



Government of Jammu and Kashmir
Hospitality & Protocol Department
Civil Secretariat, J&K, Jammu.

Subject:- Warrant of Precedence in respect of the Union Territory of J&K.
Ref : UO No.RDD/PNCH/57/2021 dated 04.03.2021 of Department of Rural
Development and Panchayati Raj.

Government Order No. 03- JK(H&P) of 2021
Dated:08.03.2021

Sanction is hereby accorded to the replacement of Annexure to
Government Order No.13-JK(H&P) of 2020 dated. 22.07.2020 with the
Annexure-A to this Government Order issued on the subject.

By order of the Lieutenant Governor.

(Manzoor Ahmad Jan)

Under Secretary to Government,
Hospitality & Protocol Department.

Dated:08.03.2021

No:HP/TA/ 58/2015

Copy to the:-

1. Advocate General, J&K High Court.
2. All Financial Commissioners.
3. Principal Accountant General, J&K.
4. Principal Secretary to the Lieutenant Governor.
5. All Principal Secretaries to the Government.
6. Jt. Secretary (J&K), Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India.
7. Director General of Police, Police Headquarters, J&K.
8. Principal Resident Commissioner, 5 Prithivi Raj Road, New Delhi.
9. Chief Electoral Officer, J&K.
10. All Commissioner/Secretaries to Government.
11. Commissioner/Secretary to the Government, Department of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj. The UO file is also returned herewith.
12. Divisional Commissioner Jammu/Kashmir.
13. Principal Secretary to the Chief Justice J&K High Court.
14. Registrar General, J&K High Court.
15. Director Information, J&K.
16. All Head of Departments/Managing Directors/Chief Executives of UT PSUs/Autonomous Bodies/Societies.
17. Secretary, J&K Public Service Commission.
18. General Manager, Govt. Press J&K for publication in Government Gazette.
19. Private Secretaries to the Hon'ble Advisors (/F/B/BK) to the Lieutenant Governor.
20. Private Secretary to the Chief Secretary.
21. Pvt. Secretary to the Secretary to the Government, H&P Department.
22. I/C website, GAD(www.jkgad.nic.in).
23. Govt. Order file/(w/2scs).

Annexure-A to Government Order No.03JK(H&P) of 2021 Dated:08.03.2021.

1. President
2. Vice President
3. Prime Minister
4. Governors of States within their respective States
5. Former Presidents
- 5A- Deputy Prime Minister
6. Chief Justice of India
Speaker of Lok Sabha
7. Cabinet Ministers of the Union
Chief Ministers of States within their respective States
Deputy Chairman, Planning Commission
Former Prime Ministers
Leaders of the Opposition in Rajya Sabha and Lok Sabha
- 7A- Holders of Bharat Ratna decoration
8. Ambassadors Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary and High Commissioners of
Commonwealth countries accredited to India
Chief Ministers of State outside their respective States
Governors of States outside their respective States
9. Judges of Supreme Court
- 9A- Chairperson, Union Public Service Commission
Chief Election Commissioner
Comptroller and Auditor General of India
10. Deputy Chairman, Rajya Sabha
Deputy Chief Minister of States
Deputy Speaker, Lok Sabha
Members of the Planning Commission
Ministers of the State of the Union (and any other Minister in the Ministry of Defence for Defence matters)
11. Attorney General of India
Cabinet Secretary
Lieutenant Governors within the respective Union Territories
12. Chiefs of Staff holding the rank of Full General or equivalent rank
13. Envoys Extraordinary and Ministers Plenipotentiary accredited to India
14. Chairmen and Speakers of State Legislatures within their respective States
Chief Justices of High Courts within their respective jurisdictions
15. Cabinet Ministers in States within their respective States



