

Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir Social Welfare Department Civil Secretariat, J&K

Subject:-

Decriminalization of existing of Acts/Rules.

Government Order No: 26-JK (SWD) of 2023 Dated: 30.01.2023

With reference to General Administration Department communication No. GAD-ADM01/126/2021-02-GAD dated 02.11.2022, requiring all departments to ensure Ease of Living of Citizens, sanction is hereby accorded to the constitution of a Committee comprising of following members to scrutinize the Acts/ Rules pertaining to the Department and identify provisions that are to removed/retained or decriminalized:

1	Special Secretary (SK) to the Government,	Chairperson
+<	Social Welfare Department	ži.
2.	Mission Director, Mission Vatsalya	Member
3.	Representative from Directorate, Mission Poshan (Not below the rank of Joint Director)	Member
4.	Representative from Directorate, Social Welfare, Jammu/Kashmir (Not below the rank of Deputy Director)	Member(s)
5.	Secretary, Advisory Board for Scheduled Castes/ OBCs/ Paharis	Member
6.	Senior Law Officer, Social Welfare Department	Member Secretary

Besides, Under Secretary in the concerned section(s) shall also assist the above said Committee.

Terms and References:

1. The concerned HoDs / their representatives shall with in a period of one week identify the provisions that require to removed/retained or decriminalized in the various Acts/Rules relating to the Department based on their feedback from field,

which shall be placed before the above said committee for scrutiny and examination. The committee shall accordingly make appropriate recommendations to the Department for the retention/removal/decriminalization of such provisions.

2. The committee shall submit its report to the Department within

period of 15 days.

By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

Sd/-

Dated: 30.01.2023

Sheetal Nanda, IAS Commissioner/Secretary to the Government

No. SWD-Plan/121/2021-01 Copy to the:-

- 1. Joint Secretary (J&K), Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of
- 2. Director General, Social Welfare, Jammu
- 3. Mission Director, Mission Poshan, J&K.
- 4. Special Secretary to the Government, Social Welfare Department.
- 5. Director, Social Welfare, Kashmir.
- 6. Mission Director, Mission Vatsalya.
- 7. Secretary, Advisory Board for Scheduled Castes, J&K.
- 8. Senior Law Officer, Social Welfare Department.
- 9. Pvt. Secy. to Commissioner/Secretary to the Government, Social Welfare Department for information.

10. Government Order file/ I/c Website, Social Welfare Department.

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Under Secretary to the Government. Social Welfare Department