

TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT UT LADAKH:

VISION:

"Enabling people of the UT to avail safe, efficient and affordable transport services with enhanced connectivity commensurate with the socio-eco development of the UT."

The Transport Department is charged with the responsibility of looking after the functioning of Motor Vehicle Department, UT Ladakh, UT Motor Garages and J&K Road Transport Corporation. The department of Transport has a clear vision of providing quality services in the area of transport to the citizens of all the geographical locations at a reasonable and affordable cost and for this the department has adopted policies/programmes commensurate with the needs in various sectors of the economy. The department is making all efforts to improve the road safety and ensuring that only trained drivers and mechanically fit vehicles ply on the roads thus minimizing any chance of a road accident and pollution. The department is also keeping an eye on the increasing fare at which the private transporters tend to run commercial vehicles and for this State Transport Authority is saddled with the responsibility of fare fixation periodically in consultation with public representatives and private vehicle owners and thereby exercise control on otherwise demands for exorbitant increase in the bus fares.

All activities relating to decision making pertaining to Transport are being carried out in transport Secretariat. The administrative department issues Instructions, Orders, Notifications, Guidelines, etc. makes policies, spells out objectives to the field functionaries for the delivering of public services in an efficient manner. The following are briefly the main functions of the transport department.

Mission:

- Implementation of Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 and Rules.
- Implementation of Ladakh e-vehicle policy, 2022.
- Framing of policies aiming at Road Safety and efficient transport management in the UT.
- To implement the schemes for computerization of the working of the Transport Department and safe keeping of records and quick verification system.
- Data collection and analysis for an efficient management of transport system in the UT.
- Creating public awareness among Stake holders including Drivers, Motor Vehicle Inspectors, Checking Squads and general public in respect of Road Safety and passenger care.
- Operation of Passenger Welfare Fund and quick response system for the benefit of affected people in road accidents.
- Legal action/prosecution of cases registered against the violators of law, pertaining to violations of Motor Vehicles Act and Rules.
- Collection of fees, fines, rates, taxes etc. in the course of performing of all the above functions.
- Monitoring and review of utilization of funds, both plan and non-plan.
- Evaluating the outcomes of schemes for their constant improvement.
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Functions of Motor Vehicles Department:

The department is charged with the responsibility of administering of Motor Vehicles Act through regulatory and enforcement mechanism. Motor Vehicles Department deals with the following main subject: -

Functions of Commissioner/Secretary, Transport Department.

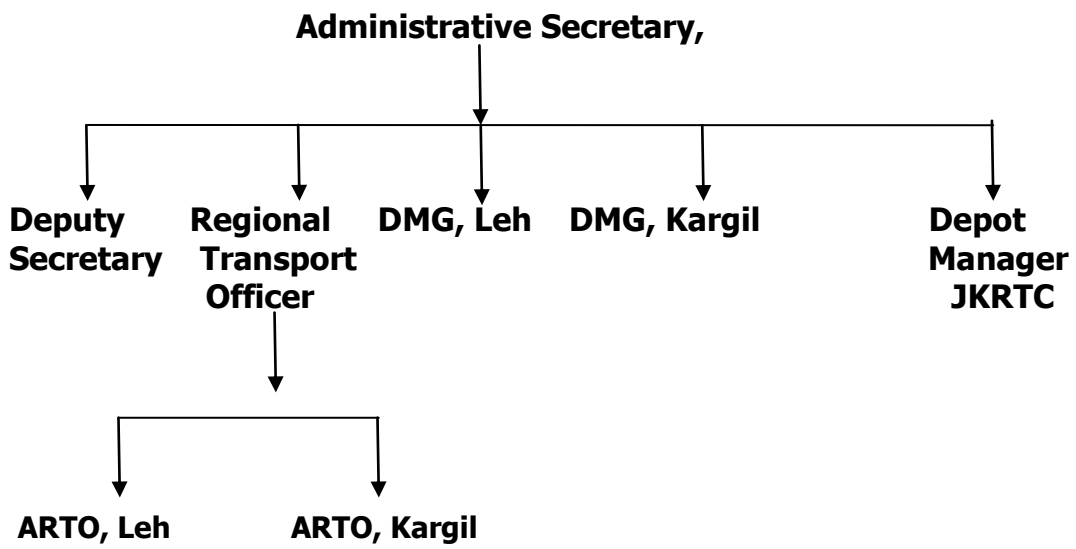
1. To implement and administer the provisions of the Motor Vehicle Act and Ladakh e-vehicle Policy 2022.
2. To act as State Transport Authority to coordinate and regulate the activities of the Regional Transport Authority.
3. Coordinate Road Safety Measures.
4. Fixation of fare and freight

