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amount of Rs. 2,99,500/- Indian currency, from a bag carried by the
accused ; and

2. Whereas, based on the above a case FIR No. 331/2023 under
Section 120-B IPC, 13, 17 and 20 of ULA(P) Act, was registered in
the Police Station, Pulwama and the investigation of the case was set
into motion. Subsequently, during the investigation, the offence under
Section 120-B IPC and 17 of ULA (P) Act were dropped and Sections
18, 38, 39 and 40 of ULA(P) Act were added in the case ; and

3. Whereas, during the course of investigation, the site plan of the
place of occurrence and the seizure memos were prepared and the
statements of witnesses acquainted with the facts and circumstances
of the case were recorded under the relevant provisions of law ; and

4. Whereas, during the investigation, it was found that the
accused viz. Shahbaaz Ahmad Dar, was in contact with a terrorist of
JeM, a banned outfit, namely Ashiq Ahmad Nengroo S/o Gh. Ahmad
Nengroo R/o Hanjan Bala A/P Pakistan through virtual mode, who
provided the recovered cash to the accused viz. Shahbaaz Ahmad Dar,
through an unknown person for further distribution among the terrorists
in order to promote terrorist activities in the area ; and

5. Whereas, during the investigation, it was established that the
accused viz. Shahbaaz Ahmad Dar, was working as Over Ground
Worker (OGW) for the terrorists of JeM, a banned outfit, particularly
the Pakistan based terrorist viz. Ashiq Ahmad Nengroo, and under a
well knit criminal conspiracy was providing logistic support to him,
besides, on the directions of said terrorist procured cash to the tune of
Rs. 2,99,500/- from an unknown person for further distribution among
the terrorists for carrying out terrorist activities in the area ; and

6. Whereas, the investigation, in respect of unknown person who
handed over the cash to the tune of Rs. 2,99, 500/- to the accused
viz. Shahbaaz Ahmad Dar, shall continue to ascertain his identity and
to bring out his role/involvement in the case and the Supplementary
Charge-Sheet against him would be filed in the Court of competent
jurisdiction ; and

7. Whereas, on the basis of the investigation, the statements of witnesses recorded and other evidence collected, the Investigating Officer, has established *prima facie* involvement of the below mentioned accused for the commission of offences punishable under sections of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967, as shown against their names :

S. No.	Name of the accused	Offence
1.	Shahbaaz Ahmad Dar S/o Gh. Hassan Dar R/o Gulshanabad, Rajpora, Pulwama	13, 18, 39, 40 of ULA (P) Act.
2.	Ashiq Ahmad Nengroo S/o Gh. Ahmad Nengroo R/o Hanjan Bala A/P Pakistan	13, 18, 20, 38, 40 of ULA (P) Act.

8. Whereas, the accused terrorist viz. Ashiq Ahmad Nengroo, is absconding and the proceedings under Section 299 Cr. P.C. have been proposed to be initiated against him ; and

9. Whereas, the Authority appointed by the Government under Sub-Section (2) of Section 45 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967, has independently examined the Case Diary File and all the other relevant documents relating to the case and has come to the conclusion that a *prima facie* case is made out against the above accused ; and

10. Whereas, after perusing the Case Diary File, the relevant documents and also taking into consideration the views of the Authority appointed under Sub-Section (2) of Section 45 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967, the Government is of the view that there is sufficient material and evidence available against the above-mentioned accused for their prosecution under the provisions of Law.

Now, therefore, in exercise of powers conferred by Sub-Section (2) of Section 45 of Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act 1967, the

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Government hereby accord sanction for launching prosecution against the accused viz. Shahbaaz Ahmad Dar and Ashiq Ahmad Nengroo, for the commission of offences punishable under the relevant sections of ULA(P) Act, as indicated against the each accused at Para (7) above, arising out of FIR No. 331/2023 of Police Station, Pulwama.

By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

(Sd/-) CHANDRAKER BHARTI, IAS,
Principal Secretary to the Government,
Home Department.