

**Govt. of Jammu and Kashmir,
Office of the Chief Education Officer Ramban**
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Subject: Suspension of official(s) and Constitution of Inquiry committee thereof.

ORDER

Whereas, a serious incident has come to the notice of the undersigned wherein a student was reportedly found locked inside the premises of Govt. Middle School, Krawah, Zone Banihal on 04-07-2026 at 20:00 hrs, well before the commencement of the summer breaks, thereby reflecting prima facie gross negligence and dereliction of duty on the part of the staff responsible for the safety and supervision of the students;

Whereas, such an incident has the potential to endanger the life and safety of students;

Now, therefore, pending enquiry, and in terms of Rule 31 of the Jammu and Kashmir, Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1956, all employees of Govt. Middle School, Krawah, Zone Banihal are hereby placed under suspension, with immediate effect. During the suspension period they shall remain attached at Govt. Middle School, Krawah, Zone Banihal till further orders.

It is further ordered that a committee comprising of following officers shall ascertain the facts and circumstances leading to the incident and fix responsibility on part of the officials found responsible for the lapse and recommend appropriate action:

Constitution of the Committee:

1. Principal, HSS Girls Banihal.
2. Zonal Education Officer, Banihal.
3. Headmaster, High School, Bankoot.

The Committee shall conduct a thorough and impartial inquiry into the matter and submit a detailed report alongwith comments and recommendations to this office within three days positively.


Chief Education Officer,
Ramban

No: CEO/R/2026/ 7658-63

Dated: 5-7-2026

Copy to the:

1. District Development Commissioner, Ramban, for favour of information.
2. Director, School Education, Jammu, for favour of information.
3. Principal, HSS Girls Banihal / ZEO Banihal / Headmaster, High School, Bankoot, for information and necessary action.
4. Headmaster, Govt. Middle School, Krawah, for information and necessary action.
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