



**GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR
DIRECTORATE OF SCHOOL EDUCATION JAMMU**

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Subject:- OWP No. 914/2016, IA No. 1/2016 c/w OWP No. 714/2016, IA Nos. 2/2016 & 1/2016 OWP No. 1021/2016,, IA Nos. 2/2017, 1/2016 & 1/2016 titled J.P.World School, Chhanni Bye Pass, Jammu through Administrator Mohd. Farooq Baig age V/S State & ors.

NOTICE

Whereas, a bunch of petitions has been filed by various private un-aided schools functioning within the Jammu Province in the State of Jammu and Kashmir, wherein the petitioners have challenged the Govt. Order no. 520-Edu of 2013 dated 07.05.2013 ; and

Whereas, all these petitions were decided by virtue of a judgment and order dated 01.08.2015 with the liberty to the School managements to approach the Fee Fixation Committee for appropriate directions ; and

Whereas, the Hon'ble High Court, Jammu in OWP No. 1182/2013 has passed the following directions:-

"The management of the un-aided private Schools are granted liberty to approach the said committee for fixation of fee structure of each standard and till new fee structure is fixed by the committee the managements shall collect all type of fees as in August, 2014."

Whereas, despite the passing of aforementioned directions of the Hon'ble High Court, Jammu, it appears that the private unaided schools continued to enhance their fee and this was noticed by the Govt. which then issued Govt. Order no. 98 of Edu of 2016 dated 24.03.2016, wherein, the directions of the Division Bench issued vide judgment and order dated 20.9.2016 were ordered to be strictly implemented by the authorities within the Department; and

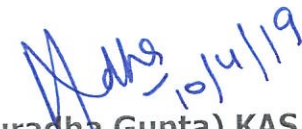
Whereas, now the Division Bench of the Hon'ble High Court, Jammu on 18.03.2019 has dismissed all the aforesaid petitions with the following directions:-

"Be that as it may, the petitions are found to be without any merit and are accordingly dismissed. The petitioners shall refund the entire fee beyond the scale,, which was chargeable by the schools uptill August 2014 in terms of the judgment and order dated 20.09.2016 passed by the Division Bench in OWP No. 910/2016. The fee so refunded shall be paid along with interest @ 9% per annum on the said sum."

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In backdrop of the above facts, it is impressed upon all the proprietors of Private Schools functioning within the Jammu Province to immediately submit duly authenticated details of their fee structure of each standard as it stood on 01.08.2014 and also the present fee structure, as was also directed by the Fee Fixation Committee vide order no. 1-FFC of 2019 dated 28.01.2019 in the office of concerned Chief Education Officers or Joint Director (JKS) School Education, Jammu through a special messenger or via e-mail at jdjks-edu@gmail.com as per the schedule notified below:-

S. No.	Date	Schools	Timing
01.	12.04.2019, 15.04.2019 and 16.04.2019	All schools affiliated with CBSE	10 – 4:30 PM
02.	18.04.2019, 20.04.2019 and 22.04.2019	All schools affiliated with JKBOSE	10 – 4:30 PM
03.	23.04.2019 and 24.04.2019	ICSE or Any other Board	10 – 4:30 PM


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Dated: 10.04.2019

Copy to the:

01. Commissioner/ Secretary to the Government, School Education Department,, Civil Secretariat, Jammu for information please.
02. Divisional Commissioner for information please.
03. Joint Director Information with the request to publish the above notice in leading newspapers of Jammu Province.
04. JD JKS Range for information and necessary action please.
05. Chief Education Officers (All)

6. To the website DSEJ