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GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE, JAMMU

कार्यालय जिला मजिस्ट्रेट, जम्मू <u>Wazarat Road Jammu-180001 (J&K)</u> वज़ारत रोड, जम्मू -१८०००१ (जम्मू एवं कश्मीर)

Subject:- Order under Section 163 BNSS for prohibition on sale and purchase of accessories used for unauthorized vehicle modifications in District Jammu.

ORDER

Whereas, it has been brought to the notice of this office by the Senior Superintendent of Police, Traffic Jammu, that a large number of commercial establishments and vendors in District Jammu are engaged in the sale and purchase of various motor vehicle accessories which are being used for unauthorized modifications of vehicles in contravention of Section 52 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988;

Whereas, such accessories include but are not limited to oversized tyres, pressure horns, musical horns, metallic bumpers, high-intensity halogen lights, tinted or reflective window films, roof rail spoilers, modified exhausts, and similar fittings, which alter the original manufacturer specifications of the vehicles and compromise the roadworthiness, thereby posing a serious threat to the safety of passengers and pedestrians;

Whereas, despite enforcement action by Traffic Police Jammu against violators, the availability of such accessories continues, leading to illegal vehicle modifications, endangering lives and contributing to public nuisance;

Whereas, given the compelling need to prohibit the sale and purchase of such accessories, it is imperative on the part of district administration that immediate preventive measures be taken to reduce road accidents and thereby ensure public safety;

Now, therefore, in exercise of powers conferred upon me under Section 163 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, I, Sachin Kumar Vaishya, IAS, District Magistrate, Jammu, do hereby order that:

1. The sale, purchase, storage, distribution, and display for sale of all motor vehicle accessories which are intended or likely to be used for unauthorized modifications in violation of Section 52 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988, is hereby prohibited within the territorial jurisdiction of District Jammu, with immediate effect.

District Magistrate

Jammu

It is further ordered that:

- 1. The Senior Superintendent of Police, Jammu, and the Senior Superintendent of Police, Traffic Jammu shall ensure effective enforcement of this order in coordination with concerned field officers.
- 2. A joint committee comprising of the following officials shall carry out periodic inspections within their respective jurisdictions to ensure strict compliance with this order and submit fortnightly reports to the Office of the District Magistrate:
 - i. Tehsildar concerned.
 - ii. Station House Officer (SHO) concerned.
 - iii. DTI concerned.
 - iv. Representative(s) from the RTO
- 3. Any person, firm, or establishment found violating this order shall be liable for penal action under the relevant provisions of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, and the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988, and the said materials shall be liable to seizure.

This order is issued *ex-parte* in the interest of public safety and security and shall be widely publicized through print, electronic and social media.

This order shall come into force with immediate effect from today afternoon and will remain operative for eight weeks or till further orders whichever is earlier.

This order shall be applicable within the territorial jurisdiction of District Jammu.

Signature of state of

Issued under my hand and seal at Jammu on this 2nd day of August, 2025.

(Sachin Ku**ma**gi Waishya)IAS Distr**ich Ma**gistrate Jammu

No. DMJ/LO/2025-26/1205-18 Dated:-02-08-2025.

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- 1. Principal Secretary to the Government, Home Department, J&K, Civil Secretariat, Srinagar for kind information.
- 2. Divisional Commissioner, Jammu for kind information.
- 3. Commissioner, Jammu Municipal Corporation, Jammu.
- 4. Vice Chairman, Jammu Development Authority, Jammu.
- 5. Director, Information and Public Relations, Jammu for wide publicity through print, electronic and social media.
- 6. Senior Superintendent of Police, Jammu for information and necessary action.
- 7. Senior Superintendent of Police, Traffic Jammu, for information and necessary action.
- 8. Regional Transport Officer, Jammu for information and necessary action.
- 9. All Sub Divisional Magistrates of District Jammu for information and necessary action.
- 10. All Tehsildars of District Jammu for information and necessary action.
- 11. All ARTOs of District Jammu for information and necessary action.
- 12. All SHOs of District Jammu for information and necessary action.
- 13. All DTIs of District Jammu for information and necessary action.

Copy also to the:

1. Additional District Magistrate, Jammu.