magistrates on the day of Shab-i-Qadr / Jumait- ul- Vida and Eid- ul- Fitr at all the important locations especially Iddgah; Khanyar; Hazratbal; Sonwar; Jamia Masjid etc.

(Action by: DC Sgr)

16. Lakes and Waterways Dev. Authority Srinagar shall ensure cleanliness of Hazratbal Ghat and other places of prayers within its jurisdiction on the eve of Shab-i-Qadr/ Jumait-ul-Vida and Eid-ul-Fitr.

(Action By: VC, LAWDA)

17. Police authorities shall prepare a separate security plan on the eve of Shab-i-Qadr/ Jumait-ul-Vida and Eid-ul-Fitr functions.

(Action by: SSP, Security Kmr)

Summing up the meeting, the Chair desired that:-

- > All the departments must adhere to the SoPs and implement them on ground in letter and spirit
- > Ensure strict compliance as per the decisions taken.
- > All the concerned officers should be readily available in case of emergency.
- > The essential commodities shall be made available as per notified rates and standard quality.

(Action by: All DCs)

Deputy Commissioners of Kashmir Division through Video Conference were directed by the Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir to put in place all necessary arrangements for the upcoming occasions without fail.

(Noor Mohammad)
Deputy Director

With Divisional Commissioner,

Kashmir 2006 Dated: 30/06/2016

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- 1. All the concerned departments.
- 2. Joint Director, Information Kashmir Srinagar.
- 3. District Informatics Officer, NIC Srinagar for information. He is requested to upload the minutes of meeting on official web-site of Divisional Commissioner Kashmir.