



## **Divisional Commissioner Kashmir, Srinagar**

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**Subject: Minutes of the meeting regarding traffic management on 07/04/2018 and 09/04/2018 in Srinagar City and other Districts.**

A meeting under the Chairmanship of Mr. Baseer Ahmad Khan, IAS, Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir was convened on 07/04/2018 followed by review meeting on 09/04/2018 to discuss the various issues regarding the traffic scenario in Srinagar City and other Major Towns and measures to be taken regarding traffic management. Divisional Commissioner Kashmir gave the various directions to all participants and Presidents of various Transport Unions. Inspector General of Police, Traffic J&K Basant Rath also gave certain directions to these Union leaders and their adherence in letter & spirit. The following officers attended the meeting:

- 1) Inspector General of Police, Traffic J&K Jammu/Kashmir.
- 2) Traffic Advisor to Government, Government of Jammu & Kashmir.
- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Srinagar.
- 4) Commissioner, Srinagar Municipal Corporation.
- 5) Chief Engineer, PWD (R&B) Kashmir.
- 6) Vice Chairman, Srinagar Development Authority.
- 7) Regional Transport Officer, Kashmir.
- 8) Senior Superintendent of Police, Traffic City Srinagar.
- 9) Senior Superintendent of Police, Traffic Rural Kashmir.
- 10) Superintending Engineer, PWD (R&B) Circle Srinagar/Budgam.
- 11) Chairman, KMDA/Mini Bus/Sumo Stand Association/Batamaloo Tour & Travels.

At the outset, Divisional Commissioner Kashmir apprised the participants about the importance of decongestion of traffic in Srinagar City. IGP Traffic, J&K apprised the chair about various issues regarding decongestion of traffic in Srinagar City. In order to streamline the traffic management, three chocking points have been illustrated by IGP Traffic in a phased manner which includes Badyari Chowk Dalgate, Hari Singh High Street, Lal Chowk and Airport to Jehangir Chowk Srinagar. It has been proposed to rehabilitate / relocate choked spots. It has been impressed before the chair that a rehabilitation plan in this regard needs to be put in place for implementation. After threadbare discussions, the following decisions were taken:



- 1) Chief Engineer PWD (R&B) Kmr / SE R&B Circle Srinagar will make a joint visit and demarcate 05 Kanals of land in consultation with traffic department for vendors Zone at parimpora.

**(Action by: CE /SE PWD (R&B) / SSP Traffic City Sgr)**

- 2) Commissioner SMC will construct community latrine having 10 units at Parimpora for convenience of passengers. Transports will maintain the sanitation of existing new lavatories within 01 week. SMC will also provide Bio-toilets at Boulevard road near SKICC and Shalimar Bagh etc.

**(Action by: Commissioner SMC)**

- 3) VC SDA will create passenger shed and shelter shed within 02 days. He will also examine the opening of more gates at Parimpora in consultation with traffic department to avoid traffic congestion.

**(Action by: VC SDA / SSP Traffic City Sgr)**

- 4) Chief Engineer, PWD (R&B) Kashmir will pursue the DPR of ₹ 19.40 Crores which include the rehabilitation of shopkeepers at Parimpora.

**(Action by: CE PWD (R&B) Kmr)**

- 5) IGP Traffic J&K gave some directions regarding concession of bus fare for students on any day of time subject production of students I-Card, pick & drop of passengers at designated Bus Stop, uniform for both drivers and conductors by or before 15<sup>th</sup> of April, 2018, no overloading, providing of seats to ladies etc. Divisional Commissioner directed all transporters to adhere to the directions otherwise action will be taken against the violators and full support will be provided to IGP Traffic for implementing the instructions on ground.

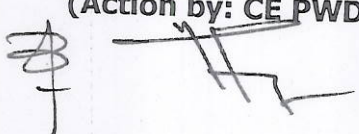
**(Action by: Transporters / Traffic Department)**

- 6) RTO Kashmir / Operators of transporter were directed to adhere the rate list otherwise action will be taken.

**(Action by: RTO Kmr / Operators of Transporter)**

- 7) CE R&B Kmr, Comm SMC, VC SDA and SSP Traffic City will make joint visit of sites identified by IGP Traffic in order to de-congest the traffic jamming in various areas particularly from Airport road to Jehangir Chowk, M. A. Road and Residency Road.

**(Action by: CE PWD (R&B) Kmr / Com SMC / VC SDA / SSP Traffic City)**



- 8) DC Srinagar / RTO Kmr will verify the cases of flood affected vehicles and submit a report to this office within 15 days.

(Action by: DC Srinagar / RTO Kmr)


- 9) Commissioner SMC and VC SDA will ensure that no vendor is allowed to run business at chocking points and the same if anywhere shall be removed immediately. Strict action shall be taken against the officers who will be found responsible for violating the directions.

(Action by: Comm SMC / VC SDA)

- 10) VC SDA will ensure creation of additional entry / exit points at Parimpora Adda and ensure its regulation. Compliance to this effect shall be communicated within 02 days positively.

(Action by: VC SDA)

The Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir has desired to review the action taken on the above decisions in the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of April, 2018.

  
(Noor Mohammad)  
**Deputy Director**  
With Divisional Commissioner,  
Kashmir  
Dated: 12 / 04 / 2018

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