



**JAMMU AND KASHMIR**  
**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT**  
**JAMMU**

**LIST OF BUSINESS**  
**Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026**  
**(10:00 A.M.)**

**1. QUESTIONS**

**QUESTIONS** entered in a separate list to be asked and answers given.

**2. CALLING ATTENTION TO MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE**

- (I) **Justice Hasnain Masoodi**, to call the attention of Hon'ble Minister for Forest, Ecology and Environment towards a matter of urgent public importance namely; the situation arising out of widespread damage to saffron and agricultural fields in Letapora and adjoining areas due to porcupine (a wild animal) infestation, and similar damage caused by monkeys in Wahab Sahab, Pampore, resulting in significant loss to saffron and agricultural production, and the need for immediate remedial measures.
- (II) **Mr. Salman Ali Sagar**, to call the attention of Hon'ble Minister for Health and Medical Education towards a matter of urgent public importance namely; the situation arising out of non-functional status of the Mini Maternity-cum-Child Care Hospital (MCH), Zakoora, which despite substantial public investment, remains non-operational and has fallen into a dilapidated condition.
- (III) **Miss Devyani Rana**, to call the attention of the Hon'ble Minister for Jal Shakti towards a matter of urgent public importance namely; the situation arising out of increasing incidents of theft of transformers and allied Public Health Engineering (PHE) equipments being sold as scrap, resulting in public inconvenience and financial loss to the exchequer.
- (IV) **Sheikh Khursheed**, to call the attention of the Hon'ble Minister for Jal Shakti towards a matter of urgent public importance namely; the situation arising out of acute scarcity of drinking water in Magam, Nelipora and other areas of Handwara Division due to disconnection of water supply schemes on account of non-payment of dues, resulting in severe hardship to general public, particularly women and children.

- (v) **Mr. Irshad Rasool Kar**, to call the attention of the Hon'ble Chief Minister (Minister Incharge Housing and Urban Development) towards a matter of urgent public importance namely; the situation arising out of frequent rains, resulting in severe water logging, choking of drains, and the deteriorating condition of drainage infrastructure in Sopore town.

### **3. \*BILLS FOR CONSIDERATION AND PASSING**

- i. **JENAB OMAR ABDULLAH, HON'BLE CHIEF MINISTER**, to move that:-

"A Bill to amend certain enactments decriminalising and rationalizing offences for ease of living and ease of doing business and also to repeal certain enactments" (**L.A. Bill No.07 of 2026**) be taken into consideration.

**Also to move that the Bill be passed.**

- ii. **MS. SAKEENA MASOOD (ITOO) HON'BLE MINISTER** to move that:-

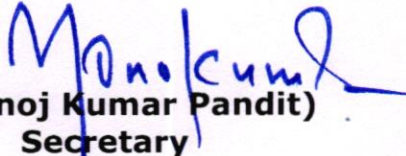
"A Bill to provide for the establishment and incorporation of Private Universities in the Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir, and to regulate their functioning, management, and academic standards for ensuring quality education and protecting the interests of students". (**L.A. Bill No. 08 of 2026**) be taken into consideration.

**Also to move that the Bill be passed.**

### **4. SHORT DURATION DISCUSSION**

**Mr. Pawan Kumar Gupta** to initiate discussion on privileges, dignity and protocol of the august House/Hon'ble Members.

**Jammu**  
**April 3<sup>rd</sup> , 2026**

  
**(Manoj Kumar Pandit)**  
**Secretary**

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\* The Bills have already been distributed on 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2026.

\* List of Amendment to Resolutions printed separately



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**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY SECRETARIAT**  
**JAMMU**

**LIST OF AMENDMENTS**

Amendments to:

**"The Jammu and Kashmir Jan Vishwas Second (Amendment of Provisions) Bill, 2026 (L.A. Bill No.07 of 2026)**

**MR. NIZAM-UD-DIN BHAT** to move:-

In Schedule to the above mentioned Bill, In Section 237 of the Jammu and Kashmir Municipal Act, 2000, the words **"in the case of a continuous breach with a further fine of one thousand Rupees for every day after the first conviction during which the breach continues"**, shall be substituted by the words, **"in the case of continuing breach with a further time of two thousand for every day as fine and imprisonment of one month, further fine of two thousands will commence from first conviction to continue till the breach continues"**.

