

## J&K Integrity Pledge | Jammu & Kashmir | 30 Oct 2024

## Why in News?

Recently, J&K Chief Minister led an integrity pledge as part of <u>Vigilance Awareness Week</u> to reinforce anticorruption efforts.

## **Key Points**

- Commitment to Transparency:
  - Chief Minister emphasized a corruption-free Jammu & Kashmir through reforms, strict oversight, and citizen empowerment, aligning with the Vigilance Week theme of "Culture of Integrity for Nation's Prosperity."
- Widespread Participation:
  - The pledge involved ministers, secretariat officials, and district-level leaders, with additional ceremonies held across departments to ensure full administrative support for integrity in governance.
- Mission for Ethical Governance:
  - CM reinforced his government's goal to prioritize public welfare, stressing a governance model that focuses on transparency, efficient resource use, and integrity-driven decisionmaking.

## **Vigilance Awareness Week**

- The <u>Central Vigilance Commission</u> (CVC) observes the Week every year during the week in which the birthday of <u>Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel</u> (31<sup>st</sup> October) falls.
- **Objective**: It affirms India's commitment to the promotion of integrity and probity in public life through citizen participation and reiterates Government's resolve to continue the crusade against corruption.

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