Functions of Regional Transport Officer:

There is one Regional Transport Officer in UT Ladakh

1. To monitor & regulate all the activities of transport services, registration of vehicles, issuance of Driving Licenses, Permits of different types, Registration of Motor and Goods Transport Companies etc.
2. To act as an agency for collection of transport taxes like road tax, licenses permit fees and fines etc.
3. To act as controlling officers over the ARTOs of the UT.
4. To monitor and exercise control over the transport services in their respective jurisdiction.
5. To act as member secretary to the State Transport Authority for regulating transport by issuance of permits.
6. To act as Registration Authority for registration of vehicles.
7. To act as Licensing Authorities for issuance of Driving Licences.
8. To Act as Licensing Authorities for issuance of Licence to Driving Schools
9. To act as Registering Authority for grant of Trade Certificates to Motor Vehicles dealers
10. To conduct survey of new routes and fix time table and trips for different passenger services in the region
11. To conduct surprise inspections to check violations of Motor Vehicle Act
12. To collect token tax (Road Tax) and various fees prescribed in the Act & Rules
13. Introduction of New Type of Vehicles in the Transport System of J&K State
14. Grant/renewal of permits and registration certificates
15. Issue/renewal of driving licenses
16. Registration of Pollution Checking Centers
17. Issue/renewal of fitness certificates in respect of commercial/non-commercial vehicles.
18. Grant of conductor's license.

❖ Organizational Chart:



Who's who

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I. Departmental Wings:

❖ District Level offices:

1. Assistant Regional Transport Officer, Leh.
2. Assistant Regional Transport Officer, Kargil.
3. District Motor Garages, Leh.
4. District Motor Garages, Kargil.
5. Depot Manager, JKRTC

❖ Subordinate office

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II. Document:

Acts & Rules:

J&K Motor Vehicles Act, 1988.
Central Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989.

Guidelines:

Following are the Guidelines for Road Users

Road Traffic Accidents, Causes & Preventions

Types of Road Accidents:

- Longitudinal - Collision Accidents.
- Transversal -Collision Accidents.
- Skid-on-Road Accidents.

Causes of Road Traffic Accidents:

- Error of Driver.
- Surrogate driving.
- Over-loading/Over-speeding.
- Absence of traffic control devices.
- Absence of traffic police personal for regulation of traffic on important & crucial junctions.
- Absence of parapet walls, crash barriers, road signs etc.

- Poor road engineering and Bad Road conditions.

Prevention of Road Traffic Accidents:

- Ban on use of Mobile phones while driving a vehicle.
- Use of seat belts & protective headgears (Helmets).
- Establishment of authorized service stations in rural/hilly areas.
- Regulation of services on effective time table to avoid missing of services.
- Checking of over-loading/over-speeding and other violations and strict enforcement of traffic laws.
- Organizing of Road safety programmes by involving District Administration, Educational Institutions, NGOs, Transport association and Drivers etc.
- Entrusting of Investigation & Prosecution of road accidents by Traffic Police and strict action against delinquent responsible traffic personal

Road Traffic Accident Management:

- Establishment of Trauma units.
- Establishment of call help centre.
- Establishment of Quick Rescue Teams (QRTs).
- Creation of Passenger Welfare Fund/Corpus Fund.
- Constitution of Road Safety Councils.

