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OFFICE OF THE EXCISE COMMISSIONER, J&K
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Subject: Declaration of 'Dry Day' in the UT of Jammu & Kashmir.

Reference: File No: ECJK-Adm/3/2024 (CC 7395348).

ORDER NO.: 22 - EC of 2024

DATED: 21-01-2024

In terms of the *sub-rule 10 of rule 38 of the Jammu & Kashmir Liquor License and Sale Rules, 1984*, '**Dry Day**' is hereby declared on the **22nd day of January, 2024** in the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir. No sale of liquor shall be allowed from the retail vends (off and on premises) on this day in the Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir.

All wine shops/vends off-premises shall close at 9:00 PM on 21st January, 2024 and shall re-open at 9:00 AM on 23rd January, 2024; and vends (on-premises)/Bars in Hotels/Restaurants/Clubs/Banquets etc. shall close at 11:00 PM on 21st January, 2024 and shall re-open at 10:00 AM on 23rd January, 2024.

Further, permission to serve liquor on social occasions (if any) granted for 22nd January, 2024 in favour of any premise or private person be treated as cancelled *abinitio*.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Excise Commissioner, J&K

No.: EC/Exc/Misc/6869-75

Dated: 21-01-2024

Copy to the:

1. Special Secretary in the O/o the Chief Secretary for kind information of Worthy Chief Secretary.
2. Deputy Excise Commissioner (Executive), Jammu/Kashmir for immediate compliance.
3. Private Secretary to the Principal Secretary to the Government, Finance Department for kind information of the Principal Secretary.
4. Private Secretary to the Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor, J&K for kind information of the Principal Secretary.
5. Private Secretary to the Commissioner/Secretary to the Government, General Administration Department for kind information of the Commissioner/Secretary.
6. All Excise & Taxation Officers, for strict compliance.
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