

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

**WP(C) 1684/2025 CM(4366/2025) CM(4513/2025)**

**ZAHOOOR AHMAD BHAT AND ORS.**

...Petitioner(s)/appellant(s)

Through: Mr. M.Y. Bhat, Sr. Advocate, with  
Mr. Sajid Ahmad Bhat, Advocate.

Vs.

**UNION TERRITORY OF J AND K AND ORS.**

...Respondent(s)

Through: Mr. Hakeem Aman Ali, Dy. AG.  
Mr. Waseem Gull, GA.

**CORAM:**

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY DHAR, JUDGE**

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY PARIHAR, JUDGE**

**ORDER**

**02-06-2026**

Learned counsel for the respondents seek further time to file reply to the writ petition. In the interest of justice, one more opportunity is granted to file reply, subject to the payment of costs of Rs. 1,000/- to be deposited in the Advocates Welfare Fund.

Needful shall be done by next date of hearing.

List on 27.07.2026.

On the next date of hearing, the matter shall be taken up for final consideration.

**(SANJAY PARIHAR)**  
**JUDGE**

**(SANJAY DHAR)**  
**JUDGE**

**SRINAGAR**  
**02-06-2026**  
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