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In view of the fresh weather predictions for 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> of July, 2018 by IMD, a meeting was held under the Chairmanship of Shri Baseer Ahmad Khan, IAS, Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir on 02.07.2018 at 5.00 P.M. at Hari Niwas, Srinagar to take stock of the readiness of the departments.

List of the participants of the meeting is annexed as Annexure-A.

At the outset, the Chair informed that the administration has to be on high alert to meet to the challenges of weather in order to prevent recurrence of the situation that was witnessed in September, 2014 so that the lives and properties of the population residing in District Srinagar are saved. Further, the Chair informed that this drill/exercise will continue for 03 months i.e. upto September, 2018 and there should be no let up by any officer in addressing this situation. It was also informed that the Hon'ble Governor will be visiting few more relief camps around Srinagar in near future. Thereafter, the Chair sought feedback from Director, Met, Kashmir about the weather predictions. Director, Met, Kashmir apprised the Chair that the predictions reveals that rains will occur in Kashmir from evening of 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 2018 which will continue upto 4<sup>th</sup> July, 2018. However, the quantum and magnitude of the rains would be low as compared to the one experienced in the previous week. He further apprised that in case 150 mm or more of rain is experienced in South Kashmir belt, it will give rise to flood like situation in Srinagar.

After threadbare discussions, the following directions were issued:-

S. No.	Deliberations held	Directions issued	Action by
1.	Camp Commanders to establish registration counters and maintain proper register for registering the details of the affected population on the pattern of Gogoland relief camp.	Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir directed the Camp Commanders to remain fully acquainted with the details of the camp viz its catchment area, facilities available, no. of families/individuals that can be accommodated in the camp, etc. instructions were issued to the Camp Commanders to establish registration counters at the camp location and maintain a register in which the details of the affected population registered in the camp	DC Sgr. ADC (S)/(P) SDM-E



		will be entered.	
2.	Availability of ration/LPG/K. Oil at the camp locations.	<p>Director, Food, CA&amp;CS, Kashmir to ensure availability of ration/LPG/K. Oil at all the camp locations. He will replenish the stocks wherever required.</p> <p>DC, Srinagar to collect the details of the availability of the commodities/ doctors, etc from the Camp Commanders on daily basis.</p>	DC, Sgr Dir., FCS&CA Kmr
3.	<p>Construction of DTLs/soakage pits.</p> <p>SE, PW (R&amp;B) Deptt., apprised the Chair that Burnhall School, Sonwar; Hussiani Public School, HMT and VC, Kashmir University informed that they have adequate No. of toilets in their buildings.</p>	<p>Superintendent Engineer, PW (R&amp;B) Deptt., Srinagar/Budgam to construct DTLs along with soakage pits as per the directions of the Hon'ble Governor. He will also carry out necessary works at Gogoland relief colony as directed by the Hon'ble Governor during his visit to the camp on 02-07-2018.</p>	SE, PWD, Sgr/Bud
4.	<p>DC, Srinagar informed about the fissure that has developed on the bank of river Jhelum at Lasjan.</p> <p>While seeking the expert opinion from the CE, I&amp;FC, Kmr, he apprised the Chair that there is no immediate threat of the breach/caving in of the bank/ bund that would endanger life and property. However, DC, Sgr requested the Chair that measures for strengthening of the bund be taken. CE, I&amp;FC apprised the Chair that strengthening of the bund will require around 80-90 lakh rupees. The piling work will be started soon after the water level recedes.</p>	<p>CE, I&amp;FC to keep strict vigil on the bund at Lasjan where a fissure has been noticed on it till tomorrow and report if its size increases or otherwise and monitor the situation 24x7 till measures for strengthening of the bund are taken in hand.</p> <p>He will keep the required men and machinery available at the site. He will also take up the work of strengthening of the bund at Lasjan immediately after the water level recedes after fulfillment of all codal formalities. He will start the piling work immediately after the water level recedes. CE, I&amp;FC will continue to report about the breach(es), if any, on the prescribed format to DD, Estates who in turn will apprise the Divisional/ District Administration accordingly.</p> <p>CE, I&amp;FC, Kashmir will ensure filling of 3 lac sand bags so that they are kept readily available to meet the demand in case of any eventuality. He will issue necessary instructions to his sub-ordinate staff to work round the clock till the target of filling of 3 lac sand bags is achieved.</p>	DC, Sgr CE, I&FC DD, Estates, Kmr (Mr. Zaffar Shawl)



