

Conference on Jal Shakti and Disaster Management

The Regional conference on Jal Shakti and Disaster Management was organized by the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG) in collaboration with Governments of Tamil Nadu and Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh during 30th November to 1st December 2019 at Jammu.

The Ministry of Earth Sciences, Government of India, released a special issue of 'Minimum Government Maximum Governance', an e-magazine based on successful innovations in governance in the Union Territories of Jammu and Kashmir and Ladakh and the integration of CPGRAM Public Grievance Portal of Government of India and Awaaz-e-Awam Portal of Jammu & Kashmir. The main objective of the event was to discuss how to develop systems for the Rejuvenation of Rivers- Cauvery and Jhelum'.

'Dr. Mrutyunjay Mohapatra, DG, IMD, Ministry of Earth Sciences delivered a talk on Forecasting & Early Warning' while a talk on 'Emergency Responses' was delivered by the Principal Secretary and Commissioner Revenue Administration and Disaster Management, Govt. of Tamil Nadu. During the Valedictory Session, Sh. Farooq Khan, IPS and Adviser to Lt. Governor, J&K applauded Dr. Mohapatra for accurate early warning services associated with various weather events, in particular cyclones that have helped save thousands of lives.

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