**MR. BALWANT SINGH MANKOTIA** to move:-

In Schedule to the above mentioned Bill, In Section 113 of the Jammu and Kashmir Municipal Act, 2000, after the words, **"shall be liable to penalty of five thousand rupees and for second or subsequent violation of this provision he shall be liable to a penalty of ten thousand rupees"** the words **'and imprisonment which may extend to one month'** be added.

In Schedule to the above mentioned Bill, In sub-section 2 of Section 124 of the Jammu and Kashmir Municipal Act, 2000, the words, **"one thousand rupees"** and **"five hundred rupees"** shall be substituted by the words, **"five thousand rupees "** and **"one thousand rupees"** respectively.

In Schedule to the above mentioned Bill, In Section 16 of the Jammu and Kashmir Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1977, after the words, **"shall be liable to penalty of fine which may not be less than fifty thousand rupees, but may extend to one lakh rupees"** the words **"and imprisonment which may extend to three months"** be added.

**PIRZADA FAROOQ AHMAD SHAH** to move:-

In Schedule to the above mentioned Bill, In Section 111 of the Jammu and Kashmir Municipal Act, 2000, after the words, **"shall be liable to**

**penalty of two thousand rupees" the words "ensuring dignified burial and cremation of dead bodies " be added.**

In Schedule to the above mentioned Bill, In Section 133 of the Jammu and Kashmir Municipal Act, 2000, after the words, "**after the lapse of the period allowed**" the words "**and imprisonment which may extend to six months**" be added.

In Schedule to the above mentioned Bill, In Section 172 of the Jammu and Kashmir Municipal Act, 2000, after the words, "**shall be liable to penalty of two lakhs**" the words "**and imprisonment which may extend to six months**" be added.

**MR. TANVIR SADIQ** to move:-

In Schedule to the above mentioned Bill, In Section 133 of the of the Jammu and Kashmir Municipal Act, 2000, the words, "**with a further penalty of two thousand rupees for each day during which the violation is continued after the lapse of the period allowed**" shall be substituted by the words "**with a further penalty of five thousand rupees for each day during with the violation is continued after the lapse of the period allowed**"

In Schedule to the above mentioned Bill, In Sections 17,18 and 19 of the of the Jammu and Kashmir Handicrafts (Quality, control) Act, 1978, the words, "**shall be liable to a penalty of fifteen thousand rupees and twenty thousand rupees (wherever occurring)**" shall be substituted by the words,"

**"Shall be liable**

- (a) For the first contravention , to a penalty which may extend to ten thousand rupees**
- (b) For the second, to a penalty which may extend to fifty thousand rupees**
- (c) For any subsequent contravention, to a penalty which may extend to five lakh rupees"**

**Provided that where the contravention is a continuing one, an additional penalty which may extend to one thousand rupees for every day during which such contravention continues shall be imposed, subject to a maximum of fifty thousand rupees.**

In Schedule to the above mentioned Bill, In Section 21 of the of the Jammu and Kashmir Bricks kilns(regulation) Act,2010, the words "**fine which may not be less than fifty thousand rupees, but may extend to two lakh rupees**" shall be substituted by the words, "**fine which may extend to fifty thousand rupees for the first contravention and, in case of a second or subsequent contravention, may extend to five lakh rupees**"

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Amendment to:

**"The Jammu and Kashmir Private Universities Bill, 2026 (L.A. Bill No.08 of 2026)**

**MIR SAIFULLAH** to move:-

In clause (a) of section 4(2) the words, "**three years**" shall be substituted by the words, "**five years**"

In clause (g) of section 4(2) the words, "**thirty years**" shall be substituted by the words, "**ten years**"

At the end of sub-section (3) of Section 4, the punctuation mark **full stop(.)** shall be deleted and thereafter the words and punctuation mark, "**having certificate from the reputed financial Institution.**" be added

Clause (vii) of section 5(2) shall be substituted by the words, "All streams for study"

In Section 10, the following words be added at the end of the provision:-

**"Provided that five percent quota be reserved for BPL and AAY students under free quota"**

In Sub-section 2 of Section 42, the words, "**ten years**" be substituted by the words, "**three years**"

In Sub-section 2 of Section 44, the words, "in **consultation with the Government**" be added between the words, "**governing council**" and "**and notified**"

At the end of the Sub-section (1) of Section 45, punctuation mark **full stop (.)** be deleted and thereafter the words, "**and 5% of seats in every stream be reserved for BPL and AAY categories of the Union Territory as free quota for admission**" be added.

