

REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY -2025**Former J&K Chief Minister Dr. Farooq Abdullah Graces Ramadan Humanitarian Initiative by Human Aid Society & Islamic Research and Development Trust, Jammu.**

Jammu-5th Feb 2026. In anticipation of the blessed month of Ramadan 2026, Human Aid Society formally launched its special Ramadan (Sehri & Iftar) Assistance Project today from Maka Masjid, Bhatindi, Jammu, in collaboration with the Islamic Research and Development Trust (IRDT). The initiative is being implemented with the financial support of the renowned international humanitarian organization Muslim Aid Austria (MAA).

Under this large-scale humanitarian program, nearly 2,700 underprivileged families, comprising approximately 13,500 individuals, will receive essential food supplies for Sehri and Iftar before the start of Ramadan, enabling them to observe the holy month with dignity and food security.

The organization aims to complete the entire distribution drive Insha'Allah, before Ramadan begins. Human Aid Society will spend approximately ₹80 lac on this project. The inaugural ceremony was graced by **Former Chief Minister of Jammu & Kashmir and senior national leader Dr. Farooq Abdullah *as the Chief Guest who also serves as President of the Islamic Research and Development Trust, Maka Masjid**. The event witnessed the presence of several prominent personalities from different walks of life, including former bureaucrats, educationists, and social activists. Among those present were Mr. A.B. Majeed Malik (Vice Chairman, IRDT), Mr. Bashir Ahmad Mir (Chairman, Human Aid Society), Mr. Jamaat Ali (President, Maka Masjid), and Mr. Ghulam Ahmad Khwaja (Former Deputy Commissioner and Head of Human Aid Society Jammu Region).

During the event, Former Deputy Commissioner Mr. Ghulam Ahmad Khwaja delivered the welcome address. On the occasion,

Chairman and Founder of Human Aid Society, Mr. Bashir Ahmad Mir, briefed the audience about the organization's ongoing humanitarian services and community welfare initiatives. He expressed gratitude to the Islamic Research and Development Trust for their cooperation, which made the joint program possible and ensured the participation of Dr. Farooq Abdullah.



While addressing the gathering, Mr. Mir also highlighted several important public issues before Dr. Farooq Abdullah. These included the establishment of Social Welfare offices at newly created tehsil headquarters, provision of free timber to families affected by fire incidents, and reforms in certain banking procedures where loan renewals are processed without the consent of guarantors often placing them in financial distress.



In his address, Dr. Farooq Abdullah highly praised the humanitarian efforts of Human Aid Society, stating that despite personal hardships, the founder chose to dedicate his life to serving humanity, an effort worthy of deep appreciation. He also commended the volunteers and members of the organization for continuing their mission of service despite difficult circumstances.

Terming the issues raised by the Chairman as important and genuine, Dr. Abdullah assured the gathering that he would take up these matters with Jammu & Kashmir Chief Minister Mr. Omar Abdullah and would personally approach the concerned ministers at the government level.

Dr. Abdullah appealed to the public to channel their Zakat, Sadaqah, and charitable donations toward credible welfare organizations so that more deserving families can be supported. He also appreciated the management of Maka Masjid and the Islamic Research and Development Trust for expanding the mosque infrastructure through community support and for utilizing donations with honesty and transparency.

At the conclusion of the event, relief kits were distributed among vulnerable groups including widows, orphans, elderly individuals, and families living in extreme poverty. In this initial phase, assistance was distributed to 105 families comprising 537 individuals. The initiative was widely appreciated as a strong example of compassion, social responsibility, and community solidarity.



RAMDAN 2026 FOOD KITS PROJECT CONCLUSION.

“Sharing the Blessings of Ramadan, Compassion Reaching Hearts Through Your Generosity”

With the arrival of Ramadan 2024, Human Aid Society extended food assistance across Jammu & Kashmir to support 2,000 highly deserving families, **enabling them to prepare Iftar and Sehri with dignity during the sacred month.** This humanitarian effort was made possible through the generous financial support of Muslim Aid Australia. Acting as the local implementing partner, the Society carried out extensive field assessments to identify the most vulnerable households and ensured that essential supplies reached them in time for Ramadan.

The programme’s success was shaped by the tireless commitment of dedicated volunteers and officials, including Wahid majeed Ganie, Mushtaq Ahmad Mir, Shamsudin Lone, Safeer Ahmad, Showkat Ahmad Mir, Mashood Ahmad, Mohammad Sultan Bhatt, Farooq Ahmad Ganie, Mehraj -U-din Ganie, Manzoor-ul-Haq, Mohammad Younis, Riyaz Ahmad, Mohmad Ashraf Dar and Rafia Rashid, who played a leading role in coordinating volunteers and streamlining distribution logistics. Their work was guided by the **sincere leadership of General Secretary Er. Mohammad Sadiq Bhatt, Vice Chairman Ghulam Mohammad Sofi, Treasurer Ghulam Din Wani, and Senior Executive Member Mohammad Yousuf Khan,** whose collective dedication ensured smooth and transparent execution.

The programme was formally flagged off at Government High School Dewaan Bagh by **Additional Deputy Commissioner Syed Altaf** in the presence of the Society’s Vice Chairman and senior members. Distribution in District Bandipora concluded at GHSS Bandipora under the supervision of the General Secretary, accompanied by District Coordinator Ghulam Mohammad Lone, Senior Executive Member Mohammad Yousuf Khan, and volunteer Mohammad Shaban. Another key concluding phase was held at Sanatorium Public School Lalad Sopore, attended by Patron Haji Karamat Qayoom and Chairman Bashir Ahmad Mir. Earlier, the spirit of this initiative was reflected at an **inaugural gathering attended by former Chief Minister Farooq Abdullah,** symbolising wider institutional encouragement for humanitarian service.



The outreach was strengthened through collaboration with governmental bodies, community groups, and partner organisations that helped identify deserving beneficiaries, including Islamic Relief & Research Trust, Makkah Masjid Jammu, Yateem Foundation Srinagar, Shahlat Foundation (Ganderbal & Kupwara), Able Foundation Hajin, Sumbal, Al-Noor Yateem Trust Srinagar, Sky Trust, Alfalah Yateem Trust Singhpora, IFF Khan sahib Budgam, as well as numerous local mohalla and mosque committees whose voluntary support reflected the true spirit of compassion.



Through this initiative, the organisation supported 2,000 families comprising approximately 8,500 individuals an effort warmly appreciated by the communities served. With continued financial backing from Muslim Aid Australia, the Society is preparing Insha'Allah, to assist an additional 700 deserving families (around 2,850 individuals) on the occasion of the upcoming Eid-ul-Fitr, for which beneficiary selection has already been finalised.

Although Chairman Bashir Ahmad Mir was outside the state on organisational responsibilities during this period, he expressed heartfelt appreciation for the volunteers whose commitment ensured the programme's success in his absence and conveyed sincere gratitude to all members and office bearers for upholding the organisation's mission of compassion, dignity, and service the people of Jammu & Kashmir and reached to various Districts including Jammu, Udhampur, Anantnag, Budgam, Ganderbal, Kupwara, Baramulla, and Budgam.

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