

**HIGH COURT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH
AT SRINAGAR
WP(C) No. 1994/2024**

Abdul Samad Lone & Ors.

... Petitioner(s)

Through: -
Mr. T. A. Lone, Adv.
V/s

Union Territory of J & K & Ors.
... Respondent(s)

Through: -
CORAM: HON'BLE MR JUSTICE MA CHOWDHARY, JUDGE.
(ORDER)
02.09.2024

Petitioners through the medium of this petition have challenged the Order dated 07.08.2024, issued by Tehsildar Shopian, whereby, a dispute with regard to forest rights, in terms of the Schedule Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 has been dealt with. The petitioners are aggrieved of not having been heard in the matter before passing of the order and without following the procedure as prescribed under the scheme of the Forest Rights Act 2006.

Heard.

Issue notice to the respondents returnable within four weeks, subject to filing of requisites within one week.

List on **04.11.2024**.

Meanwhile, subject to objections from the other side and till next date of hearing before the Bench, the petitioners shall not be evicted from their residential structures, if any, from the pasture, subject matter of this writ petition.

(MA CHOWDHARY)
JUDGE

SRINAGAR
02.09.2024
Hilal Ahmad