

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

Subject: Suspension of Shri Romesh Kumar Samotra, I/c ARTO and reinstatement thereof.

Ref: Preliminary Enquiry Report submitted by the Inquiry Officer appointed vide Government order No: 11-JK (TR) of 2021 dated: 02.01.2021 under No: RTOJ/PA/2021/1643 dated: 22nd March, 2021.

Government Order No. 35 -JK (TR) of 2021
D a t e d: 15 -04-2021.

WHEREAS, vide Government Order No. 60-JK(TR) of 2020 dated 20-11-2020, Shri Romesh Kumar Samotra, I/c Assistant Regional Transport Officer (ARTO), Reasi under orders of transfer as I/c ARTO, Kishtwar was placed under suspension for non-compliance of transfer orders and creating hurdles in the official functioning of ARTO Office Reasi which made the public of area to suffer badly;

WHEREAS, vide Government order No: 11-JK (TR) of 2021 dated: 02.02.2021, Shri Dhananter Singh, (KAS), Regional Transport Officer, Jammu was appointed as Inquiry Officer to conduct an enquiry against Shri Romesh Kumar Samotra, I/c ARTO;

WHEREAS, the Inquiry Officer vide communication No: RTOJ/PA/2021/1643 dated: 22nd March, 2021 submitted preliminary report with the recommendation to reinstate Shri Romesh Kumar Samotra, I/c ARTO besides allowing him to join at new place of posting i.e. ARTO Kishtwar and to warn him against repetition of any such non-compliance of the Government orders and to comply all the instructions/ orders of Government in future, in letter and spirit;

Now, therefore, in view of the facts elucidated above and with the approval of competent authority, sanction is hereby accorded to the reinstatement of Shri Romesh Kumar Samotra, I/c ARTO in consonance with the provisions of the rule-31 (3) of J&K Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1956, subject to following conditions:-

- i) He shall immediately join as I/c ARTO, Kishtwar, as ordered vide Government Order No. 35-JK(TR) of 2020 dated: 27-07-2020, relieving I/c ARTO, Doda of the additional charge of the post.



ii) He shall remain careful in future in adhering to the Government Orders/Instructions in letter and spirit and dispose of the official work without any complaint and he is warned against repetition of any kind of behaviour of unbecoming of an Officer/non-compliance of the Government Orders in future.

iii) His period of suspension and penalty (if any imposed as specified under rule-30 J&K Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1956) shall be decided separately, after the receipt of the final Enquiry report of the Inquiry Officer appointed vide Government order No: 11-JK (TR) of 2021 dated: 02.01.2021.

By order of the Government of Jammu & Kashmir.

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Hirdesh Kumar) IAS


Commissioner/Secretary to the Government,
Transport Department.

No. TR-11/MVD/2015-III

Dated: 15-04-2021.

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1. Joint Secretary (J&K), Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India.
2. Transport Commissioner, J&K, Jammu.
3. Director Finance, Transport Department
4. OSD with Advisor (B), Incharge Transport Department.
5. Regional Transport Officer, Jammu.
6. Pvt. Secretary to Commissioner/Secretary, Transport Department for information of Commissioner Secretary, Transport.
7. Assistant Regional Transport Officer, Doda.
8. Shri Romesh Kumar Samotra, I/c Assistant Regional Transport Officer for compliance.
9. I/c Website.
10. Government Order/Stock file.


(Raj Mohammad Malik) KAS
Deputy Secretary to Government,
Transport Department. 