



**GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT
CIVIL SECRETARIAT, J&K**

Subject: **Constitution of Committee for drafting comprehensive Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) governing the transport of bovine animals.**

**Government Order No.764-JK(GAD) of 2026
Dated:09.04.2026**

Sanction is hereby accorded to the constitution of Committee, comprising the following, for drafting comprehensive Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) governing the transport of bovine animals across the Union territory of Jammu & Kashmir:

1	Administrative Secretary, Home Department	Chairman
2	Additional Director General of Police, CID, J&K	Member
3	Divisional Commissioner, Jammu	Member
4	Inspector General of Police, Jammu	Member
5	Administrative Secretary, Transport Department	Member
6	Administrative Secretary, Department of Law, Justice and Parliamentary Affairs	Member
7	Director, Animal Husbandry Department, Jammu	Member

Terms of Reference:

- i) To examine the regulatory framework governing transport of bovines, including central laws, and draft comprehensive SOPs for bovine transport through vehicles as well as on foot, across the Union territory of Jammu & Kashmir.
- ii) To prescribe documentation and verification protocols, including permits, health certificates and other pre-requisites to be checked by enforcement agencies during inspections.
- iii) To recommend measures for ensuring animal welfare during transportation/on foot movement, in conformity with applicable laws and guidelines.
- iv) To suggest mechanisms for effective coordination among concerned departments/agencies i.e. Police Department, Transport Department, Animal/Sheep Husbandry Department and District Administration(s).
- v) To draft standard inspection procedures to prevent illegal transport and ensure smooth movement of lawful consignments.

- vi) To recommend use of technology-enabled solutions for transparency and efficiency.

By order of the Lieutenant Governor.

Sd/-
(M. Raju) IAS

Commissioner/Secretary to the Government

Dated:09.04.2026

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8. Divisional Commissioner, Jammu/Kashmir.
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10. Director General, J&K Institute of Management, Public Administration and Rural Development.
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(Rohit Sharma) JKAS

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