

GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR
OFFICE OF THE TRANSPORT COMMISSIONER
MOTOR VEHICLES DEPARTMENT

RAIL HEAD COMPLEX, JAMMU (J&K-UT)

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Subject: Attachment of Sh. Ramesh Kumar Samotra, I/c ARTO Samba.

ORDER NO.: 118-TC of 2025

Dated: 19-08-2025

Whereas, this office has received information that Sh. Ramesh Kumar Samotra, I/c ARTO Samba, has not reported for duty since 9th August, 2025;

Whereas, upon enquiry from different sources, it has been revealed that the officer has neither attended the office nor participated in driving skill tests or vehicle fitness inspections since 9th August, 2025, and has remained on unauthorizedly absent;

Whereas, the continuous absence of the said officer from official duties has resulted in delays in the delivery of transport related services and routine office work, thereby causing inconvenience to the general public and particularly applicants for driving skill tests/ fitness inspections;

Whereas, the officer had previously been served show- cause/ explanation for similar conduct, vide No. TC/JK/MV/2025/7991 dated 25.02.2025;

Whereas, the officer appears to be habitual in demonstrating such conduct, which constitutes a violation of the standing instructions issued by this office and also in contravention of the J&K Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1956;

Now, therefore, in view of the above and pending enquiry into his conduct, Sh. Ramesh Kumar Samotra, I/c ARTO Samba, is hereby attached in the Office of the Transport Commissioner, J&K, Jammu, with immediate effect.

Consequent upon the above, Sh. Nasir Ahmed, JKAS, presently at the disposal of the RTO Jammu shall look after the charge of post of ARTO Samba till further orders. Besides, he shall continue to work as per

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order No. 108-TC of 2025 dated 04-08-2025 and shall furnish daily progress report to this office for timely completion of ICC Samba.

Sd/-
(Vishesh Paul Mahajan), JKAS
Transport Commissioner,
J&K, Jammu.
dated: 19-08-2025

No: TC/Jk/Estt/2025/ 3076-83

Copy to the:

1. Secretary to the Government, Transport Department, Civil Secretariat, Jammu for information.
2. Deputy Commissioner, Samba for information.
3. Regional Transport Officer, Jammu for information.
4. Private Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Minister for Food, Civil Supplies and Consumers Affairs, Transport, Science & Technology, Information Technology, Youth Services & Sports and ARI & Trainings for kind information of the Hon'ble Minister.
5. Shri Nasir Ahmed, JKAS, for compliance.
6. Shri Ramesh Kumar Samotra, I/C ARTO for information.
7. Pvt. Secretary to Transport Commissioner, J&K for the information of the Transport Commissioner.
8. Office Order file.

Vikas Anand
(Vikas Anand), JKAS
Joint Transport Commissioner
J&K, Jammu
19/8/25