SONAMARG DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

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ADVISORY

In view of the unfortunate incident at Thajiwas Glacier, Sonamarg in which two school children of a private school got misplaced on 06-09-2018, who were subsequently traced by the local police of Sonamarg, the following advisory is issued in order to avoid such kind of incidents in future:-

- The Management of the school on picnic shall approach the local Police Station, Sonamarg before they permit their students to proceed towards Thajiwas Glaciers, Sarbal and Lashpatri, so that the local police remain apprised of their movements.
- The number of trekkers visiting towards Vishansar, Gangbal and adjoining areas with proper permission from competent Authority should also be enrolled in local police station before they proceed for trekking.
- 3. Minor age students shall not be allowed to these adventure expeditions.
- 4. All the trekkers shall necessarily be fully equipped with Tents/cloths, food items/ drinking water, first Aid etc. before they proceed for trekking.
- 5. The timing of visiting Thajiwas Glaciers, Sarbal, Lashpatri and adjoining areas will be from 9:00 Am to 6:Pm for all visitors/trekkers/students, in view of movement of wild animals reportedly, during the daytime also.
- In case of any help, please feel free to contact the Sonamarg Development Authority helpline No: 6005200335.

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Copy to the:-

- 1. Chief Executive Officer, SDA for favour of information
- 2. Accounts Officer, SDA for information.
- 3. S.H.O. Sonamarg for information and necessary action.