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DJMC IUST felicitated by Union Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment

Pulwama, July 18: The Department of Journalism and Mass Communication (DJMC), Islamic University of Science and Technology (IUST), was felicitated by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India, on Saturday at Pulwama, in recognition of its contributions to media education and social awareness initiatives.

The certificate of appreciation, presented by Dr. Ramdas Bandu Athawale, Union Minister of Social Justice and Empowerment, commends the department's "outstanding efforts and impactful initiatives," particularly its street play "News or Noise", which promoted public understanding of journalism and media literacy. It also acknowledges the department's "creative and meaningful endeavours that reflect the true spirit and social responsibility of journalism."

The recognition highlights DJMC's sustained commitment to awareness, education and community engagement through innovative academic and outreach activities.

The department described the honour as an encouragement to continue fostering responsible journalism and meaningful public engagement through education and creative expression.

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