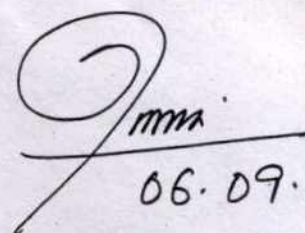


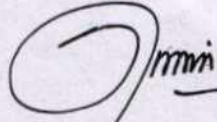


- persons, which was attested by Sh. Avtar Singh Jasrotia, presently posted as Tehsildar Kathua, then posted as Tehsildar, Jammu; and
3. Whereas, the DFO, Jammu has clearly reported that the said State land has remained in continuous possession of the Forest department for the last 40 years which fact was further substantiated during the process of land identification for IIT, Jammu. The same land was finally transferred to IIT, Jammu, by the Forest department vide its Order No. 41/FST of 2016 dated 11-2-2016; and
  4. Further whereas, the said land is recorded as "Gair Mumkin Jhad" in the revenue records; and
  5. Whereas, the provision under LB-6/C and S-432 clearly provide that *"such of the occupants of the State land only as had been in cultivating possession thereof in Kharief 1957 shall be granted proprietary right. The test is that land must be in cultivable possession and beneficiary must be enjoining continuous physical and cultivating possession on the land"*.
  6. Whereas, in the instant case the public servants have by abuse of their official position conferred proprietary rights upon Private persons in respect of uncultivable land (Gair Mumkin), which was also under the possession of Forest department; and
  7. Whereas, it is clear that the above said public servants have abused their official position and have exercised their powers against the interests of the State.

  
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8. As such, for the reasons aforesated, it is hereby ordered that Sh. Raj Singh, presently posted as Patwari Halqa, Sidhra, Tehsil Jammu (then posted as Patwari Halqa Jagti) is placed under suspension with immediate effect and is attached with the Deputy Commissioner's office, Jammu. Departmental enquiry shall be initiated against him immediately which shall be concluded as per the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in a reasonable time frame. ADC (Adm) shall get the chargesheet served upon the Patwari.
9. ADC(A) shall also write to Government and State Vigilance Organizational for initiating departmental and criminal action against the then Tehsildar, Jammu as the disciplinary authority for the same falls in the domain of Government.

  
06.09.2016  
**Simrandeep Singh, IAS**  
**Deputy Commissioner,**  
**Jammu**

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Copy to:-

1. Financial Commissioner, Revenue, J&K.
2. Divisional Commissioner, Jammu.
3. Addl. Deputy Commissioner (Adm), Jammu for information and necessary action.
4. Concerned Patwari for information and necessary action.
5. DIO, NIC for uploading.