

Clarification issued by Chief Secretary regarding speculative media reports

Chief Secretary, UT Ladakh, Mr. Ashish Kundra, IAS, has said that speculative media reports give a negative slant to the ongoing talks of HPC in Delhi.

While clarifying once again that the talks with ABL and KDA were wholesome and constructive, he has stated that the Government is committed to a process of democratic consultation which involves all stakeholders of Ladakh.

'I would like to appeal to the people of Ladakh and all stakeholders to abjure from speculative rumour mongering. The intent of the Government is to find a resolution to the democratic aspirations of Ladakh in a fair and judicious manner, keeping the long-term interests of the residents in mind,' the Chief Secretary added.