

JAMMU AND KASHMIR OFFICIAL GAZETTE

PART I—B

Jammu and Kashmir Government-Notifications.

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GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR CIVIL SECRETARIATÔ DEPARTMENT OF FOOD, CIVIL SUPPLIES AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Notification

Srinagar, the 27th May, 2022.

SO-257.ô In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (b) of sub-section (3) of Section 42 of the Consumer Protection Act, 2019 (35 of 2019), the Government hereby appoint the following persons as the Members (Judicial and Non-Judicial) of the State Commission constituted vide S. O.-176 of 2022 dated 15-04-2022, to exercise powers and functions

Members (Judicial):

 Mrs. Nighat Sultana (Retd. District and Sessions Judge), W/o Mr. Mehmood Rana R/o 58B-AD, Green Belt, Gandhi Nagar, Jammu.

Members (Non-Judicial):

- 1. Mrs. Hema Choudhary D/o Ch. Vidya Sagar Gupta R/o Manda Hills, Jammu.
- 2. Mr. Maheep Gupta S/o Lt. Sh. R. S. Gupta, R/o 139-B, Sector-1A, South Extension, Trikuta Nagar, Jammu.

Terms and Conditions of the appointment of Members:

- (i) The terms of appointment shall be regulated by the Consumer Protection (Qualification for appointment, method of recruitment, procedure of appointment, term of office, resignation and removal of the President and members of the State Commission and District Commission) Rules, 2020, notified by GoI vide G. S. R. 452(e) dated 15th July, 2020.
- (ii) The salary and other terms and conditions of service shall be governed by rules notified by the Government of J&K vide S. O.-355 of 2021 dated 18th October, 2021.
- (iii) In case any of the information submitted by the appointed candidate(s) in the self declaration/undertaking or in any other form is found incorrect, or in case, the verification at any stage confirms that facts given by the candidate(s) were not correct, then the appointing authority shall cancel the appointment letter forthwith and appointing authority shall take other action as per provisions of the law, as deemed appropriate.
- (iv) The appointee shall report to the concerned **Divisional** Commissioner, within a period of twenty-one (21) days from the date of issuance of this notification, failing which it shall be presumed that the candidate is not interested and notification

of appointment in respect of him/her shall be deemed to have been cancelled *ab initio* without any further notice. Further, the respective **Divisional Commissioner** shall administer oath of office and oath of secrecy to the appointee, upon assuming the duties of the Commission.

(v) The appointments of the above candidate(s) shall be subject to outcome of writ petition(s), if any, pending before Competent Court of law.

By Order of Lieutenant Governor.

(Sd.) ZUBAIR AHMAD, JKAS,

Commissioner/Secretary to Government.