Notifications:

S.O._08 of 2021 dated 26.03.2021

S.O._37 of 2022 dated 01.04.2022

S.O._90 of 2022 dated 05.08.2022

S.O._100 of 2022 dated 22.08.2022

❖ **Orders**

Order No.01 of 2022 dated 04.01.2022- regarding sanction for purchase of vehicles

Order No.09 of 2022 dated 17.08.2022- regarding Ladakh e- vehicle policy

❖ **Circular & Notices:**

❖ **Recruitment**

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❖ **Seniority list**

III. Services:

❖ **Schemes**

Ladakh e-vehicle policy

❖ **Citizen Services:**

- E-transport application like VAHAN/SARATHI.
- M-Parivahan, I-RAD etc.

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- ❖ Disclosure of Information under Section 4

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<http://www.parivahan.nic.in/>

Rural Development & Panchayati Raj Department

X. ABOUT DEPARTMENT:

❖ Brief information of the Department:

The Rural Development Department in the UT of Ladakh is playing a vital role for poverty alleviation and providing rural infrastructures. The Department implement the most prestigious scheme Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA), which provides 100 days guaranteed manual employment to every eligible household in a year.

Under State Sector (Capex), the department besides other activities is providing all weather road connectivity to every villages/hamlet and also sustainable approach paths by fixing of interlocking tiles.

Public libraries for every Gram Panchayat have been/are being provided under the State Sector Capex Budget. Procurement of books for competitive exams, General Knowledge, Catalogues and brochures are underway.

Public Park and Public Sarais have been constructed under the scheme. Rural Development Department provides village Solar Street Lights for which ₹440.00 lakh have been approved in the Annual Action Plan, 2022-23.

Under Special Development Package (SDP) the department has constructed office buildings for the Chairperson, Block Development Councils, Sarpanches and Block Development Officers with provision of drinking water facilities and electricity facilities in all these buildings.

As a part of all round development and to meet out the demand of the local inhabitants, construction of Common Facilities Centre (CFCs), marriage hall, community hall, ice hockey rinks, playfield, Solid Waste Management Unit, irrigation khuls, tanks have been constructed under Special Development Plan.

Further, the department is actively implementing a series of schemes under District Plan and other departmental schemes for betterment of rural population.

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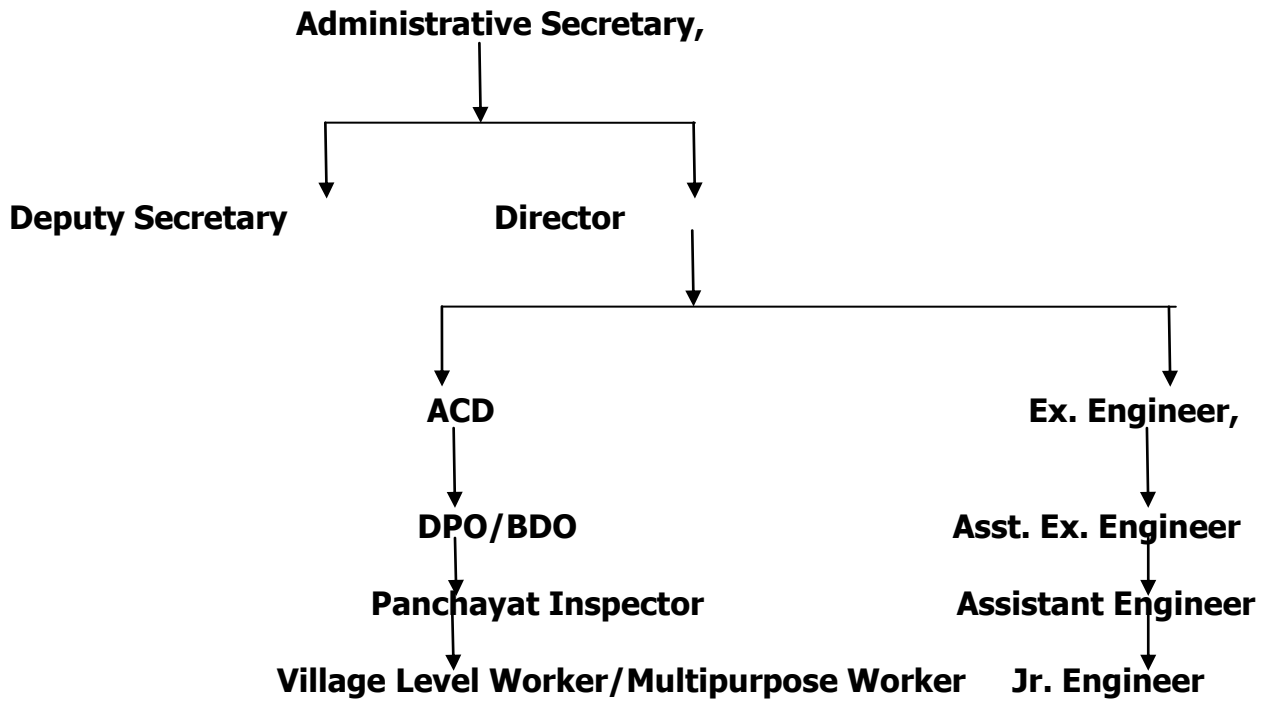
Completion of ongoing schemes and focusing the left-out village in the developmental spheres is the top priority of the department.

