

**HIGH COURT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH
AT SRINAGAR**

**WP(C)/1030/2026
CM/2694/2026**

**M/S Amco Iron and Steel Industries
Through its Proprietor
Shoaib Hakak (48 Years)
S/O Gh. Hassan Hakak
R/O Gulberg Colony, Hyderpora, Srinagar
Through :Mr. Safi ur Rehman, Advocate**

...Appellant(s)/Petitioner(s)

Vs.

- 1. Union Territory of J&K, through
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,
J&K, Srinagar/Jammu**
- 2. Divisional Forest Officer, SC & FC
Pohru Division, Langate Handwara,
District Kupwara**
- 3. Managing Director, J&K Small Scale
Industries Development Corporation
(SICOP)
Srinagar/Jammu**
- 4. Divisional Manager, Industrial Estate,
Zainakote, Srinagar**

...Respondent(s)

Through : None

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M. A. CHOWDHARY, JUDGE.

ORDER

08.05.2026

- 1. Petitioner, through the medium of this petition, seeks direction to the respondent No.2 to forthwith release the outstanding amount of Rs. 81,605/- in favour of the petitioner with interest as per Section 6 of the MSMED Act from the date payment became due till realization in pursuance to communication No. SICOP/DMM/2026/645-37 dated 03.01.2026 issued by respondent No. 3.**
- 2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner duly registered Micro/Small Enterprise under the Micro Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, and empanelled SSI unit with J&K Small Scale Industries Development Corporation (SICOP) for manufacturing and supply of industrial goods supplied black annealed barbed wire of**

30.52 metric tonnes with diameter 2.50mm and point wire diameter 2.00mm conforming to the relevant SSI specifications facilitated by the Respondent No.3, i.e., SICOP in compliance to allotment Order No. SICOP/MM/R/DZ/2059/61 dated 7th of December, 2007 to the respondent-Forest Department that the part payment was made through SICOP, however, an amount of Rs. 81,605/- is the balance amount, yet to be paid by the forest department regarding which, the respondent-SICOP has made various communications and lastly the communication No. SICOP/DMM/2026/635-37 dated 3rd January, 2026 to the Divisional Forest Officer, SC and FC Division, Langate, Handwara, requiring to transfer long pending balance amount to the tune of Rs. 81,605/- to be released to its account, maintained at J&K Bank, Gole Market, Karanagar, Srinagar, for its onward release to the SSI Unit, i.e., the petitioner.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner shall feel satisfied if this petition is disposed of at this stage with a direction to respondent No. 2 to release the admitted liability in favour of respondent No. 4, to be further released in favour of petitioner.
4. In view of the pleadings and documents placed on record, the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner and the admitted liability as referred hereinabove, the present petition is disposed of at this motion stage, with a direction to respondent No. 2 to release the outstanding amount, if any, due and payable, within a period of six weeks from today, strictly in accordance with the rules and regulations governing the field and subject to verification.
5. The present petition is thus, **disposed** of, on the above terms.

(M. A. CHOWDHARY)
JUDGE

SRINAGAR:

08.05.2026

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