



Government of Jammu and Kashmir  
Agriculture Production Department  
Civil Secretariat, Jammu/Kashmir.

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Subject:- Constitution of Enquiry Committee.

Government Order No. 318 -Agri of 2017  
D a t e d:- 22-12-2017

Whereas, the department has received physical/financial progress ending 06/2017 in respect of Pargwal Canal, CAD Project from Director Command Area Development Department, Jammu vide letter No. CADJ/Adm/2017-18/279 dated 31/07/2017 followed by letter dated 20/09/2017;

Whereas, while going through the monthly progress report till June 2017 for said project, it was found that the Assistant Soil Conservation Officer, (ASCO) Sarore (DDO of Sub Division concerned) had booked an expenditure of Rs. 26.10 lacs within a period of one week of receiving funds, which were placed at the disposal of ASCO Sarore on 13/06/2017 by Project Officer, SMW, CAD, Jammu;

Whereas, taking cognizance of the un-usual high expenditure, Project Officer S&MW CAD Jammu was asked to submit a report vide letter No. CADJ/P&S/2017-18/236-37 dated 10/07/2017;

Whereas, the Project Officer, S&WM, CAD Jammu vide his letter No. CADWM/WSM/2017-18/555-56 dated 18/07/2017 has submitted the report, wherein he has submitted that it was not possible to take up new works with allotment of RS. 27.10 lacs because the executors of the project area were time and again approaching and pressing hard for clearance of their pending claim on account of works already executed, however, there was no liability on account of old works as on ending March 2017 as stated by Director, CAD, Jammu in his report;

Whereas, no works has been executed in excess to the released amount in the last financial year 2016-17 on ground and state exchequer has been embezzled on the false claim of liability. The claim of the Project Officer has no basis that pressure was exerted on the ASCO Sarore by so-called executors to pay the pending claims, as Shri A.K.Dubey, Project Officer has himself approved many payments whose number is approximately seven out of eighteen draws.

Whereas, Project Officer has admitted that a mistake has been committed on their part and the payments made by him for old works is in contradiction as far as physical reports of ending March 2017;

Whereas, after examination of the report of Director Command Area Dev. Department, Jammu, it has been found that embezzlement, loot and plunder of the public money/funds has been committed by Project Officer and ASCO, Sarore by mutual connivance;

Whereas, after further examination of the case, it has been decided that an enquiry committee be constituted for conducting in-depth enquiry into the misappropriation/loot and plunder of public money/funds committed by Shri A.K.Dubey, Project Officer and Shri Firdous Ahmad Tak, ASCO, Sarore in respect of Pargwal Canal, CAD Project, Jammu.

Now, therefore a committee of following officers is hereby constituted to enquire into regarding misappropriation of funds committed by Shri A.K.Dubey, Project Officer and Shri Firdous Ahmad Tak, ASCO, Sarore by making fraudulent draws in respect of Pargwal Canal, CAD Project, Jammu:-

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| i.   | Shri Showkat Ahmad Beigh, KAS<br>Secretary in Agriculture | Chairman |
| ii.  | Shri Mohamamd Yousuf Pandit<br>Director Finance, APD      | Member   |
| iii. | Shri Jatinder Singh, KAS<br>Director, CAD, Jammu          | Member.  |
| iv.  | Shri Suresh Kumar,<br>Assistant Director(P&S) APD         | Member.  |

The above committee shall submit its findings/report within a period of one (01) month.

**By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.**


Sd/-  
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Commissioner Secretary to the Government

No:- Agri/CAD/16/2017

Dated:- 22/12/2017

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2. Director Finance, Agriculture Production Department.
3. Director, Command Area Dev.Department, Jammu.
4. OSD to Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture Production Department.
5. Assistant Director (P&S) Agriculture Production Department.
6. Pvt. Secy, to Commissioner/ Secretary to Government, Agriculture Production Department.
7. PA to Special Secretary to Government, Agriculture Production Department.
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