

Government of Jammu and Kashmir
Home Department
 Civil Secretariat, Jammu/Srinagar

Subject : Temporary suspension of Telecom Services--confirmation regd

- References:**
- i) Order No. 1382(TSTS) of 2024 dated 03.11.2024 issued by ADGP, Jammu Zone, Jammu (Authorized Officer).
 - ii) Letter No. JZ/SNAP-Down/2024/1385-86 dated 03.11.2024 of ADGP, Jammu Zone, Jammu.

Government Order No: Home- 11(TSTS) of 2024

Dated: 04.11.2024


Whereas, the ADGP, Jammu Zone, Jammu being the Authorized Officer under the Temporary Suspension of Telecom Services (Public Emergency or Public Safety) Rules, 2017, has issued directions to the Telecom Service Providers (TSPs)/Internet Service Providers (ISPs) to suspend mobile data services (2G/3G/4G/5G & Public Wifi) on below mentioned locations showing Latitude and Longitude against each in District Kathua of Jammu Province w.e.f. 03.11.2024 (0930 HRS) to 03.11.2024 (1600 HRS).

Location	Latitude	Longitude
Northern Limit, Sadrana	32.7361111111	75.5386111111
Easter Limit, Sultrala	32.6522222222	75.5880555556
Southern Limit, Phinter	32.5825	75.5425
Western Limit, Laharl	32.665	75.5547222222

Whereas, the order/letter under reference, inter-alia, mentions about possibility of misuse of Mobile Data (2G/3G/4G/5G & public Wifi) by the anti-national elements/miscreants, which may cause deterioration in public order. It has been mentioned that there have been numerous occasions on which anti-national elements/miscreants have used social media platforms to spread fake news and inciting material, with the aim of creating disruption in public order.

Now, therefore, upon consideration of the various aspects, as brought out in the material provided by the Authorized Officer, I, Principal Secretary to Government Home Department, being satisfied that there was absolute necessity for issuance of the aforesaid directions by the Authorized Officer, without obtaining prior approval of the Competent Authority, in the interest of sovereignty and integrity of India, the security of the State/UT and for maintaining public order, hereby confirm Order No. 1382(TSTS) of 2024 dated 03.11.2024, under endorsement No. JZ/CS/Snap-down/2024/1383-84 dated 03.11.2024 issued by the Authorized Officer, in exercise of powers conferred under sub-Rule (1) of Rule 2 of the Temporary Suspension of Telecom Services (Public Emergency or Public Safety) Rules, 2017.

By Order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.


 (Chandraker Bharti) IAS
 Principal Secretary to the Government
 Home Department
 Dated: 04.11.2024

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1. Chief Secretary
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3. Secretary to Government
Department of Law and Justice and Parliamentary Affairs.

For further necessary action in terms of sub-rule (5) of Rule 2 of the Temporary Suspension of Telecom Services (Public Emergency or Public Safety) Rules, 2017 and Government Order No. Home-02(TSTS) of 2020 dated 14.07.2020.