

THE JAMMU AND KASHMIR OFFICIAL GAZETTE

PART I—B

Jammu and Kashmir Government-Notifications.

GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR CIVIL SECRETARIATÔ HOME DEPARTMENT

Notification

Jammu, the 25th March, 2022.

S.O.-124.ô Whereas, on 19-05-2020, Police Station, Safakadal, Srinagar received reliable information regarding presence of some terrorists hiding in an unknown residential house near Womenøs College Nawakadal. Subsequently, joint cordon and search operation was launched by Police/Security forces in the area and during search terrorists lobbed hand grenade upon the search party followed by

- 2. Whereas, a Case FIR No. 67/2020 under sections 307 IPC, 7/27 Arms Act, 16, 18, 20, 38, 39 of ULA (P) Act, came to be registered in Police Station, Safakadal and investigation was set into motion. Subsequently, during investigation section 19 of ULA (P) Act was added and section 39 of ULA (P) Act, was dropped from the case; and
- 3. Whereas, during investigation, dead bodies of two terrorists identified as Junaid Ahmad Khan @ Sahraie S/o Mohammad Ashraf R/o Tekipora, Lolab A/P Gubarg Colony, Bhagat, Srinagar and Tariq Ahmad Sheikh S/o Ab. Ahad R/o Dangerpora, Pulwama were recovered from the encounter site along with arms/ammunition viz. 01 AK 56 rifle, 01 AK 56 Magazine, 23 AK rounds, 01 Pistol, 03 Pistol Magazines and 01 Pistol round; and
- 4. Whereas, during investigation, site plan of place of occurrence and seizure memos were prepared and statement of witnesses acquainted with the facts and circumstances of the case were recorded under the relevant provisions of law; and
- 5. Whereas, during investigation, it was established that on the date of occurrence the above terrorists were hiding in the residential house of one Noor Mohammad Sheikh S/o Gh. Mohammad Sheikh R/o Kani Mazar, Srinagar. Subsequently, the accused was arrested in connection with the case and it was established that the accused had voluntarily harboured the above terrorists in his residential house for carrying out the terrorists activities in the area; and
- 6. Whereas, the accused terrorists Junaid Ahmad Khan and Tariq Ahmad Sheikh have been killed in the encounter and proceedings under law shall abate against them; and
- 7. Whereas, on the basis of investigation, statement of witnesses recorded and other evidence collected, the Investigating Officer has *prima facie* established involvement of the below mentioned accused persons for commission of offences punishable under section as shown against each of Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967 :ô
- 8. Whereas, the Authority appointed by the Government under sub-section (2) of section 45 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention)

9. 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 the section 45 of ULA (P) Act, 1967, the Government is of the view that there is sufficient material and evidence available against the accused for his prosecution under the aforesaid provisions of law.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by subsection 2 of section 45 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967, the Government hereby accord sanction for launching prosecution against the above accused viz. Noor Mohammad Sheikh for the commission of offence punishable under section 19 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967, arising out of FIR No. 67/2020 of Police Station, Safakadal.

By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

(Sd.) R. K. GOYAL, IAS,

Financial Commissioner (Additional Chief Secretary),
Home Department.