At the end of the Sub-section (2) of Section 47, punctuation mark **full stop (.)** be deleted and thereafter the words, "**besides for the PBL and AAY local students also**" be added.

At the end of the Sub-section (1) of Section 67, punctuation mark **full stop (.)** be deleted and thereafter the words, "**within the Union territory of Jammu and Kashmir**" be added.

**MR. NIZAM-UD-DIN BHAT** to move:-

In Section 4 (2) of the Bill, the following clause (k) be added:-

**"(k) Commits to Annual Audit by Comptroller and Auditor General or salaries to employees, resources and expenditure on the standards adopted by other universities."**

In Section 11 of the Bill, the words, "**existing branches in other universities or open similar branches to excel and distinguish**" be inserted between the words, "**as it may deem fit**" and "**and private university**"

**MR. BALWANT SINGH MANKOTIA** to move:-

In Section 45, the words, figures and punctuation mark, "**twenty five percent (25%)**" shall be substituted by the words, figures and punctuation mark, "**fifty percent (50%)**"

After sub-section 5 of Section 54, the following new sub-sections be added:-

"(6) **Not less than 75% of teachers/teaching faculty shall be domiciles of Union territory of Jammu and Kashmir.**

"(7) **Only the residents of J&K UT shall be eligible to be appointed as non-teaching staff in the private universities.**"

**PIRZADA FAROOQ AHMAD SHAH** to move:-

**Amendment In Section 4 of the Bill,**

In Sub-Section (3) of Section 4, After the words, "**good repute**" the words, "**besides having Land Ownership in order to ensure long viability**" be added

**Amendment of Section 5 of the Bill**

In Sub-Section (1) of Section 5, the words "**twenty five lakhs**" shall be substituted by the words "**fifteen lakhs**"

In Sub-Section (2) (xi) of Section 5, the words, "**concession, rebate**" shall be inserted between the words "**scholarship**" and "**and freeship**".

In Sub Section (2)(xii), the words "**in order to maintain quality standard**" shall be added at the end.

**Amendment of Section 11 of the Bill**

The following new Sub-Section (2) shall be added:-

(2) **to develop infrastructure for research, higher education, teaching, training, extension and outreach including continuing education, distance learning and e-learning to create capabilities for upgrading infrastructure to global standards.**

**Amendment of Section 12 of the Bill**

The following new Sub-sections shall be added:-

(26) **to create higher levels of intellectual abilities;**

(27) **to provide consultancy to the industry and public organisation;**  
**and**

(28) **to fix, demand and receive or recover fees and such other charges as may be prescribed by the statutes.**

**Amendment of Section 14 of the Bill**

In Section 14, the following new Sub-Section (3) shall be added:-

(3) **the degrees awarded must be equivalent to those in the Home Country and accredited to ensure quality.**

**MR. TANVIR SADIO** to move:-

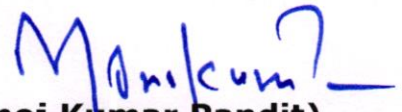
At the end of the Section 16 of the Bill, the punctuation mark full stop (.) be deleted and thereafter the following words be added:-

**"and such other reasonable regulation by the Regulatory Authority to ensure transparency, prevent profiteering, and safeguard the interests of students"**

At the end of Sub-section (3) of the Section 17 of the Bill, the punctuation mark (.) be deleted and thereafter the following words be added:-

**"and such report shall be laid before the Legislative Assembly of the Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir"**

Jammu  
April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2026

  
(Manoj Kumar Pandit)  
Secretary