



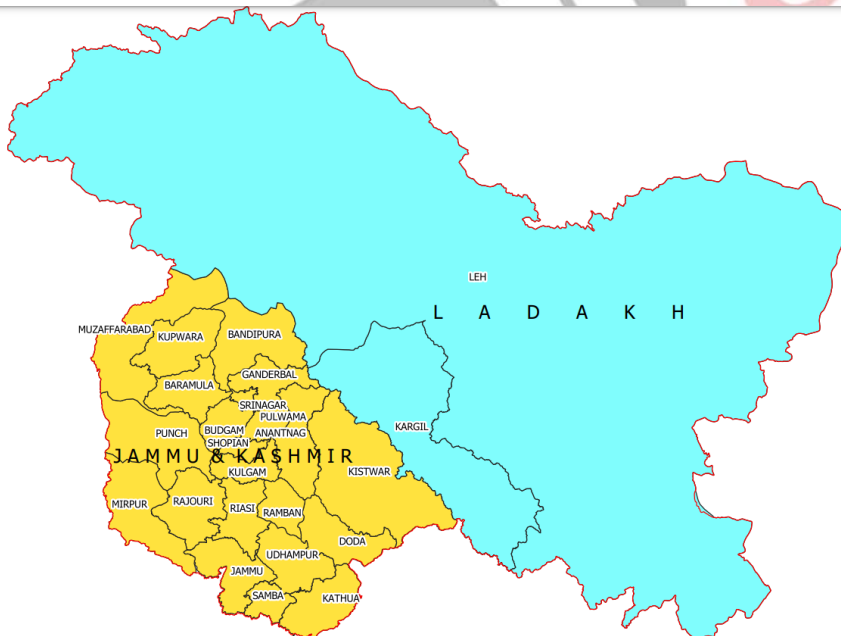
First Chief Minister of J&K UT Takes Charge

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Recently, **Omar Abdullah** of the National Conference was sworn in as the **Chief Minister of the UT (union territory) of Jammu and Kashmir**.

- **Oath of Office:** As per **Article 164(3)**, the CM and other ministers are administered the **oath of office by the [Governor \(or LG in Union Territories\)](#)**.
 - The oath **signifies allegiance to [the Constitution](#)** and the discharge of duties in accordance with the law.
- Omar Abdullah is the **first CM of the UT to assume office** following the **[abrogation of Article 370](#)** and Jammu and Kashmir's transition from a state to a **[Union Territory](#)** in 2019.
- **President's Rule Revoked:** Following the election results, **[President's Rule](#)** was revoked in J&K.
 - **President's Rule: Article 356** of the Constitution allows the President to impose direct **governance (President's Rule) in a state/Uts** when the state government is unable to function as per constitutional provisions.

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