Sher-e-Kashmir
University of Agricultural Sciences & Technology of Kashmir
Main Campus Shalimar Srinagar - 190025

University Order No. 760 (Est.) of 2026
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Sanction is hereby accorded to the constitution of a Steering Committee comprising of the following to formulate a comprehensive policy framework for the revival and sustenance of Sericulture Sector in the UT of Jammu & Kashmir, for submission to the Government of Jammu & Kashmir for consideration:

1.	Prof. Nazir Ahmad Ganai, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, SKUAST-Kashmir	Chairman
2.	Prof. Mushtaq Rasool Mir, Associate Dean, College of Temperate Sericulture, SKUAST-K, Mirgund	Member
3.	Director General, Sericulture Development Department, J&K	Member
4.	Dr. N. Sakthivel, Director CSR&TI, Central Silk Board, Ministry of Textiles, GoI, Pampore, J&K	Member
5.	Dr. Seetharamula, Director APSSRDI, Anadhra Pradesh	Member
6.	Prof. A.R. Trag, Ex-Vice Chancellor, IUST, J&K	Member
7.	Prof. Afifa S. Kamili, Ex Director Extension, SKUAST-Kashmir	Member
8.	Dr. K.A. Sahaf, Professor-cum-Chief Scientist & Ex-Associate Dean, College of Temperate Sericulture, SKUAST-K, Mirgund	Member
9.	Prof. Farooq Ahmad Malik, Ex-Director General, Sericulture Development Department, J&K	Member
10.	Dr. S.B. Dandin, Ex-Vice Chancellor, University of Horticultural Sciences, Bagalkot, Karnataka and Ex-Director CSB, Ministry of Textiles, GoI	Member
11.	Mr. G.N. Mir, Additional Director, Sericulture Development Department Kashmir, J&K	Member
12.	Dr. Sajad Hassan Baba, Professor-cum-Chief Scientist (CAS), School of Agri. Economics & Horti. Business Management, FoH, Shalimar	Member
13.	Dr. Nisar Ahmad Ganai, Prof. & Head, Division of Sericulture Crop Improvement, CoTS, SKUAST-K, Mirgund	Member
14.	Dr. Irfan Latief Khan, Prof. & Head, Division of Cocoon Crop Production, CoTS, SKUAST-K, Mirgund	Member
15.	Dr. Aftab Shabnum, Scientist D, CSR&TI, Central Silk Board, Ministry of Textiles, GoI, Pampore, J&K	Member
16.	Dr. Shabir Ahmad Bhat, Professor-cum-Chief Scientist (CAS), DCCI, CoTS, SKUAST-K, Mirgund	Member
17.	Dr. Khursheed Ahmad Dar, Professor-cum-Chief Scientist, Division of Cocoon Crop Production, CoTS, SKUAST-K, Mirgund	Member Secretary

18.	Dr. Aabid Khaliq Tantray, Assistant Professor-cum-Junior Scientist, DSPS, CoTS, SKUAST-K, Mirgund	Member
19.	Mr. Majid Hayat, Silk Industrialist, J&K	Member
20.	Mr. Inayat Ahmad Dar, Progressive Farmer, Chainabal, Mirgund	Member

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- All Officers of the University
- Director Information Technology, SKUAST-K, Shalimar for placing the Order on University website.
- Associate Dean, College of Temperate Sericulture, Mirgund. This bears reference to his proposal No. AU/CoTS/DCCP/2026/2576 date 22.10.2026.
- All concerned
- Secretary to Vice-Chancellor for kind information of Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor SKUAST-K, Shalimar
- University Order File (w.3.s.c.).

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