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PART I—B

Jammu and Kashmir Government—Notifications.

GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR
CIVIL SECRETARIATô HOME DEPARTMENT, J&K.

Notification

Jammu, the 8th December, 2022.

SO—663.— Whereas, on 29-06-2022, the Police Station, Sopore, received a docket to the effect that a Joint Naka was established by the Police/Security Forces at Chinara Crossing, Warpora and during checking

two persons while seeing the Naka Party tried to escape but were chased down on the spot and identified as Adnan Ashiq War S/o Ashiq Hussain War R/o Warpora and Zubair Ahmad Sofi S/o Abdul Ahad Sofi R/o Fatehgarh, Baramulla. During their personal search, the Police recovered 02 Pistols, 02 Magazines and 14 rounds from their possession respectively ; and

2. Whereas, based on the above, a case FIR No. 132/2022 under Section 7/25 Arms Act, 18, 23, 38 and 39 of ULA (P) Act, was registered in the Police Station, Sopore and the investigation of the case was set into motion. Subsequently, during the investigation, Section 39 of ULA (P) Act was dropped and Section 20 of ULA (P) Act was added in the case ; and 3. Whereas, during the investigation the site plan of the place of occurrence and the seizure memos were prepared and the statements of the witnesses acquainted with the facts and circumstances of the case were recorded under the relevant provisions of law ; and

4. Whereas, during the investigation, the accused viz. Adnan Ashiq War and Zubair Ahmad Sofi were found in contact with a terrorist of LeT banned outfit namely Adil Ahmad Denthoo S/o Ab. Rehman Denthoo R/o Gulabad, Arampora, Sopore, who provided the arms/ammunition to the accused in order to promote terrorist activities in the area ; and

5. Whereas, during the investigation, it was established that the accused Viz. Adil Ahmad Denthoo, was member of LeT banned outfit and the other accused viz. Adnan Ashiq War and Zubair Ahmad Sofi, were associates of the said terrorist organization and under a well knit criminal conspiracy procured arms/ammunition from the terrorist viz. Adil Ahmad Denthoo, for carrying out the terrorist activities in the area ; and

6. Whereas, on the basis of the investigation, the statement of the witnesses recorded and other evidence collected, the Investigating Officer, has established a *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.	Adnan Ashiq War S/o Ashiq Hussain War R/o Warpora, Sopore.	18, 23, 38 of ULA (P) Act.
2.	Zubair Ahmad Sofi S/o Abdul Ahad Sofi R/o Fategarh, Baramulla.	
3.	Adil Ahmad Denthoo S/o Ab. Rehman Denthoo R/o Gulabad, Arampora, Sopore.	18, 20 of ULA (P) Act.

7. Whereas, accused namely Adnan Ashiq War, has been found Juvenile during the investigation and in view of Section 1(4) of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015, the apprehension, detention, prosecution, penalty or imprisonment shall be governed by the said Act ; and

8. Whereas, the accused viz. Adil Ahmad Denthoo, being the active terrorist 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 Dairy 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 the powers conferred by Sub-Section (2) of the Section 45 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967, the Government hereby accord sanction for launching prosecution

against the accused viz. Zubair Ahmad Sofi and Adil Ahmad Denthoo, for the commission of offences punishable under the relevant sections of ULA (P) Act, as indicated against each accused at Para (6) above, arising out of FIR No. 132/2022 of Police Station, Sopore.

By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

(Sd.) R. K. GOYAL, IAS,
Financial Commissioner/
Additional Chief Secretary.