The Government of India is signatory and committed towards achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and taking forward the UN Global Agenda 2030 of inclusive development. Further, taking India's commitment seriously and transform this Global Concept into Local Context and Practices, the Ministry of Panchayati Raj (MoPR) adopted nine thematic approaches by grouping together 17 SDGs to localize Sustainable Development Goals (LSDGs) through Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs) at the grassroots level by 2030 in a mission mode. The nine themes are as under: -

1. Poverty free & enhancing livelihoods village
2. Healthy village
3. Child friendly village
4. Water sufficient village

5. Clean and Green village
6. Self-sufficient infrastructure in Village
7. Socially secured village
8. Village with good governance and
9. Engendered development in village.

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2.	BDO, Sodh
3.	BDO, Drass

4.	BDO,Bhimbat
5.	BDO,Shargole
6.	BDO, Pashkum
7.	BDO,Lotchum
8.	BDO,Shakarchiktan
9.	BDO,TSG
10.	BDO,Sankoo
11.	BDO,Barsoo
12.	BDO,Taisuru
13.	BDO,Zanskar
14.	BDO,Lungnak
15.	BDO,Karsha
16.	BDO,Leh
17.	BDO,Nimoo
18.	BDO,Saspol
19.	BDO,Khaltsi
20.	BDO,Skurbuchan
21.	BDO,Singaylalok
22.	BDO,Chuchot
23.	BDO,Thiksay
24.	BDO,Kharu
25.	BDO,Rong-Chumathang
26.	BDO,Rupsho-Puga
27.	BDO,Nyoma
28.	BDO,Durbuk
29.	BDO,Diskit
30.	BDO,Turtuk
31.	BDO,Panamik

❖ **Subordinate office**

Director, Rural Development

Assistant Commissioner Development, Leh

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District panchayat Officer, Kargil
Executive Engineer, REW, Leh
Executive Engineer, REW, Kargil
Block Development offices

XII. Document:

Acts & Rules: Panchayati Raj Act & MGNREGA

Guidelines: NRLM Guidelines/Modules

IWMP Guidelines/WDC-PMKSY-2.0
Solid/Plastic Waste Management Rules
Block Development Council Fund
Grant-in-Aid
Swachh Bharat Mission -Grameen (SBM-G)
Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana-Grameen (PMAY-G)
Rashtriya Grameen Swaraj Abhiyan (RSGA)

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