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## J&K Govts' 'Har Gaon Hariyali' Initiative Ensuring Sustainable Development, Climate Justice Promotion Across UT

SRINAGAR, JUNE 18: 'Har Gaon Hariyali' program, a unique initiative launched by the government of Jammu and Kashmir, in consonance with the vision of 'Green Jammu and Kashmir' drive has proved instrumental towards ensuring sustainable development besides promoting climate justice across the Union Territory.

The ambitious program is also contributing tremendously towards increasing the carbon stock especially in villages located near degraded forests of J&K. The Green Jammu and Kashmir drive itself is in commensuration with the National Forest Policy 1988 and the Jammu and Kashmir Forest Policy 2011 which envisages afforestation on all degraded and denuded lands in the union territory within and outside forests