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A Report on

**INTERACTION-CUM TRAINING PROGRAMME WITH KARGIL
FOREST OFFICIALS, KARGIL, LADAKH, UT**

(Dated 12th July, 2021)

Himalayan Forest Research Institute (HFRI), Shimla, organized an ‘Interaction-cum Training Programme’ at the office of the Kargil Forest Division, Ladakh UT under VVK, Leh. About 15 participants comprising of Range Officers, Dy. Range Officers and Foresters from the Kargil Divisional Office, took active part in this event. The programme was Chaired by Sh. Muhammad Sajid Sultan, the Divisional Forest Officer, Kargil.

At the outset, Dr. Vaneet Jishtu, Scientist-E, on behalf of Director, HFRI, Shimla welcomed Sh. Muhammad Sajid Sultan, DFO, Kargil and participants for sparing their valuable time and attending this programme. He also highlighted the activities of the Institute especially in the field of Cold Desert of Leh, Ladakh UT.

Sh. M.S. Sultan, DFO Kargil and Chief Guest, during his Inaugural Address, thanked HFRI Shimla, for organizing such programme in Kargil area, and hoped that this Interactive -cum Training Programme, will prove fruitful as they provide an interactive platform between the researchers and the forest officials thereby reducing the gap between laboratory and the field.

During the Technical Session, Dr. Jishtu gave detailed Power Point presentation on ‘Goods and Services of Cold Desert Ecosystem’. He further gave a presentation on the Nursery and Plantation technology of *Juniperus polycarpus* (Shukpa). The forest officials were much interested in the propagation of Juniper and requested the Institute to help them raise the plants in Kargil itself. They also apprised the HFRI team about their efforts to germinate the seeds of Juniper in their nursery with tips from the earlier training attended by them at the Institute’s VVK at Leh. Some officials were concerned about the large scale insect pest attack on *Salix* in the region. Many other issues were raised by the field officials especially that of high value medicinal plants, which has great potential to go for commercial cultivation in the valleys of Suru and Sapi in Kargil area.

The programme ended with vote of thanks by Dr. Jishtu, who also assured the participants for more such Interactive Sessions with the field staff in future too.

Glimpses of Interaction-cum Training Programme at Kargil, Leh



Media Coverage of the Event



Public Notice

It is for the information of the general public that my daughter's DoB has been wrongly spelled in School records as 20/02/2012 instead of 02/06/2013 which is Correct. Now I want to make necessary corrections in the School record. Anybody having any objection in this regard she/he shall be communicated to Principal Noon Public High School Sankoo within a period of seven days. No objection will be entertained thereafter.

Zakir Hussain F/O Zehra Batool Zanger
R/O Thang Dumbour Sankoo

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OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT REGIONAL TRANSPORT OFFICER
LAHDC-KARGIL Ladakh

NOTICE

Whereas a joint application has been received from Off Road Adventure (Transferor) and Mohd Sadiq S/O Mohd Zaman R/O Nakpochoo as (Transferee) for transfer of Permit No.CoveringVehicleNo-JK07-6055.

Now therefore, it is notified for general information that objection if any to the proposed transfer of the side Route permit/ Vehicle shall be filed in writing in the office of the ARTO Kargil within a period of Seven days from the date of publication of this notice in the newspaper.

Sd/-
Asstt. Regional Transport Officer Kargil Ladakh

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Whereas an application has been received from Riyaz Ahmad S/O Ghulam Rasool R/O Khebir Kargil Ladakh owner of vehicle bearing No-JK07-5949 for loan cancellation of hire purchase agreement SBI Kargil.

Now therefore, it is notified for general information that objection if any to the proposed cancellation of hire purchase agreement shall be filed in writing in the office of the regional Transport Officer, Kargil within a period of seven days from the publication of this notice failing which it shall be transfer of the vehicle between the parties shall be made accordingly.

Sd/-
Asstt. Regional Transport Officer Kargil Ladakh

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INTERACTION-CUM TRAINING PROGRAMME WITH KARGIL FOREST OFFICIALS



GL News

Kargil/Himalayan Forest Research Institute (HFRI), Shimla, Himachal Pradesh organized an Interaction - cum Training Programme with the Divisional Forest Officer, Kargil and his Range Officers and Foresters at the Division Office, Kargil of Ladakh UT, Himalayan Forest Research Institute, an institute under Indian Council of Forest Research & Education (ICFRE) Dehradun, comes under Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change (MoEF&CC). The HFRI has recently signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Forest Department of Ladakh, UT for collective and progressive initiatives towards aiding their goal of Carbon Neutral Ladakh.

The HFRI team of researchers led by Dr. Vaneet Jishtu, a Senior Scientist organised this 'Interaction cum Training Programme' in active cooperation of the DFO, Kargil Mohammad Sajid Sultan and was facilitated by Niyaz Ali, the Range Officer, Kargil. Dr.Vaneet Jishtu, apprised the officials about the Institute and its activities, its thrust areas and mandate especially in context to the cold desert ecosystem. He also gave a presentation on the nursery technology practice on Juniper (Shukpa) developed by the Institute. The DFO too apprised the HFRI team about their efforts towards germination of Juniper. The forest staff raised a number of issues, especially that of the pest attack on willows and the cotton bloom of poplar seeds. The issues raised were noted by the HFRI team, who assured that these would be submitted to the Director, HFRI for further suggestive actions.

Such interactions prove to be fruitful as they provide an interactive platform between the researchers and the forest officials. This interaction was chaired by the DFO, Kargil, who appreciated this initiative for sharing and exchange of views. Dr. Jishtu assured him of more such interactive sessions with the forest staff in future. He assured the commitment of ICFRE, towards its stakeholders, especially the forest department of all states and union territories of the country.

Justice Tashi Rabstan conducts meeting with officers of District Administration, members of Bar Association in Kargil

GL News

KARGIL// During his official visit to Ladakh, Judge Common High Court of Jammu Kashmir and Ladakh Justice Tashi Rabstan held a meeting with the Additional Deputy Commissioner (ADC) Kargil Tsering Motup and the members of the Bar Association Kargil here on Friday. During the course of the meeting, Justice Tashi Rabstan directed the ADC Kargil to expeditiously complete the formalities for the construction of New Court

J&K HC

Jammu: 'Common High Court Union Territory of Jammu and Union Territory of Ladakh been rechristened as the 'High Jammu and Kashmir and Ladakh nomenclature has been the virtue of an amendment in clause sub-section (1) of section 7 Jammu and Kashmir Reorganisation Act, 2019 (34 of 2019) through a presidential order on Friday.

The order, to be referred to as the Jammu and Kashmir Reorganisation (Residual Difficulties) Order, 2021 (of 2021) by the President Ram Nath Kovind, came into force on the date of publication in the official Gazette. As per the order notified by the Department of Justice of Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir, the change effected as the existing nomenclature was found to be 'rather long and cumbersome'.

Other objective specified by the order was to bring it in consonance with the name followed in other common High Courts. 'The present nomenclature is rather long-winded and cumbersome, the said name may be substituted as High Jammu and Kashmir and Ladakh besides being convenient word in consonance with the name followed in other common High Courts, namely, Punjab and Haryana High Court which has jurisdiction over the Punjab and Haryana and the Territory of Chandigarh,' read the order. As per the order, the consideration of the proposal to change nomenclature were sought from the Lieutenant Governor of Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir, the Lieutenant Governor of Union Territory of Ladakh and the Chief Justice of the High Court for the Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir and Union Territory of Ladakh.

'The Lieutenant Governor of Jammu and Kashmir and the Lieutenant Governor of Ladakh vide letter dated October 27, 2021