		DC, Srinagar to furnish a report in this behalf.	
5.	The Chair was apprised that around 3000 bottles and biscuit packets have been provided at different camps.	Honorary Gen. Secretary, IRCS, J&K to procure water bottles and provide 1000 water bottles and 10 boxes of biscuits at each relief centres. The material be handed over to the Camp Commanders against proper receipt. Honorary Gen. Secy., IRCS, J&K to provide 100 water proof tents to Dir., DMRRR, by tomorrow for pitching them at Gogoland relief colony. Besides, one kitchen set, utensils and one kerosene stove be provided at each relief camp location and handed over to Camp Commander against proper receipt.	Honorary Gen. Secy, IRCS, J&K Secy. Reg. Red Cross Society, Kmr.
6.	Rep. of Dir. Gen., Health Services, Kmr apprised the Chair that 6 lac Chlorine tablets have been procured and are lying the stores of the department.	DG, Health Services, Kashmir to keep available 3000 Chlorine tablets at each relief camp so that they are used as and when required as per the advice of the doctors. He further informed that 6 lac tablets of chlroime have been obtained from Jammu and have been kept on stand-by.	DG, Health Services Kmr
7.	Removal of the Bailey bridge at Mehjoor Nagar site. SE, PWD apprised the Chair that the girders of the bailey bridge are still under flood waters. However, the work on removal of the bailey bridge will be started on 03.07.2018 and will be completed within 03 days subject to clearance of weather.	SE, PW(R&B) Deptt, Sgr/ Budgam to start work on removal of the bailey bridge at Mehjoor site on 03.07.2018 and get it completed within 03 days subject to clearance of weather.	SE, PWD, Sgr/Budgam
8.	VC, LAWDA apprised the Chair that the following locations have been identified for accommodating the dislocated population of Dal during floods. GHS, Hazratbal BHS, Hazratbal GHS, Khanyar	VC, LAWDA to provide details of the population that may get affected in case its check gates on river Jhelum are thrown open for allowing the water of river Jhelum to flow into Dal Lake. DC, Srinagar to nominate Camp Commanders for the newly identified locations. DG, Health Services to deploy	DC, Sgr DG, Health Services, Kmr Dir., FCS&CS Kmr



	GHS, Rainawari BHSS, Shalimar He further apprised the Chair that cleanliness drive in these institutions has been conducted.	medical staff along with first aid/medicines at the said locations. Dir., Food CA&CS, Kmr to provide ration/LPG/K.Oil at the newly identified locations. All facilities created at the existing camps to be replicated in the newly identified camps.	
9.	Deployment of CRPF personnel/contingents for rescue operations.	The Chair was pleased to place on record the efforts put in by the CRPF personnel at Tengproa, Srinagar. CRPF will continue deployment of manpower/ rescue teams for rescue operations, wherever required, in the advent of eventuality.	DIG, CRPF, Kmr.
10.	Use of generator installed by JK PCC at the Directorate of Libraries, M.A. Road, Srinagar by PDD	MD, JK PCC agreed to use of the generator by PDD. However, fuel for running the generator will be provided by PDD.	MD, JK PCC CE, PDD
11.	Creation of additional store for dumping of flood relief material at Police Golf Course.	Mr. Naqash, Regional Wildlife Warden will ensure that their building at Golf Course is cleared for stocking of the relief material and will be Incharge of the Stores. Mr. Qazi Fassi, JE, Royal Springs Golf Course will assist Mr. Naqash and shall maintain proper accounts of the relief material.	IGP, Kashmir Reg. Wildlife Warden Mr. Qazi Fassi, JE
12.	The Committee apprised that Chair that during the last floods, the hiring charges of boats/ shikaras were fixed Rs. 1000/- boat/ shikara. In addition, Rs. 300/- were charged as loading/unloading charges per boat.	The Committee to submit the proposal/ note on hiring charges of boats/ shikaras to DC, Srinagar who in turn will furnish the same to the Chair.	DC, Sgr Dir., Tourism DD Tourism (Reg)/Adm
13.	Makeshift EOCs be established at DC Office Complexes.	All the Deputy Commissioners to establish District EOCs in their Offices on temporary basis till permanent EOCs are established.	All DCs
14.	CE, I&FC apprised the Chair that the shoal accumulated under the bridge at Lasjan is creating water currents	CE, I&FC, Kashmir to remove shoal accumulated under the bridge at Lasjan immediately after the water level recedes. DIG, CKR to provide necessary	CE, I&FC DIG, CKR



	and there is apprehension of damage to the river bank.	protection to men and machinery deployed for the purpose by I&FC.	
15.	Replacement of gates check of UEED at Pandrethan and near Tank.	The gates earlier installed by UEED near at Pandrethan and near Tank be immediately replaced by CE, I&FC	CE, I&FC
16.	Strengthening of communication facilities.	Dir., DMRRR will connect the satellite phones from EOC, Humhama with telephone lines/hotlines of all the Deputy Commissioners	Dir, DMRRR
17.	Removal of barricading on road leading to Gogoland relief colony.	DIG, CKR to take up the matter with BSF authorities for removal of barricading erected on the road leading to Gogoland relief colony for smooth movement of traffic.	DIG, CKR DIG BSF

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to and from the Chair.

  
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With Divisional Commissioner,  
Kashmir  
Dated: 03.07.2018

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