

IN HIGH COURT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH
AT SRINAGAR

WP(C) No. 1206/2025
CM No. 3188/2025

Khan Zaman

...Petitioner(s)

Through: Mr Suhail Mehraj, Adv, vice Mr. Bhat Fayaz, Adv.

Vs.

Union Territory of JK and Ors.

...Respondent(s)

Through: Mr. Furqan Yaqub, GA.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE WASIM SADIQ NARGAL, JUDGE.

ORDER
27.05.2025

1. The instant petition was listed before this Court on 26th May, 2025, on which date, the learned counsel for the respondents was directed to have instructions in the matter.
2. Today, when the case was taken up, learned for the respondents has produced a copy of communication dated 27th May, 2025, issued by the Chief Education Officer, Bandipora. A perusal whereof reveals that petitioner has voluntarily donated the land measuring 01 Kanal for construction of building way back in the year 2011 without any promise of monetary compensation and in this regard he has also given an undertaking, stating therein that he will not claim for any monetary compensation for the land in question. It is further mentioned in the communication that in lieu of the land, the petitioner requested for awarding contract of construction of the said school building in his favour, which was, accordingly, awarded to him including the construction of three roomed building, kitchen shed, bathroom and boundary wall at the said school. The communication further reveals that the aforesaid land, on which, the school has been established, is properly fenced, as such, the claim of the petitioner that respondents have dumped

the material for raising of construction of two rooms on the land in question is denied. A copy of communication produced by learned counsel for respondents is taken on record.

3. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner as also learned counsel for the respondents at length and perused the material on record.
4. Notice, which is waived by Mr. Furqan Yaqoob, learned GA, on behalf of the respondents.
5. In the light of the instructions reported by learned counsel for the respondents by way of aforesaid communication, this Court deems it proper to direct the learned counsel for the respondents to file a detailed reply in the instant petition on or before the next date of hearing.
6. List on 16th July, 2025.

(WASIM SADIQ NARGAL)
JUDGE

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