



**Government of Jammu and Kashmir**  
**Jal Shakti Department**  
**Civil Secretariat, Jammu/Kashmir**

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Subject: Treatment of suspension period of Mr. Farooq Feroz Dar, Junior Engineer – reg.

**Government Order No.264 -JK(JSD) of 2025**

**Dated:26.11.2025**

Whereas, the Chief Engineer, PHE, Jammu vide letter No. PHEJ/GE/66 dated 01.04.2024, informed that one Junior Engineer namely, Shri Farooq Feroz Dar, PHE Division Nowshera, was arrested by the Police on 14.11.2023 in case FIR No. 358/2023 under Section 120-B/121/122 IPC, 7/25/26/27 Arms Act & 13/18/20/40 UAPA at Police Station Surankote; and

Whereas, the said official has been placed under suspension by the Chief Engineer, PHE Jammu, vide Order No. PHEJ/GE/111/E of 2023 dated 21.11.2023; and

Whereas, subsequently, the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Surankote, vide letter dated: 07.03.2024, informed that during the course of investigation, the involvement of said individual was not established in the instant case and he was released on 21.01.2024 by giving benefit of section 169 Cr. PC, and that nothing adverse shall be considered against him in the aforementioned case; and

Whereas, when enquired, the Chief Engineer, PHE Jammu, vide letter No. PHEJ/GE/5804 dated 05.07.2024 intimated that no Departmental Inquiry was pending against the said official except as mentioned in the subject; and

Whereas, upon the advice of the General Administration Department that the case was not within the purview of the Suspension Review Committee in GAD constituted under G.O. No. 1390-J (GAD) of 2023 dated 17.11.2023 but the departmental review Committee of the Jal Shakti Department, the matter was placed before the same and in its meeting held on 07.02.2025, the Committee noted that nothing adverse was found against Shri Farooq Feroz Dar and recommended his reinstatement with immediate effect with further recommendation to decide the intervening period of suspension of the official in terms of Article-108- B of J&K CSR Vol-I; and

Whereas, in light of these recommendations, the case was placed before the Competent Authority and accordingly, vide Govt. Order No. 44-JK(JSD) 2025 dated 14.02.2025, Mr. Farooq Feroz Dar, Junior Engineer (Civil), was reinstated, with the stipulation that the period of suspension shall be decided separately; and

Whereas, the Chief Engineer PHE Jammu, vide his letter No. PHEJ/GE/21351 dated 26.03.2025, furnished the attendance report of Shri Farooq Feroz Dar w.e.f. 14.11.2023 to 14.02.2025, conveying therein that the official, other than the period when he was in police custody i.e. from 14.11.2023 to 21.01.2024, attended office as per directions of the supervisory officers till his reinstatement; and

Whereas, the Home Department has, vide U.O No. HOME-ISA/161/2025(CC:7647080) dated 19.11.2025, reconfirmed his non-involvement and the position conveyed to the Jal Shakti Department earlier by the police authorities; and

Now, therefore, after due consideration, in view of his being fully exonerated, the period of absence from duty i.e. from 14.11.2023 to 14.02.2025, is hereby treated as period spent on duty in terms of Article 108-B of J&K CSR Volume- I.

**By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.**

Sd/-

(Shaleen Kabra) IAS

**Financial Commissioner (Additional Chief Secretary)  
Jal Shakti Department**

No: JSD-NGJ/20/2024 (7451164)

Dated:26.11.2025

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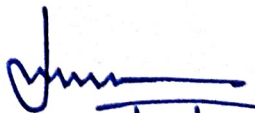
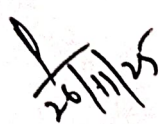

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