- Chief Ministers of Union Territories and Chief Executive Councillor, Delhi within their respective Union Territories
Deputy Ministers of the Union
16. Officiating Chiefs of Staff holding the rank of Lieutenant General or equivalent rank
17. Chairman, Central Administrative Tribunal
Chairman, Minorities Commission
Chairperson National Commission for Scheduled Castes
Chairperson National Commission for Scheduled Tribes
Chief Justices of High Courts outside their respective jurisdictions
Puisne Judges of High Courts within their respective jurisdictions
18. Cabinet Ministers in States outside their respective States
Chairmen and Speakers of State Legislatures outside their respective States
Chairman, Monopolies and Restrictive Trade Practices Commission
Deputy Chairmen and Deputy Speakers of State Legislatures within their respective States
Ministers of State in States within their respective States
Ministers of Union Territories and Executive Councilors, Delhi within their respective Union/ outside Territories
Speakers of Legislative Assemblies in Union Territories and Chairman of Delhi Metropolitan Council within their respective Union Territories/ outside
19. Chief Commissioners of Union Territories not having Councils of Ministers, within their respective Union Territories
Deputy Ministers in States within their respective States
Deputy Speakers of Legislative Assemblies in Union Territories and Deputy Chairman of Delhi Metropolitan Council Delhi within their respective Union Territories
19A- Mayors within their respective Territorial jurisdictions
20. Deputy Chairmen and Deputy Speakers of State Legislatures, outside their respective States
Ministers of State in States outside their respective States
Puisne Judges of High Courts outside their respective jurisdictions
21. Members of Parliament
22. Deputy Ministers in State outside their respective States
23. Army commanders/ Vice-Chief of the Army Staff or equivalent in other services
Chief Secretaries to State Governments/ UT within their respective States/ UTs
Commissioner for Linguistic Minorities
Commissioner for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes
Member Legislative Assembly of the Union Territories within their respective Union Territories



Members, Minorities Commission
Members, National Commission for Scheduled Castes
Members, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes
Officers of the rank of full General or equivalent rank
Secretaries to the Government of India (including Officers holding this office ex-officio)
Secretary, Minorities Commission
Secretary, Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Commission
Secretary to the President
Secretary to the Prime Minister
Secretary, Rajya Sabha/ Lok Sabha
Solicitor General
Vice-Chairman of the Central Administrative Tribunal
24. Officers of the rank of Lieutenant General or equivalent rank
25. Additional Secretaries to the Government of India
Additional Solicitors General
Advocate Generals of States
Chairman Public Service Commission
Chairman, Tariff Commission
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Chief Ministers of the Union Territories and Chief Executive Councilor, Delhi outside
their respective Union Territories
Chief Secretaries of State Governments/ Union Territories (outside their respective
jurisdiction)
Deputy Comptrollers and Auditor General
Deputy Speakers of Legislative Assemblies in the Union Territories and Deputy
Chairman, Delhi Metropolitan Council, outside their respective Union Territories
Director, Central Bureau of Investigation
Director General Border Security Force
Director General Central Reserve Police Force
Director, Intelligence Bureau
Financial Commissioner to the Government
Director General of Police within respective States/ Union Territories
Lieutenant Governors outside their respective Union Territories
Members, Central Administrative Tribunal
Members, Monopolies and Restrictive Trade Practices Commission
Members, Union Public Service Commission
Ministers of Union Territories and Executive Councilors, Delhi, outside their respective
Union Territories



Principal Staff Officers of the Armed Forces of the rank of Major General or equivalent rank

Speakers of legislative Assemblies in Union Territories and Chairman of Delhi, Metropolitan Council, outside their respective Union Territories

25 A- Principal Secretaries to the Government

Additional Director General of Police

26. All Administrative Secretaries

Divisional Commissioners/ IGPs

Joint Secretaries to the Government of India and Officers of equivalent rank

Officers of the rank of Major-General or equivalent rank

Chairperson, District Development Councils

27. Vice Chancellors of Universities within the State/ UT

Vice Chairpersons of the District Development Councils

28. District Magistrates

Officers of the rank of Brigadiers and equivalent

Major Head of Departments

District & Session Judges

Chairperson Block Development Council/President of Municipal Councils and Municipalities/Members of the District Development Councils

Note:

1. The order in this Table of Precedence is meant purely for State and Ceremonial occasions.
2. Persons in the Table of Precedence will take rank in order of the number of the articles. The entries in the same article are arranged alphabetically. Those included in the same article will take precedence inter se according to date of entry into that article.



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